

## Faculty Profile

- 1. Name of the Faculty:** Dr. N.CHITRA
- 2. Department and Designation:** English & Assistant Professor
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- 6. Date of Birth:** 20.06.1972
- 7. Qualification:** M.A. M.Phil. Ph.D.
- 8. Specialization:** Indian Writing in English, English and Comparative Literature & ELT
- 9. Professional Experience:** **Assistant Professor** (2009 – Present):  
Bharathidasan Institute of Technology,  
Anna University, Tiruchirappalli.  
**Lecturer** (2008-2009): Bharathidasan Institute of Technology,  
Anna University, Tiruchirappalli.  
**Lecturer** (2001-2007): Cauvery College for Women, Tiruchirappalli.
- 10. Awards and Honors:** Life Member, (ELTAI) English Language Teachers Association of  
India  
Life Member, (ISTE) Indian Society for Technical Education



## **11. Publications:**

### **(i) International Conferences:**

1. Presented and published a Paper on '*Renovate to Rejuvenate: The Creed of Githa Hariharan in 'The Thousand Faces of Night'*' at the International Conference on 'Trends in Modern Literature: East and West held on 4 & 5 January, 2011 in Alagappa University, Karaikudi. (ISBN 978-93-80841-04-3)
2. Presented and Published a Paper on *A study on changing perspectives in women psyche in the select novels of Githa Hariharan* at the International Conference on 'Recent Trends in Literature: A Global perspective' held on 27th and 28th January 2012 in Garden City College, Bangalore. (Pages E 150 –E 153 ISBN 978-93-80716-46-6)
3. Presented and Published a Paper on "*Challenges in Teaching English for Specific Purposes*" at the International Conference on 'English Language and Literature: Retrospects and Prospects" held on 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> February 2016 in Bishop Heber College, Trichirappalli.
4. Presented a paper on '*The Vital Role of Value Based Education in Schools*' at Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli on 26th Oct, 2017 in the International Conference on "School Mental Health" on 25th & 26th, October, 2017.

### **(ii) National Conferences:**

1. Presented and Published a Paper on *Perils of Besiegement: A Study of Social Awakening in Githa Hariharan's In Times of Siege* at the National Conference on 'Culture and Consciousness: A Study on the Novels of Indian writers in English of the 21st Century' on 20th Jan 2012 in Sri Vasavi College, Erode.
2. Presented and Published a Paper on *A study on progression of women towards Empowerment in the select novels of Githa Hariharan* at the National conference on 'Developing Scenario in Applied Sciences and Communicative English held on 2nd & 3rd March 2012 in Kumaraguru College of Technology, Coimbatore.
3. Presented a paper on *Beware of the Blockade- the Call of Githa Hariharan in In Times of Siege* at the two day National Conference on 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>, December, 2010 at National College, Tiruchirappalli.

### **(iii) Books Published with ISBN number/ISSN number:**

1. Published the book titled *Technical English-Work Book-I* with ISBN: 978-93-80170-99-2 (2014-2015)
2. Published the book titled *Technical English-Work Book-II* with ISBN: 978-93-80170-97-8 (2014-2015)

## 12. Conferences/Workshops/Seminar/ Short Term Refresher Course Attended:

### *Conferences Attended*

1. Participated in the National Conference on “Current Theories and their Impact on Teaching of Literature” on 9<sup>th</sup> &10<sup>th</sup> February, 2005 at St. Joseph’s College, Tiruchirappalli
2. Participated in the National Conference on ‘Solidarity amidst Cultural Diversity in World Literature’ on 12<sup>th</sup> &13<sup>th</sup> March, 2012 at Nirmala College for Women, Coimbatore.
3. Participated in the National Conference Cum Workshop on “Analysing, Evaluating Textbook and Current Thinking in Language Teaching- A Historical Perspective” on 9<sup>th</sup>, March 2013 at St. Joseph’s College, Tiruchirappalli

### *Seminars Attended*

1. Participated in the National Seminar on “Strategic Teaching Quality Management for Technical Teachers” on 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2013 at Bharathidasan Institute of Technology, Anna University Regional Centre, Tiruchirappalli.

### *Orientation Attended*

1. Attended the Orientation Course from 21.06.2004 to 18.07.2004 and obtained Grade “A” at UGC Academic Staff College, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchippalli.
2. Attended the UGC sponsored 78<sup>th</sup> Orientation Programme from 01.02.2013 to 28.02.2013 and obtained Grade “A” at UGC Academic Staff College, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchippalli.

