

# SHYAM LAL COLLEGE (EVE.)

## UNIVERSITY OF DELHI

### Faculty Proforma



Title	DR	First Name	KUSUM	Last Name	DEVI	
Designation		ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR				
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Educational Qualifications						
Degree	Institution			Year		
B. A.	MJP ROHILKHAND UNIVERSITY, BAREILLY			2003		
M. A.	DEPT OF ENGLISH, CCS UNIVERSITY MEERUT			2005		
M. PHIL.	DEPT. OF ENGLISH, CCS UNIVERSITY , MEERUT			2006		
PH. D.	DEPT. OF ENGLISH, CCS UNIVERSITY , MEERUT			2012		
UGC, NET	QUALIFIED UGC NET, DECEMBER 2007			2007		
	QUALIFIED UGC NET (JRF), JUNE 2008			2008		
Career Profile						
Associate Professor at Shyam Lal College (Evening), University of Delhi, since October 2008 till date						
Administrative Assignments						
Current Academic Session:						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Convenor of the Debating Society</li> <li>• Member of the Annual Report Committee</li> <li>• Member of the Seminar Committee</li> <li>• Member of the Student of the Year committee</li> <li>• Member of the Eco-Club committee</li> </ul>						
Last Academic Session:						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Teacher in Charge, Department of English Shyam Lal College (Evening)</li> <li>• Convener of the Debating society of the College.</li> <li>• Member of the College Magazine Committee</li> <li>• Member of the Prospectus Committee</li> </ul>						

- Member of the Seminar Committee
- Member of the Time Table Committee
- Member of the Library Committee
- Member of the Academic Planning Committee
- Coordinator of Department Screening Committee For the scrutiny of applications.

As Teacher In Charge:

- Teacher-in Charge, Department of English, SLCE, for the academic year 2023-24, 2019-20, 2014-15, 2011-12

AS Convener of various committees:

- Convener, Debating Society Of the College for the academic year 2024-25, 2023-24
- Convener, College Magazine Committee for the academic year 2022-23 and 2021-22
- Convener of the College prospectus committee for the academic year 2020-2021, 2019-20, 2018-19
- Convener of the Garden Committee for the academic year 2018-19, 2017-18, 2016-17

Worked as Member in various committees:

- Member of the College Governing Body
- Chairperson College Complaint Cell
- Member of academic planning committee
- Member of time table committee
- Member of College Library Committee
- Member of magazine committee
- Member of debating society
- Member of Prospectus Committee
- The Department Moderation Committee,
- B A Program Admission committee,
- NSS,
- Gandhi Study Circle,
- Financial Assistance & Book Aid Committee.
- NAAC committee,
- SC/ST verification committee.
- Internal Assessment committee.
- Garden Committee.
- Purchase committee
- Skill development committee
- Art Drama and Culture Committee
- Help Desk for admissions
- Observer in various selection committees for ad-hoc/guest faculty

## Areas of Interest / Specialization

British Literature - Romantic Literature and Modern Poetry, American Literature, Indian Writing in English, Postcolonial Writings, Literary Theory and Criticism.

## Subjects Taught

**Presently Teaching: Romantic Literature**

English Fluency

SEC & VAC

**Papers Taught:**

- DSE-Children's Literature BA Prog. 6<sup>th</sup> Semester
- Indian Writing in English BA Prog. 4<sup>th</sup> Semester
- DSE- Detective Literature BA Prog. 5<sup>th</sup> Semester
- Romantic Literature BA Prog 3<sup>rd</sup> Semester

**B A Program (CBCS, LOCF) 2019 Onwards:**

- English Discipline : DSC 1 C: British Literature: Poetry and a Play; Selections from Living Literatures BA Prog. 3<sup>rd</sup> sem.
- DSC 1 D: Literary Crosscurrents: Selections from Living Literatures, a Story and a Novel BA Prog 4<sup>th</sup> semester
- DSE- Detective Literature BA Prog. 5<sup>th</sup> Sem.
- English SEC : Introduction to Creative Writing for Media,
- English SEC-English Language Teaching

**B A Program (CBCS):**

- English Discipline 3<sup>rd</sup> year: DSE: Children's Literature
- English Discipline 2<sup>nd</sup> year : DSC 1 C: British Literature: Selections from Living Literatures, a Novel & a Play
- DSC 1 D: Literary Cross Currents: Selections from Living Literatures, Novella and a Play
- English Discipline: DSC 1 A: The Individual & Society
- Advanced English I /II
- English SEC: Soft Skills
- English SEC: Creative Writing
- English GE : Academic Writing & Composition

**B A (H) English (FYUP) :**

- Literary Theory, Postcolonial Literature, British Romantic Literature, American Literature, Indian Writings in English

**B A Program ( Semester, 2011 onwards ):**

- English Discipline DSC : British Literature: Selections from Living Literatures, a Novel & a Play BA Prog. 3<sup>rd</sup> sem.
- DSC : Literary Cross Currents: Selections from Living Literatures, Novella and a Play BA Prog. 4<sup>th</sup> sem.
- English Discipline: The Individual & Society
- Advanced English I /II
- B. Com Program : English Language
- Business Communication

**B A Program ( Annual ) :**

- English Discipline BA Prog 3<sup>rd</sup> year , Postcolonial Literature ( Living Literatures, Things Fall Apart, Silence

