

Dr. Geetanjali Rajput

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Awards and Achievements

- **Compeered at District level functions** organized on **Republic Day** and **Independence Day** by **Dept. of Youth & Sports Services** in collaboration with the **District Administration, Samba at Keli Ground, Samba, J&K** for 3 years (2008, 2009, 2010 and 2011) and was honoured by the District Administration with mementoes every year for the compeering.

Workshops, Seminars, Symposia and Conferences attended

RESEARCH PAPERS PRESENTED IN SEMINARS/CONFERENCES

- **National Seminar on “Trends in Research in English Language & Literature”** : Dept. of English, University of Jammu, 2005
- **“Responses to Indian Literature”** – A Seminar sponsored by KATHA: DAV College, Amritsar, 2005
- **International Seminar on “Contemporary Trends in Language, Discourse and Cultural Studies”** : Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, 2007
- **XXIII IACS International Conference on “Cosmopolitanism : Canada and India”** : Centre for New Literatures, University of Jammu & Indian Association for Canadian Studies, 2007
- **National Seminar on “Postcolonial Literatures and Theories After 1990”** : Punjabi University, Patiala, 2007
- **MELUS-MELOW International Conference on “Literature in Times of Violence”** : Panjab University, Chandigarh, 2007
- **National Seminar on “Women and Violence : Challenges and Concerns”** : Centre for Women’s Studies, University of Jammu, Jammu & Kashmir, 2007.
- **Workshop** for Young Social Scientists on **“Capacity Building and Skill Upgradation”** jointly organized by Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development & Indian

Sociological Society, New Delhi : Dept. of Sociology, University of Jammu, Jammu & Kashmir, 2007.

- **Seminar on “Women Health – The New Paradigms”** : Shivalik College of Education, Udhampur, Jammu & Kashmir, 2008.
- **National Conference on “Media and Society”** : Dept. of Sociology & Social Anthropology, Punjabi University, Patiala, 2009.
- **UGC Sponsored National Seminar on “Writers & Critics : An Interface”** : D.A.V. College for Girls, Yamuna Nagar, 2009.
- **ICSSR Sponsored One Day National Seminar on “Multiculturalism in India with Special Reference to J&K”** : Govt. College for Women, Gandhinagar, Jammu, J&K, 2009.
- **NAAC Sponsored Two Day National Seminar on “Quality Concern in Indian Higher Education to Meet the Global Challenges”** : Govt. College for Women, Gandhi Nagar, Jammu, 2009.
- **International Conference on “Women and Development : Issues and Initiatives”** : Women’s Studies Centre, Punjabi University, Patiala, 2010.
- **One Day Seminar on “Women’s Empowerment-Pathway to Socio-Economic and Psychological Development of the Society”** : Centre for Women’s Studies, G.G.M. Science College, Jammu, Jammu & Kashmir, 2010.
- **3-Day International Conference on “Diversity in New Literatures”** : Dept. of English, Kakatiya University, Warangal, Andhra Pradesh in collaboration with Indian Society for Commonwealth Studies, 2010.
- **International Conference on “Mainstreaming Gender : Issues and Challenges”** : Women’s Studies Centre, Punjabi University, Patiala, 2011.
- **One day State Level Seminar on “Impact of Globalization on Indian Women with Special Reference to J&K”** : Women’s Studies Centre, G.G.M. Science College, Jammu, 2012.
- **National Seminar on “Lifelong Learning and Higher Education”** : Dept. of Lifelong Learning, University of Jammu, Jammu & Kashmir, 2012.

PARTICIPATION IN SEMINARS/CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS

- **One Day Colloquium on “Emerging Trends in English Language Teaching”** organized by School of Languages, Shri Mata Vaishno Devi University, Kakryal, Distt. Udhampur, Jammu & Kashmir in 2007.
- **International Workshop on “Systemic Functional Linguistics”** organized by the Dept. of English, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar in 2007.
- **Twelfth National Workshop of the Forum on Contemporary Theory on “Cognitive Language Skills for the 21st Century”** : Centre for Contemporary Theory, Vadodara, 2007.
- **Interdisciplinary Workshop on “Women and Development : Canada and India”** : Centre for New Literatures, Culture and Communication, 2009.
- **Two Day Workshop on “Development of Self-Learning Material”** : Directorate of Distance Education, University of Jammu, 2010.
- **State Level Workshop on “Effective Research : Theory & Practice”** : Internal Quality Assurance Cell, Govt. Degree College (Boys), Udhampur, Jammu & Kashmir, 2010.
- **UGC Sponsored National Seminar on “Gandhi and World Peace”** : Gandhian Centre for Peace and Conflict Studies, University of Jammu, Jammu & Kashmir and Govt. Degree College, Paloura, 2012.
- **National Seminar on “Quality Assurance in Higher Education”** : Adarsh College of Education, Tarore, Distt. Samba, Jammu & Kashmir, 2012.