### *Refresher Course Attended*

1. Attended the UGC sponsored Refresher Course in English from 13.11.2015 to 03.12.2015 and obtained Grade “A” at UGC – Human Resource Development Centre, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchippalli

### *Training Courses Attended:*

1. Participated in the **three day Training Programme** on 'Classroom Assessment and Evaluation' jointly conducted by Department of English, Anna University and RELO, USIS from 15 July to 17 July 2013.
2. Attended the **one-day Training Programme** for the co-ordinators of the FDP at Anna University Chennai on 22.07.2013
3. Participated in the **three day Faculty Development Programme** on 'Learning Improvement Techniques' conducted by Teaching Learning Centre, IIT, and Madras from 10<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> March 2016.
4. Attended the TEQIP II sponsored **two week Faculty Development Programme** on “*Top Tech Trends (T3) – Driving the Future of Information Technology*” (DFIT) organized by the

Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Anna University BIT Campus from 30 June, 2016- 13 July 2016.

5. Attended two days orientation programme of “**Train-the-Trainers**” organized by Centre for University - Industry Collaboration (CUIC), AU- Chennai jointly with Titan Industries on Employability Skill Enhancement Programme for final year students held at CUIC, AU- Chennai on 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> January 2017.

### **13. Conferences/Workshops/Seminar Organised:**

1. Organized ‘Train the Trainers’ two-day **Workshop** to the faculty members of Anna University Tiruchirappalli affiliated colleges from 22<sup>nd</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> Sep, 2010 in Anna University of Technology, Tiruchirappalli.
2. Organized ‘Train the Trainers’ one day **Workshop** for the faculty of Computer Science Engineering in Anna University of Technology, Tiruchirappalli in February, 2011.
3. An **Orientation Programme** for TOEFL and GRE on 21August, 2013 to all the final year students of B.E., B.Tech., MBA., MCA., M.E., M.Tech., programme in Anna University: Chennai, BIT Campus, Tiruchirappalli.
4. **A two-day Bridge Course Training Programme for the faculty of English** of 32 colleges from 29.7.2013 to 30.7.2013 at Anna University, BIT campus, Tiruchirappalli.
5. **TEQIP II** sponsored **two day Seminar** on “Effective English for Engineering students” (EEE’13) from 28.11.2013 to 29.11.2013 first year students of B.E., B.Tech., MBA., programme in Anna University, BIT Campus, Tiruchirappalli.
6. **TEQIP II** sponsored **one week Faculty Development Programme on** 'Teaching and Learning of English for Communication Skills and Soft Skills'(TLECSS’13) from 2.12.13 to 8.12.2013 at Anna University, BIT campus, Tiruchirappalli.
7. **TEQIP II** sponsored **two-day Workshop** on 'Communicative Competency in English" (CCE ‘13) for the students from 17.12.2013 to 18.12.2013 at Anna University, BIT campus, Tiruchirappalli.
8. **TEQIP II** sponsored **two day International Conference** on “Enlightening the people about the richness of English Language and Literature” from 9.8.2014 to 10.8.2014 at Anna University, BIT Campus, Tiruchirappalli.

9. **TEQIP II** sponsored **two day National Conference** on “Status of Women in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century” from 6.9.2014 to 7.9.2014 at Anna University, BIT Campus, Tiruchirappalli.
10. **TEQIP II** sponsored **two day Training Programme** on “Innovations in Computer Assisted Language Learning” for students from 22.9.2014 to 23.9.2014 in association with the department of Computer Applications at Anna University, BIT Campus, Tiruchirappalli.
11. **TEQIP II** sponsored **one week Faculty Development Programme on** “Empowering Educators in English Language Teaching” (EELT '15) from 08.06.2015 to 14.06.2015 at Anna University, BIT campus, Tiruchirappalli.
12. **TEQIP II** sponsored **two week Faculty Development Programme on** “Enhancing Classroom Communication” (ECC '16) from 18.07.2016 to 31.07.2016 at Anna University, BIT campus, Tiruchirappalli.
13. Two week training programme for **final year students on Employability Skills Building Programme (ESBP)** organized by Centre for University - Industry Collaboration (CUIC), AU- Chennai jointly with Titan Industries from 06.02.2017 to 20.02.2017 at UCE, Anna University, BIT campus, Tiruchirappalli.
14. Organized the training programme for final year students on Employability Skills Enhancement Programme (ESEP) organized by Centre for University - Industry Collaboration (CUIC), AU- Chennai jointly with Titan Industries from September 2017 to January 2018 in the placement cell at UCE, Anna University, BIT campus, Tiruchirappalli.

**Signature**

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