**The Court Is In Session!, Such A Long Journey)**

- **English Discipline 1<sup>st</sup> year : The Individual & Society**
- **Advanced English I /II/III**
- **B. Com. English for the Students of Commerce**
- **English Higher Qualifying**

**Research Guidance**

**Publications Profile**

**Publications**

**Conference Organization/ Presentations**

1. Co –Convener, Two Days International Conference on ‘Hagiography, Humanism and Caste Hierarchy in Bhakti Movement’, 20- 21 October 2016, Organized by Dept of English and Dept of Hindi, Shyam Lal College ( Evening ), University of Delhi
2. Convener, One Day Seminar on ‘Deconstructing Narrative Identities in Indian English Literature’ organized by Department of English, Shyam Lal College (Evening), in collaboration with IQAC, SLCE , 23 August 2019.
3. Co-Convener, Webinar ‘Gender and Neutrality in 21<sup>st</sup> Century’ organized by Department of English, Shyam Lal College (Evening) in collaboration with IQAC, SLCE, on 28 August 2021.
4. Presented a paper ‘Idea of Equality and Social Liberation in Bhakti Movement: A Critique’ in Two Days International Conference on ‘Hagiography, Humanism and Caste Hierarchy in Bhakti Movement’20-21 October,2016, jointly organized by Department of English & Department of Hindi, Shyam Lal College (Evening), University of Delhi held at National Museum Auditorium, New Delhi.
5. Presented a paper ‘Dr. B.R. Ambedkar An Apostle of Social Justice’ in international seminar ‘Relevance of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar’s Thought in Contemporary India’ jointly organized by Department of Political Science, Shyam Lal College (Evening) & Department of Buddhist Studies, Faculty of Delhi , University of Delhi.
6. Presented a paper ‘Portrayal of Women in Daily Soaps’ in one day seminar on ‘Societal Gender Norms and Individual Practices’, organized by The Department of English Shyam Lal College (Evening) in collaboration with IQAC, SLCE on 16<sup>th</sup> August 2017.

7. Delivered Inaugural Lecture on International Women's Day, 8<sup>th</sup> March 2018 organized by The Department of English, SLCE.
8. Presented a Paper on 'Kiran Desai's Inheritance of Loss- A Narrative of Isolation and Otherness' organized by Department of English, Shyam Lal College (Evening) in collaboration with IQAC, SLCE, on 23 August 2019.
9. Presented a paper titled " Local Languages- Various Perspectives and Challenges in the Era of Globalization" in the XXIV International Conference organized by DDUC in Collaboration with SLCE and others, 7- 8 January 2023.
10. Organized students' seminar on the topic 'Rising Water Crisis in the World : Reasons and Sustainable Solutions' on 18<sup>th</sup> April 2024 in the college seminar hall under the banner of the College Debating Society.

#### Research Projects (Major Grants/Research Collaboration)

#### Awards and Distinctions

#### Association With Professional Bodies

#### Other Activities

1. **Participated in ICT Workshop for Capacity Building of University of Delhi Faculty from January 11<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2010 organized by ILL, University of Delhi.**
2. **Participated in the Orientation Programme – OR 66 from March 3, 2011 to March 30 ,2011, organized by UGC –ASC, CPDHE, University of Delhi.**
3. **Participated in 11<sup>th</sup> three week Refresher Course in English from 9<sup>th</sup> August to 3<sup>rd</sup> September, 2011 organized by UGC-ASC, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.**
4. **Participated in Workshop on Foundation Course- LLC-II ENGLISH from June 10 to June 12, 2013 organized by UGC- ASC, CPDHE, University of Delhi.**
5. **Participated in One Week Workshop on "Skill Development for Career Enhancement" from 7<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> April , organized by Skill Development Committee, Shyam Lal College (Evening), University of Delhi.**
6. **Participated in the 03<sup>rd</sup> three week Refresher Course in Language ( English, Hindi, Urdu)**

organized by UGC- HRDC, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi from 19<sup>th</sup> July to 08 August 2018.

7. Participated in two weeks Faculty Development Programme on ‘Bhash, Sahitya, Media aur Paryavaran’ from 10/12/2018 to 23/12/2018 organized by Mahatma Hansraj Faculty Development Centre, Hansraj College , University of Delhi & Faculty of Arts , University of Delhi.
8. Participated in 14 Days Interdisciplinary National Faculty Development Programme on “Samkalin Sandarbh mai Sahitya, Rajniti, Media aur Bazar” from July 27 to August 10, 2020, organized by TLC, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi & IQAC, Kalindi College, University of Delhi.
9. Completed One week (online) Faculty Development Programme on “E-content Generation and Managing Online Teaching” ( 11<sup>th</sup> December- 17<sup>th</sup> December, 2020) organized by Sri Aurobindo College (E), University of Delhi in collaboration with Mahatma Hansraj Faculty Development Centre, Hansraj College , University of Delhi.
10. Completed Two Week Online Interdisciplinary Refresher Course on “CINEMA, SOCIETY & EDUCATION” from 06<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> April, 2021, organized by IQAC, Atma Ram Sanatan Dharma College, University of Delhi in collaboration with TLC Ramanujan College , University of Delhi.
11. Participated in various National and International seminars and conferences organized by Shyam Lal College (Evening), University of Delhi since 2009.

Kusum Devi

Signature of Faculty Member