

## **Charu Ahluwalia**

Asst. Professor, Department of English.

Years of experience - 17 years of college teaching experience in Govt colleges of Himachal Pradesh  
And 2 years of teaching experience at Dr.YS Parmar University Naini, Solan(HP)

Education - Graduation from St. Bede's Shimla, MA English from Panjab University Chandigarh, PhD from Shoolini University Solan (HP)

Qualification - MA, SET, Ph.D

## **PERSONAL ACHIEVEMENTS**

### **Publications:**

- 1)Published a book chapter titled Demystifying mythology: Deconstructing the Indian Myth through Modern Mythic Fiction in Scopus indexed book named Deconstructing culture and communication in the Global South by IGI Publishers in June 2023.
- 2) Published a paper titled Neo-Avatar of Sita in Mythic Fiction: Asserverating Feminist Nationalism in Amish Tripathi's Sita Warrior of Mithila in Literary Voice, a peer reviewed UGC care group II journal no.21, vol1 September 2023 edition.
- 3) Published a paper titled Harkening to the silence in myth through mythic fiction: Voicing Ahalya and Renuka in Volga's Liberation of Sita in Daath Voyage an international double blind peer reviewed journal in March 2023 (vol 8 no.1) issue.

**4) Published a research paper titled " Ecofeminism in MythicFiction: Envisaging Sita as Nature's Child in The Forest of Enchantments "** in May 2023( vol 9, no.5) in International Education and Research Journal which is an International peer-reviewed refereed journal.

5) Published a paper titled Sita's Subaltern Sisters: Denouncing Bigotry in Ramayan through Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni's The Forest of Enchantments in an edited book Gender Bias: Misconception and Solution.

6)Published a research paper titled " Envisioning an Ecofeminist Sita through Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni's The Forest of Enchantments" in an edited book titled Emerging Trends and Challenges in English Literature, Art and Culture by Department of English, Guru Teg Bahadur Khalsa College, Anadpur Sahib,Panjab in December 2022.

7)Published a research paper in MEJO Journal, a double-blind peer-refereed journal, titled "The Paroxysm of Pandemics:Human Mutation from Dysphoria to Euphoria" in February, 2022.

8) Published a research paper titled " Untangling Sita: Voicing the Voiceless through Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni's The Forest of Enchantments " in an edited book published by Centre for Women's Study and Development, Himachal Pradesh University in 2021.

9) Published an article titled "A Fence that doesn't close in" in The Tribune dated 13th January, 2021.

10) Published an article titled "Leaving a gift behind" in The Tribune on 16th October, 2021.

11) Published a paper titled "Human values through the Eyes of Literature" in an edited book titled "□□□□ □□□□ □□ □□□□□□□ □□□□□□ "in 2018.

12) Published a paper titled "Tourism and Literature" in an edited book titled "□□□□□□ □□ □□□□□□ □□□□□□ " in 2017.

**Orientation/ Refresher/ Induction courses:**

1. Attended a 14 day Refresher course on Research Methodology and Data Analytics organised by UGC MMTC University of Hyderabad from 1st July 2024 to 13th July 2024.

1) Completed a national one week faculty development program organised by Gokul global University Gujarat on "Contemporary Mythic Theory and Archetypes" from 5th to 12th May 2024.

2) Completed a national one week faculty development program organised by Guru Teg Bahadur Khalsa College Anadpur Sahib Panjab on "Critical Thinking: Strategies for Problem Solving" from 15th to 21st April 2024.

3) Completed two week Refresher course in English from 18th to 2nd July 2023 organised by Teaching Learning Center and Department of English, Ramanujan College, Delhi university.

4) Attended a one week Faculty Development Program on "Contemporary Trends in English Language and Literature" organised by Guru Teg Bahadur Khalsa College anadpur sahib Panjab from 10th Jan to 16th Jan 2023.

5) Participated in a Five-day National Research Methodology Workshop organised by Chitrakoot School of Liberal Arts, Shoolini University from 7th February to 11th February, 2022.

6) Completed an online Two - Week Interdisciplinary Refresher Course on "Research Methodology" from 20 July - 03 August, 2021 organised by Teaching Learning center, Ramanujan College, Delhi university.

7) Attended a one week online inservice teachers training program with effect from 15th March to 28th March 2021 organised by Government College of Teacher Education, Dharamshala.

8) Attended a one week in service training program organised by Govt College of Teacher Education, Dharamshala in August 2018.

9) Attended a 14 day Refresher course on "India Studies" organised by UGC HRDC Panjab University Chandigarh in October 2018.

10) Attended a 4 week 116th Orientation program organised by UGC HRDC Panjab University in 2017.

11) Attended a 14 day Induction Program at SCERT Solan in 2012.

**Seminars/ Conferences/ Paper presented:**

1) Attended National Level Online Lecture Series-1 on Relevance of Gandhi in the 21st Century held on 2nd October 2024, organised by Department of Political Science Govt. Degree College Panarsa, Mandi (H.P.). The lecture was delivered by Prof. Swaran Singh, JNU

1) Attended a webinar on " NAAC related quality enhancement techniques" organised by Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Khalsa College, Anandpur Sahib, Punjab on 30th August 2022.

2) Participated and presented a paper in the Second International Conference on "Memory and Past in South Asia" organized by the South Asia Research Center, Soka University Japan from 26th to 27th November 2021. Title of the paper was "From Past to Present: Untangling Sita through Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni's The Forest of Enchantments".

3) Participated and presented paper in the 21st MELOW International Conference on "Illness, Healing and the Literary Imagination" held in Shoolini University, Solan, on 12-14 November 2021. Title of the paper was "The Paroxysm of Pandemics: Human Mutation from Dysphoria to Euphoria".

4) Participated and presented paper in an International virtual conference organised by Sri Teg Bahadur Khalsa College, Anandpur Sahib, Punjab, on 22th April 2022 . Title of the paper was "Silhouette of Ecofeminism around Sita: Envisioning a Feminist Sita in Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni's The Forest of Enchantments".

5) Participated in one day seminar on Women and Gender Studies organised by Belletristic, Shoolini University on 21st January, 2022.

6) Attended an online National seminar on 'Transition from School to Higher Education in the context of National Education Policy 2020 through online mode from 21st to 22nd September 2020 which was organised by CALEM Panjab University ,Chandigarh ,under the aegis of MHRD, Government of India in collaboration with IIIT and Vocational Education and SWAYAM cell of Panjab University, Chandigarh.

7) Participated in a one day online webinar on 'Role of English Language and Literature after NEP 2020 organised by Grand Academic Portal and ELTAI Shimla on 17th August 2020.

8) Participated in a one day online webinar on 'Gender Equality and Women's Rights in view of ongoing COVID -19' organised by Centre for Women's Studies and Development ,Himachal Pradesh University on 14th July, 2020.

9) Participated and presented paper in a two day National conference on Globalization and Tribal Society organised by JLN Govt. College Haripur, in April 2019.

10) Attended a two day International seminar on "     " organised by Rupi-Siraj Kala Manch in March 2018 and also presented a paper.

11) Attended a two day national seminar on "    " organised by Rupi-Siraj Kala Manch in February 2017 and also presented a paper titled "Tourism and Literature".