

Curriculum Vitae

Name : Dr. CHERYL DAVIS

Date of Birth : 19.04.1977

Sex : Female Age: 40

Designation : Assistant Professor of English

Qualification : M.A., M.PHIL. PH.D

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Academic Qualification

X Std.- Railway Mixed High School, Ponmalai, Trichy. - Apr. 1993, 708/ 1000

– First Class - 71 %

XII Std.- St. Joseph's Anglo Indian Hr. Sec. School, Trichy. - II Group Mar. –

1995, 886/ 1200 - First Class - 72 %

UG - BA (English Literature) Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Trichy

English Lit.- May 1999, 1292/ 2220 – First Class with Distinction in English -

68 %

PG - MA (English Literature) Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Trichy -
May 2001, 1064/ 1500 – First Class - 71 %

M.Phil. (English Literature) - St. Joseph's College (Autonomous), Trichy May
2004, 363 / 500 – First Class - 72 %

Ph.D - (English Literature). Bishop Heber College, (Autonomous) Trichy -
Awarded – 7 th December 2011

TEACHING EXPERIENCE: 10 Years

Assistant Professor of English - Bishop Heber College (Autonomous), Trichy –
17.01.09.2003 to 09.006.2012 – Management Staff

Assistant Professor of English - St. Joseph's College (Autonomous), Trichy – 2 -
18.06.2012 Till date - Aided

TECHNICAL QUALIFICATION

Master's Diploma in Computer Application (MDCA) at BDPS, Trichy

Typewriting English (Junior Grade)

PAPERS PRESENTED

1. A Post Colonial Approach: The Rediscovery of Self in V.S. Naipaul's *A House for Mr. Biswas and Half a Life*. UGC Sponsored National Seminar on Polemics of Post Colonial Writings in the Context of Nationalism at VHSN College, Virudhunagar, 29th & 30th March 2007.

2. Symbiosis: The Human Relationship with the Sea in J.M. Synge's *Riders to the Sea*. AIMS – OSLE – II International Conference of Organization for Studies in Literature and Environment – India, at Acharya Institute of Management and Sciences, Bangalore, June 8th and 9th 2007.
3. Human Perseverance in V.S.Naipaul's *Mr.Stone and The Knights Companion*. UGC Sponsored State Level Seminar on Human Values and Ethics in Literature in English at Periyar E.V.R College (Autonomous), Trichy. 13-14 August 2007.
4. Literature as a Rhetorical Tool for Developing Communication Skills: 17th Melta Conference – Malaysia. May 30th and 31st
5. Magic Realism in Girish Karnad's *Hayavadana and Naga-Mandala*. National Conference at Bharathidasan University.
6. An Ecocultural Reading of Harindranath Chattapohaya's *The Parrot* at the National Conference, Karunya University, Coimbatore. November 28th & 29th
7. Ecocriticism in a Postcolonial Context: A Study of V.S. Naipaul's Selected Novels. at the IV OSLE International Conference conducted by National College, Trichy 25, 26 September 2009.
8. Ecological Conflict in Kamala Markandaya's *Nectar in a Seive* . New Cultural Contours in the Post Independent Indian Writing in English” at Bishop Heber College, Trichy. 9&10 February 2010.
9. From an Egological to an Ecological Way of Living: Applying Schelling's Idealism on Gieve Patel's *On Killing a Tree*. A Two Day National Conference

on Literary Theories - St. Joseph`s College (Autonomous) Trichy. 03-04th
December 2015.

10. Anthropocentric Behaviour towards the Fauna World: An Eco critical
Perspective of W.W.E. Ross's *The Snake Trying*. A One Day International
Conference on Canadian Studies. St. Joseph`s College (Autonomous) Trichy-
1st Feb 2016.
11. Exploitation of Human Psyche in Media Culture: A Postmodern Perspective –
ICELLRP International Conference on English Language and Literature:
Retrospect's and Prospects – organized by South-Asian English Language &
Literature Teacher's Association (SELTA) and Bishop Heber College
(Autonomous), Tiruchy -17. 4 & 5th February.
12. A Vision after Life: Analyzing the Biblical Allusions of Purgatory in Dante's
Divine Comedy- UGC Sponsored International Conference on Comparative
Perspective in Classical Literature – Organized by Lady Doak College,
Madurai – 625 002. 15-17th December 2015.
13. Dreams Deferred: A Critical View of Lorraine Hansberry's *A Raisin in the Sun*
– From Victim to Vindicating Survivor: the Many Voices of the Subaltern in
Literature – National Seminar – organized by Bishop Heber College – Trichy –
22nd Feb. 2017.