ORIENTATION / REFRESHER COURSES ATTENDED:

- **UGC sponsored General Orientation Course** organized by UGC Academic Staff College, University of Jammu, J&K in 2008.
- **3-days Workshop** in connection with **“Breakthrough Facilitation Programme”** organized by the Dept. of Higher Education, Civil Secretariat, Govt. of Jammu & Kashmir, J&K at Adarsh College of Education, Tarore, Distt. Samba, J&K, 2011.
- **UGC sponsored Refresher Course** organized by UGC Academic Staff College, University of Jammu, J&K in 2012.
- **UGC Sponsored Three Weeks’ Refresher Course in Disaster Management** (Interdisciplinary) : UGC Human Resource Development Centre (HRDC), University of Jammu, 2016.

Research Publications

- “The House” as a Leitmotif in Shashi Deshpande’s Fiction, **Literati**, the Journal of the University of Jammu, 2007.
- Published an article on “Female Sexuality : An expression of Womanself in Shobha De’s Socialite Evenings and Sisters” in the book titled, **Variegated Narratives of Indian English Fiction** edited by Prof. G.A. Ghanashyam and Prof. Prasanta Chakraborty published by Aadi Publications, ISBN 978-93-82630-32-6.

Academic Qualifications

Examination Passed	Board/University	Subjects	Year	Division/Grade/Merit
SSC	J&K State Board	Eng., Hindi, Maths, Science, S.Studies	1990	Ist
Higher Secondary	J&K State Board	Medical	1992	Ist
Bachelor’s Degree(s)	University of Jammu	Medical	1995	Ist
Master’s Degree(s) (M.A./M.Sc.)	University of Jammu	English	1997	Ist
NET/SLET	-	-	-	-
Other Diploma/Certificates etc.	Certificate in Computing from IGNOU	Computer Applications	1998	Distinction

Research Experience

Research Stage	Title of Work/Thesis	University where the work was carried out	Year
M. Phil or equivalent	-	-	-
Ph.D.	“Restructuring the Sentence of Her Life : A Study of Shashi Deshpande, Bharati Mukherjee, Namita Gokhale and Shobha De”	University of Jammu	2005
D.Sc/D.Litt.	-	-	-
Training (Please	-	-	-

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Teaching Experience

Courses Taught	Name of the University/college/Institution	Duration
iv) U.G. (B.A./B.Sc. etc.) (B.A./B.Sc. etc. Hons.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Govt. SPMR College of Commerce, Jammu. (on contractual basis) • Govt. College for Women, Parade Ground, Jammu. (on contractual basis) • Directorate of Distance Education, University of Jammu. (on contractual basis) <p><u>After permanent appointment as Assistant Professor in English</u></p> <p><u>Date of Appointment-</u> 22-11-2007</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Joined in the office of the Director, Colleges Dept. of Higher Education, Civil Sectt., Jammu, J&K on 04-12-2007 and remained there till 09-01-2008 • Govt. Degree College, Samba • Govt. Degree College, Paloura • Govt. Degree College, Majalta 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 02-11-1998 to 30-04-1999 • 09-10-2000 to 15-04-2001 • Academic Sessions 1998, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2003 • 10-01-2008 to 29-11-2011 • 30-11-2011 to 17-8-2016 • 19-08-2016 to 04-03-2017

<p>v) P.G. (M.A./M.Sc., etc.)</p> <p>(P.G. in English)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • G.G.M. Science College, Jammu. (on contractual basis) • G.G.M. Science College, Jammu. (on contractual basis) • G.G.M. Science College, Jammu. (on contractual basis) • IGNOU • G.G.M. Science College, Jammu. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 11-08-2004 to 30-06-2005 • 18-07-2005 to 31-05-2006 • 11-09-2006 to 09-10-2006 • 1998-2007 • 06-03-2017 till date
<p>vii) Any other (e.g. Women Study, Skill Development, Add on courses, Coaching (JUET, CET etc.)</p>	<p>Resource person for the course on Spoken English & Personality Development at Centre for Adult & Continuing Education, University of Jammu.</p> <p>Worked as Convener, Women Development Cell, Govt. Degree College, Paloura</p>	<p>2006</p> <p>2015-2016.</p>

Extension Work/Community Service

- Invited as the **Guest of Honour** by the Principal, JK Public School, Kunjwani in the year 2006 to judge the **Inter-school Essay Writing Competition** held in the school.
- **Worked as NCC Officer (Caretaker) of NCC Wing**, Boys at Govt. Degree College, Paloura, Jammu, Jammu & Kashmir w.e.f. 01-10-2015 to 17-09-2016.
- Prepared study material for the undergraduate and postgraduate candidates for General English, English Literature and Post Graduate Courses while working in DDE, University of Jammu as Lecturer in English on contractual basis.

