


PERMANENT FACULTY
FACULTY PROFILE PROFORMA

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Designation	Assistant Professor					
Department	English					
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Education						
Subject	Institution		Year	Details		
BA	University Of Rajasthan, Jaipur		2017	73%		
MA	University Of Rajasthan, Jaipur		2019	68%		
MPHIL	University Of Rajasthan, Jaipur		2021	68%		
NET/JRF	UGC NET		2020	JRF		
PHD	Banasthali Vidyapith, Newai, Tonk		2025	Awarded		
Career Profile						
Organisation/Institution	Designation		Duration	Role		
Kalindi College	Assistant Professor (Permanent)		22 June 2024 onwards	Teaching		

Research Interests/Specialization

- English Language Teaching (ELT)
- Indian English Literature
- Feminism
- Mythology

Administrative Assignments / Contribution to corporate life

- Member of MITRAKSHAR The English Literary Society of Kalindi College 2024-25
- Member of Creative Writing Club 2024-25
- Member of Time Table Committee 2024-25
- Member of Attendance Committee 2024-25
- Member of EWS Admission Committee 2024-25
- Member of EWS Admission Committee 2025-26
- Member of MITRAKSHAR 2025-26
- Co-Convenor of Creative Writing Club 2025-26
- Member of Attendance committee 2025-26
- Member of Time Table Committee 2025-26
- IQAC Co-ordinator for English Department 2025-26

Teaching Experiences (Subject/Courses taught)

- Public Speaking and leadership
- Language and Culture
- Indian English Literature
- Social and Emotional Learning
- Reading in Indian Fiction
- Indian Classical Literature
- Contemporary South Asian Literature
- English Fluency I
- 20TH Century Drama
- Women's Writing
- Genre Fiction
- SBC Academic Editing and Publishing

Research Guidance			
NA			
Publication (Peer Reviewed/Indexed Journals)			
Year of Publication	Title	Journal (Name of the journal. Vol Issue ISSN)	Co-Author
2023	AHALYA, A FALLEN WOMAN: A THESIS, IT'S ANTITHESIS AND SYNTHESIS AS DEPICTED	Anveshak ISSL 03784568 Vol 53 No 02	Dr Sunil K Jha (Supervisor)
	INVOLGA'S THE LIBERATION OF SITA	(IV): Jul- Dec 2023 UGC Care	
2023	EXPLORING THE MODERN FEMINIST VOICES IN CHITRA BANERJEE DIVAKARUNI'S THE FOREST OF ENCHANTMENTS	Shodha Prabha ISSN 09748946 Vol 48, Issue 4, Book no 1 2023 UGC Care	Dr Sunil K Jha (Supervisor)
2024	A Historical Mythopoeia in Women of Ramayan: The Untold Stories by Kunal Kaushal	Educational Administration: Theory and Practice, Vol 30, No 5, 2024, Scopus Q4	NA

Seminar/Workshop/Conferences Presentation/Organisation.

National Conference on Intellectual Tradition of East and West: Thesis, Antithesis and Synthesis organized by Department of English and MELs Banasthali Vidyapith on December 17th to 19th, 2022. Presented a paper titled “Ahalya, A Fallen Woman: A Thesis, It’s Antithesis and Synthesis as Depicted in Volga’s The Liberation of Sita”.

National Seminar on Literature, Nature and Culture organized by Department of English and MELs, Banasthali Vidyapith on 9th April, 2023. Presented a paper titled “Centralization of the Marginalized Women Characters in the Selected Retellings of The Ramayana”.

International Conference on Mapping the Marvellous: Mythopoeia, Multiverse and Fantasy Across Literature(S), Films and Media Organized by Department of English, UOR Jaipur on December 19th to 21st 2023. Presented a paper titled “A Historical Mythopoeia in Women of Ramayan: The Untold Stories by Kunal Kaushal”.

International Conference on World War 1; Modernism(s); And Time Binding organized by Department of English, UOR, Jaipur on January 27th to 28th, 2023. Presented a paper titled “Exploring the Modern Feminist Voices in Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni’s The Forest of Enchantments”.

National Symposium organized jointly by Centre for the Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy, RUSA Project, Department of Sociology, UOR and Brics Humanrights Mission on Transgender and Contemporary Society: Barriers and Possibilities on 1 March 2023. Presented a paper titled “Transgenders in India: From Mythology to Modernity”.

One-day National Academic Workshop Organized by Rajbhasa Karyanvayan Samiti of Kalindi College (DU) on Swatantra Bharat me Hindi me Kamkaj Ki Anivaryata on 27th Feb 2025.

Two-days International Conference on Indian Knowledge System: Perspectives and Imperatives Organized by Department of English UOR, Jaipur 23-24th January, 2026. Presented a Paper titled “A Comparative Study of Penelope and Sita as Depicted in the Retellings of Greek and Indian Mythology”.

Two-days International Conference on From Heritage to Horizon: Indian Languages and Folklores organised by the department of English and IQAC in collaboration with Bhartiya Bhasa Samiti held on 2nd and 3rd February 2026 at Shyam Lal College. Presented a paper titled “An Ecological Exploration of the Selected Rajasthani Folklores and Their Connection to Indian Knowledge System”.

Two-day International Conference on Decolonising English Literary Studies: Indigenous Epistemologies, Counter-Narrative, and Knowledge Futures Organized by Department of English and Foreign Languages Central University of Haryana on April 30th 2026 to May 1st 2026. Presented a Paper Titled “Reclaiming the Voices of the Vanaras: A Forgotten, Imagined and Subaltern Voice in the Alternative Narratives of The Ramayana”.

Participated in the Capacity Building Workshop organized by IQAC, Kalindi College, University of Delhi on the theme: Academic Integrity and Plagiarism Management: Hands on Training on Turnitin” held on 28th January 2026 at Kalindi College.

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Public Service/ University Service/ Consulting Activity Invited as keynote Speaker at the “School Health and Wellness Program” (SHWP) under Ayushman Bharat Mission to deliver a lecture on “Mental Health” on 21 January 2025 at Government Girls Sr. Sec. School, Uttam Nagar, Delhi.

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Professional Societies Membership
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NA

Projects (Major Grants/ Collaborations)
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NA

Other Details

- Attended a Faculty Induction Programme under MM-TTP of UGC organised by Iswar Saran P.G. College, Prayagraj from Nov 6 to Dec 5, 2024 and obtained A+
- Completed Online Refresher Course on “Shrimad Bhagavad Gita” under Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme of University Grants Commission organized by MMTTC: Ramanujan College, Delhi in Collaboration with Centre for Human Sciences, Rishihood University from 07 February, 2025 to 20 February, 2025 and obtained grade A
- Attended 34TH NEP 2020 Orientation and Sensitization Programme organized by the UGCMMTTC Central University of Haryana in collaboration with Indira Gandhi Delhi Technical University for Women from Feb 16 to Feb 25, 2026.