PAPERS PUBLISHED

1. Existentialism in Girish Karnad's *Naga Mandala*. Research Sources for
Literary Resources, 2007.

2. Elements of the Absurd and Cultural Disintegration in V.S.Naipaul's *A House for Mr. Biswas*, Literary Explorer, An Annual Publication of Critical Studies in English Literature by the Department of English, Bishop Heber College, Trichy, 2006. ISBN
3. Land, Landscapes and Sense of Place: An Ecological Study of V.S Naipaul's *The Enigma of Arrival*. Literary Explorer, An Annual Publication of Critical Studies in English Language and Literature by the Department of English, Bishop Heber College (Autonomous), Trichy, December 2010. ISBN
4. Literature and Human Rights: A Study of V.S Naipaul's *Magic Seeds*. Horizons: Critical Perspectives on Language and Literature. Ed. Dr. Suresh Frederick. Amirthamani Publications, 2011. ISBN: 978-81-920985-1-7.
5. Ecological Conflict in the Third World Countries: A Study of V.S. Naipaul's *A Bend in the River*. Contemporary Contemplations on Ecoliterature. Ed. Dr. Suresh Frederick. Authorspress, 2012. ISBN 978-81-7273-642-2.
6. Ecofeminism in Margaret Laurence's *A Fetish for Love*. HERMES: A Biannual Literary Research Journal Vol V Issue II December 2012, by the Department of English, St. Joseph's College (Autonomous), Trichy – 2. ISSN 0975 – 3516.

7. Exploitation of Human Psyche in Media Culture: A Postmodern Perspective – ROOTS – International Journal of Multidisciplinary Researches. ISSN 2349-8684-2016.
8. A Vision after Life: Analyzing the Biblical Allusions of Purgatory in Dante's *Divine Comedy*- Hermes Vol IX, 0975-3516-2016
9. Nature and Feminine Identity: An Eco feminist Perspectives in *Kuronthogai* – Hermes Vol VII/ 0975-3516- 2015.
10. A Study of Jeet Thayil's *Narcopolis* – Contemporary Contemplations on Indian Writing in English – 978-93-207-454-9-2017.
11. Magical Realism in the World of Cartoons and its Impact on Children. – Published in International Journal of Research (IJR), Vol 4, Issue 6, May 2017. ISSN: 2348-6848, Impact Factor: 5.60.
12. Dreams Deferred: A Critical View of Lorraine Hansberry's **Raisin in the Sun** – The Voices of the Subaltern in Literature Research Papers on Subaltern Studies, February 2017, ISBN: 978-93-80767-64-2.
13. Landscape, Culture and Memory: An Eco Critical Reading in Maman Dai's The Legends of Pensam – Bodhi- International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts and Science. ISSN- 2456- 5571- 2017.

RESEARCH PROJECTS DONE:

M.A. – The Exploitation of the Female Psyche in Television Advertisements.

M.PHIL. – The Absurdity of Life and Results of Culture Contact in V.S Naipaul's *A House for Mr. Biswas*.

Minor Project – Ecocriticism in a Postcolonial Context: A Study of V.S Naipaul’s

Guerrillas and A Bend in the River. (Management at Bishop Heber College, Trichy)

PH.D – A Derelict Man in a Derelict Land: An Ecocritical Dimension of

V..S.Naipaul’s Novels.

PROJECTS GUIDED:

M.A - 25

MPHIL - 35

PH.D –8 (On Going)

CONFERENCES / WORKSHOP / SEMINAR ATTENDED

1. **Orientation Programme for the Young Lecturers.** Bishop Heber College.
Trichy 9 -11 March 2006.
2. TANSCHÉ & UGC Sponsored Three Day Workshop on "**Curriculum Development and Evaluation**" Bishop Heber College. Trichy 24 -25
Sept.2005
3. **Workshop on ELT and Literary Criticism.** Bishop Heber College. Trichy 30
-31 Oct. 2006.
4. **UGC Sponsored National Seminar on Polemics of Post-Colonial Writings in the Context** - Virudhunagar Hindu Nadars Senthilkumara Nadar College,
Virudhunagar 29-30 Mar.07.
5. **II International Conference of Organisation for Studies in Literature and Environment.** AIMS-OSLE. Bangalore 08-09 June 2007