- Assisted in conducting Personal Contact Programmes for M.A. (English) candidates, the Directorate of Distance Education, University of Jammu, J&K in 2006-2007 as Lecturer in English on contractual basis .
- Evaluation of Internal Assessment Assignments and preparing awards for M.A. English Courses and maintenance of the record in Directorate of Distance Education, University of Jammu, J&K in 2006-2007 .
- Assisted the Co-ordinator during the admission process for M.A. (English) Courses at Directorate of Distance Education, University of Jammu, J&K in 2006-2007.
- Participated as Teacher Incharge in two days' NSS workshop on the "Role of NSS in Higher Education" : organised by Programme Co-ordinator, NSS in collaboration with DDE, 2007.
- Worked in various committees of Govt. Degree College, Samba; Govt. Degree College, Paloura; Govt. Degree College, Majalta and G.G.M. Science College, Jammu from 2007 till date.
- Worked as Head of the Dept. of English in various Govt. Degree Colleges wherever posted from 2007 till 4th of March, 2017.
- Conducted external examinations for B.A./B.sc./B.Com Courses and M.A. (English), M.A. (Sociology), M.A. (Political Science), B.A. Sem.-I, II & III as Superintendent from 2008-2016.
- Framing of the Internal Time-table as Head, Dept. of English for conducting classes of B.A. Part-I, II & III and Sem.-I, II, III and IV from 2008 onwards till 04-03-2017.
- Evaluation of Answer scripts of External Examination of B.A. Part-I, II, III and M.A. (English) from 2008-2017.
 - **Written Lessons on Grammar** for the study material prepared for UG Classes for Directorate of Distance Education, University of Jammu, 2003.
 - **Written Lessons on Poetry (English Literature)** for the study material prepared for B.A. Part-III for DDE, University of Jammu, 2004.
 - **Written Lessons on *The Vendor of Sweets*** for the study material prepared for B.A. Part-III for DDE, University of Jammu, 2004.
 - **Written Lessons on three one-act plays** for the study material prepared for B.A. Part-I for DDE, University of Jammu, 2004.

- **Written Lessons on ‘New Criticism’ & ‘Marxist View of Literature’** (Unit-I & Unit-II) for the study material prepared for M.A. English, Semester-IV for DDE, University of Jammu, 2
- **Written Lessons on ‘John Ruskin’ & ‘Bertrand Russell’** (Unit-V) for the study material prepared for M.A. English, Semester-I for DDE.
- Abstract published in the journal of **Idea Conference** held at Mumbai, Dec., 2006.
- Prepared the study material for M.A. (English) Courses for the **Directorate of Distance Education**, University of Kashmir, J&K in 2008 as per the details given below:

M.A. ENGLISH, SEMESTER-I

- ***WUTHERING HEIGHTS*** BY EMILY BRONTE [6 Lessons]

M.A. ENGLISH, SEMESTER-II

- ***HEART OF DARKNESS*** BY JOSEPH CONRAD (COURSE- TWENTIETH CENTURY NOVEL, UNIT-I) [6 Lessons]
- ***TO THE LIGHTHOUSE*** BY VIRGINIA WOOLF (COURSE- TWENTIETH CENTURY NOVEL, UNIT-III) [6 Lessons]
- ROBERT FROST’S : ***MENDING WALL, HOME BURIAL, BIRCHES, WEST RUNNING BROOK*** (COURSE- AMERICAN LITERATURE, UNIT-I) [6 Lessons]
- ***THE SHADOW LINES*** BY AMITAV GHOSH (COURSE- INDIAN WRITING IN ENGLISH, UNIT-III) [6 Lessons]
- ***TUGHLAQ*** BY GIRISH KARNAD (COURSE- INDIAN WRITING IN ENGLISH, UNIT-V) [6 Lessons]
- **Translated** one Dogri folk tale in English titled “**Can we be friends ?**” originally written by Prof. Shiv Dev, Head, Dept. of Dogri, University of Jammu, J&K which was published in a magazine for kids in 2009.
- Prepared study material for the M.A. (English) Courses for DDE, University of Jammu as per the details given below :
 - 6 Lessons on Henry Fielding’s ***Joseph Andrews*** for M.A. English, Sem.-I in 2008.
 - 6 Lessons on Emily Bronte’s ***Wuthering Heights*** for M.A. English, Sem.-I in 2008.

- Prepared study material for the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com Courses for DDE, University of Jammu on **5 Short stories (Unit-V, Lesson No. 1-5) for General English, Paper-A** in 2011.
- Prepared 5 Lessons on Charles Dickens' *Oliver Twist* for the **B.A. Part-II (Paper-English (Communication Skills), Unit-VII)** in 2011 incorporated in the study material printed by the Dept. of Distance Education, Punjabi University, Patiala.
- Prepared study material for the M.A. (English) Courses for DDE, University of Jammu as per the details given below :
 - 5 Lessons on Jane Austen's *Pride and Prejudice* (**Course No.-406, Unit-VI for Sem.-I**) in 2015
 - 4 Lessons on the *Literary and Intellectual Background of Novel upto the Georgian Era* (Course no.-406, Unit-I) for Sem.-I in 2015
- Prepared study material for the M.A. (English) Sem.-III (Course No.- 304) on Cervantes' *Don Quixote* (Lesson No. 1-5) for DDE, University of Jammu in 2016.
- Prepared study material for the B.A. Semester - I Course for DDE, University of Jammu as per the details given below :
 - **Lessons on Introduction to the Literary Terms** (Course Code-EL-201, Unit-I) for English Literature Course in 2016.
 - **Lessons on the short story Chetta** (Memory) written by Chhatrapal (Course Code: AA-101, Unit-III) for General English Course in 2016.
