

Report of English Department (2017-18)



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Department Name: English

Session: 2017- 2018

Names of Programmes/Courses offered:

Undergraduate Courses:

- BA (General)
- BA Functional English (Elective)
- BA (Honours)
- BA Elective/ Vocational

Postgraduate Courses:

- MA (English)

Add On Courses:

- Communicative English

Faculty Publications/Awards/ Achievements/ Activities:

Dr. Neha Soi:

- Published a book titled *Identity Politics and the Third World*, Academia Press, London, Washington. ISBN: 978-1680534764.
- Bestowed with Grant-in-Aid Award by the Chandigarh Sahitya Akademi.

Dr. Jasmine Anand:

- Published a paper, 'Bakhtinian Reading of V.S. Naipaul's India: A Million Mutinies Now' in *Bakhtinian Explorations of Indian Culture- Pluralism, Dogma and Dialogue through History*, Springer Nature, Singapore. ISBN: 978-981-10-6312-1.
- Published a paper, 'Ved Mehta's Secular and Poly- Graphic view of Emergency in *The New India*' in *Diviner*. ISSN: 0973-8320.
- Extension lectures delivered as per govt. initiative under the adolescent program and self-defence training to girls students enrolled at secondary level under Rashtriya Madhyamic Shiksha Abhiyan (RAMSA), UT, Chd., at Govt. Senior Secondary School, Maloya on 1st and 7th February on 'Communication Skills, and Development of Self- Esteem'.
- Extension lectures delivered as per govt. initiative under the adolescent program and self-defence training to girls students enrolled at secondary level under Rashtriya Madhyamic Shiksha Abhiyan (RAMSA), UT, Chd., at Govt. Senior Secondary School, Maloya on 2nd and 6th February on 'Communication Skills, and Development of Self- Esteem'.

Dr. Sunaina Jain:

- Contributed two stories, “Her Womb” and “In the Wilderness” in *Vignettes*, Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi. ISBN: 978-93-879-89-31-3.
- Dr. Bindu Sharma
- Published a paper, ‘Re-Structuring Higher Education to Enhance Employability’ in *International Journal of Research in Social Sciences*, Ulrich’s Periodicals Directory, USA and Open j-Gate. Cabell’s Directories of Publishing Opportunities, USA. ISSN: 2249-2496.
- Published a paper, ‘Secondary and Senior Secondary School Education in India: An Assessment and Reforms’ in *International Journal of Research in Social Sciences*, Ulrich’s Periodicals Directory, USA and Open j-Gate. Cabell’s Directories of Publishing Opportunities, USA. ISSN: 2249-2496.
- Published a paper, ‘Matrimony and Motherhood in Arnold Wesker’s *Four Portraits*’, in *International Journal of English Language, Literature and Humanities*. ISSN: 2321-7065.
- Chaired a two days International Seminar on ‘Soul in Symphony: Spiritual and Pragmatic Aspects of Happiness’.
- Chaired a NAAC sponsored Seminar on ‘Catering to the Global Learner: Quality Enhancement in Higher Education’.

Dr. Aparna Sharma:

- Published a paper, ‘Need to Live in Harmony with the Animal Kingdom – Man’s Natural Instinct to be Violent’ in *International Journal of Interdisciplinary Research in Arts & Humanities*. ISSN: 2456-3145.
- Chaired an International Conference on *Research Developments in Arts, Social Science and Humanities*.
- Dr. Komil Tyagi
- Published a paper, ‘In Search of an Identity: Indian English Drama in the Post-Colonial Frame’ in *International Journal of English Language, Literature and Humanities*. ISSN: 2321-7065.

Students Publications/Awards/Achievements/Activities:

None