6. **UGC Sponsored State Level Seminar on Human Values and Ethics in Literature** in English Periyar E.V.R College Trichy 13-14. August 2007
7. **National Conference** - Karunya University Coimbatore. November 28th –29th 2008
8. **Melta Conference** - MELTA Malaysia May 30th -31st 2008
9. **Seminar on Christianity in India** - BISHOP HEBER COLLEGE - Trichy 13 JANUARY 2010.
10. **UGC National Seminar on New Cultural Contours in the Post Independent Indian Writing in English.** BISHOP HEBER COLLEGE, Trichy 9 & 10 FEBRUARY 2010.
11. **Workshop on Examination Reforms & Evaluation.** BISHOP HEBER COLLEGE Trichy. 18 & 19 MARCH 2011.
12. **Experience America** – Workshop on ELT U.S CONSULATE GENERAL, Chennai 14-16 SEPTEMBER 2011.
13. **Regional Workshop on Relevance of Women Studies in the Present Context** REGIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN’S STUDIES RAWS, Trichy 9 JANUARY 2012
14. **Orientation Programme for Junior Staff.** ST. JOSEPH’S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), Trichy – 2 11-14 JUNE 2012
15. **National Conference Cum Workshop on Analyzing, Evaluating a Textbook and Current Thinking in Language Teaching – A Historical Perspective.** ST. JOSEPH’S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), Trichy – 29 MARCH 2013.

16. **Orientation Training Programme for the Newly Recruited Teaching Staff in Grant-in-Aid - PROFESSIONAL TRAINING COMMITTEE AND JESUIT HIGHER EDUCATION COMMISSION OF MADURAI PROVINCE.** Loyola College, Chennai 17-26 MAY 2013
17. **From Victim to Vindicating Survivor: The Many Voices of the Subaltern in Literature.** Bishop Heber College, Trichy. 2017-02-22
18. **An International Conference on Re-Interpreting Shakespeare - St. Joseph`s College, Trichy.** 2016-12-15
19. **Orientation Program.** - Bharathidasan University-Trichy. 28- 2016-05-20
20. **ICELLRP - International Conference on English Language and Literature: Retrospects and Prospects - SELTA & Bishop Heber College (Autonomous) Trichy- 2016-02-04.**
21. **International Conference on Canadian Studies ,St. Joseph`s College (Autonomous) Trichy- 2016-02-01**
22. **International Conference on Comparative Perspectives in Classical Literature.** Lady Doak College, Madurai -2015-12-15.
23. **National Conference on Literary Theories -St. Joseph`s College (Autonomous) Trichy 2015-12-03.**
24. **Applying Western Theories on Kurunthogai - St. Joseph`s College -Trichy 2015-02-02.**
25. **International Conference on Emerging Trends on Canadian Literature - St. Joseph`s College Trichy. 2014-01-29.**

26. Diaspora and Culture: Exploring the works of Expatriate Writers. -

TANSCHÉ and Periyar E.V.R College, Trichy. 2013-12-27

27. On Going Faculty Development Training Programme for the Teaching

Staff in Grant-in-Aid. St. Joseph`s College, Trichy and Jesuit Higher

Education Commission (JHEC) of Madurai Province. -Dindigul 2013-11-19

Other Attributes:

1. **Member** in the DOE Club, Examination Committee, Magazine Committee and

Sadhana Committee (For Women) at Bishop Heber College, Trichy – 17.

2. **Treasurer** for the English Association at Bishop Heber College, Trichy – 17.

3. **Joint Secretary** for the Alumni Association, Department of English, St. Joseph`s

College, Trichy – 2

4. **Vice President** of the English Association at St. Joseph`s College, Trichy – 2

6. **Coordinator** of WOESS Club

5. **President** of the English Association at St. Joseph`s College, Trichy – 2. 2017-18

6. **Coordinator** of the Alumni Association. – 2018-19.

Resource Person:

1. Orientation Programme on Soft Skills at Nehru Memorial College, Putnam

patti 2017-03-13.

2. Orientation Programme - WOESS for MPhil Scholars - St. Joseph`s College, Trichy 2017-02-14.
3. Inter Collegiate Competition -Twenty Fourth Annual Inter Collegiate Oratorical Competitions, Kalai Kaviri College of Fine Arts, Trichy - 1 1 2016-09-22.
4. WOESS Programme on Eco criticism for I PG & MPhil Scholars - St. Joseph`s College 2016-01-18.
5. ELTA MELA on Importance of English at St. Joseph`s College School, Trichy . 2015-01-31
6. Orientation Programme on Ecocriticism at St. Joseph`s College, Trichy . 2015-01-09
7. Campofez - Judge for Poetry Recitation at Campion A.I Higher Secondary School, Trichy. 2014-08-20
8. Orientation Programme on Pragmatic Steps to improve Your English Staff Members of St. Joseph`s College, Trichy. 20-13-10-17
9. Chief Guest for the Inauguration of the English Association (Shift II) at Holy Cross College, Trichy. 11.07.17

UGC Minor Research project (2015 -17) Completed

Magic Realism in the World of Cartoons: Its Imperil Influence in Exploiting a Child's Psyche, Behaviour and Growth - 2 years – Grant Sanctioned Rs. 2,45000 .
