# BIODATA

Name	:	V. Sangeetha
Academic Qualification	:	M.A., Ph.D.
Designation	:	Professor & Head
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# **Educational Qualification** :

- Ph.D. in English, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli
- M.A. English, Sri Sarada College for Women, Salem
- B.A. English, Sri Sarada College for Women, Salem

Area of Specialisation	:	Commonwealth Literature/Australian and Canadian Literature
Areas of Interest	:	American Literature, British Literature, Comparative Literature, Commonwealth Literature, Translation Studies, Literary Criticism
Teaching Experience	:	15 years
<b>Research Experience</b>	:	18 years
<b>Research Supervisor</b>	:	M.Phil and Ph.D.

# Convenor, Women's Welfare Centre, Periyar University, Salem

- Organised many awareness programmes for University women
- Organised Anaemia Awareness Camp for University teaching, Nonteaching Staff, students as well as Constituent College, Mettur
- Organised Gavanagam to improve concentration, will power, mathematical ability for University Students

#### Prizes, Medals and Other Honours Received

- Rank in Master of Arts
- Rank in Bachelor of Arts
- Gold Medal in Matriculation for English

#### **Membership in Professional Bodies**

- 1. The Association for the Study of Australasia in Asia
  - ASAA Committee Member India (Representing South India)
- 2. Indian Association for the Study of Australia
- 3. Indian Association for Commonwealth and Language Studies
- 4. Indian Association for Canadian Studies
- 5. International Council for Canadian Studies
- 6. Indian Society for Commonwealth Studies
- 7. English Language Teachers Association of India

# **Editorship in Journal**

Resident/Associate Editor, Journal of Literature, Culture and Media studies -ISSN - 0974 - 7192 representing State of Tamil Nadu

#### **Editorial Advisory Board Member**

Indian Chronicle of English Literature (A Biannual International Peer Reviewed

Journal for Critical and Creative Works) ISSN 2321-0818

#### Member of Ph.D. and M.Phil Evaluation Committee

- 1. Acharya Nagarjuna University, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh
- 2. Annamalai University, Chidambaram
- 3. Bharathiar University, Coimbatore
- 4. Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli
- 5. Dravidian University, Kuppam, Andhra Pradesh
- 6. Gandhigram University, Dindigal
- 7. Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai
- 8. Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Thirunelvelli
- 9. Mother Teresa University, Kodaikanal
- 10. Periyar Maniammai University, Vallam
- 11. Pondicherry University, Pondicherry

# **Special Training Received**

*Natural Language Processing*: TTP - Super Computer Education and Research Centre, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, Karnataka

#### Faculty Development Programme: 08

Books Published: 05

**Publications in International & National Peer Reviewed, Refereed Journals, Book chapters:** 60+

Paper Presentations in International & National Conferences & Seminars: 80+

Acted as **Chairperson** for many paper presentation sessions in **International & National Conferences & Seminars** 

Given a number of **Inaugural Address, Plenary Address, Special Lecture, Valedictory Address** and acted as **Resource Person** for **UGC ASC Refresher Courses** 

# **Organised:**

- National Seminar : 01
- National Conference : 01
- International Conference : 01
- Faculty Development Programme : 01

#### Additional Responsibilities in Periyar University

- Senate Member
- Chairman, University Board of Studies PG, M.Phil. English
- Chairman, BoS UICP
- Coordinator, Common Entrance Test for M.Phil and Ph.D
- Coordinator, Centre for Academic and Technical Writing
- Convenor, Academic Calendar Committee
- University Nominee BoS English UG, PG, M.Phil. Affiliated Colleges
- Convenor, Interior Floral Decoration Committee Convocation
- Convenor, Women's Day Celebration Committee
- Convenor, Inspection Committee
- Member, University Apex Body of Institution of Eminence
- Member, Board of Research Studies
- Member, Internal Quality assurance Cell
- Member, Project Monitoring Unit
- Member, Anti Ragging Monitoring Cell

- Member, Pot Plants Welfare Committee
- Subject Expert, Inspection Committee
- Member, Scrutiny, Selection/Interview Committee
- Member, BoS Psychology, Journalism and Mass Communication
- Member, Prospectus Committee
- In charge University year Calendar
- Member, Regulations for Remuneration for Teaching and Non teaching Staff Committee
- Organising Committee Member 23<sup>rd</sup> Tamil Nadu History Congress
- Member, Website Committee
- Member, Admission Committee University Constituent Colleges & University Departments
- Member, Library Advisory Committee
- Member, Expert Committee AGP-CAS
- Stock Verification Officer
- University Nominee, BoS UG, PG Affiliated Colleges
- University Representative, College Committee Salem Sowdeswari College
- Member, Academic Council Sri Sarada College
- Member, Verification Committee (Probation Declaration)
- Additional Chief Superintendent University Department Examinations
- Member, Selection Committee Study Abroad Programme, TANSCHE
- Represented PU as Chairman, BoS/CBCS TANSCHE

# **Other Academic Assignments**

- Member, Scrutiny Committee, Bharathiyar University, Coimbatore
- Member, Selection Committee, Bharathiyar University, Coimbatore
- Member, Academic Council, Periyar Maniammai University, Vallam
- Member, Academic Council, Mother Teresa University, Kodaikanal
- Member, M.Phil BoS, Alagappa University, Karaikudi
- Member, UG BoS, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli
- Member, Expert Committee Workshop, State Eligibility Test, Bharathiyar University
- University Observer, Centre for Collaboration of Industry and Institutions, Bharathiyar University

#### **Any Other**

- Founder Head in charge, Department of English, Periyar University
- Editor, *Athena*: International Journal for English ISSN 2321-0680 shortly to be published by Department of English, Periyar University