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Nationality : Indian

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# EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts (English Honours)

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Berhampur University, Odisha

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Master of Arts in English

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<u>Director, School of Foreign Languages</u>, Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi, from 1<sup>st</sup> May 2019 – 30<sup>th</sup> June 2021

<u>Professor of English</u>, School of Humanities, Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi, from 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2012 till date.

<u>Associate Professor, Faculty of English,</u> School of Humanities, Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi, from 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2009 to 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2012.

Reader, Faculty of English, School of Humanities, Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi, from 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2006 to 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2009.

<u>Associate Professor</u>, IACR (Degree Engineering College) Rayagada, Odisha from 1<sup>st</sup> September 2005 to 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2006.

Reader, IACR (Degree Engineering College) Rayagada, Odisha from 1<sup>st</sup> November 2002 to 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2005.

<u>Senior Lecturer in English</u>, IACR (Degree Engineering College) Rayagada, Odisha from 1<sup>st</sup> November 2001 to 31<sup>st</sup> October, 2002.

<u>Lecturer in English</u>, D.A.V. College, Titilagarh, Odisha from 4<sup>th</sup> July, 2000 to 31<sup>st</sup> October, 2001.

<u>Lecturer in English</u>, Kalinga Mahavidyalaya, G.Udayagiri, Odisha from 7th April, 1995 to 2nd July, 2000.

#### AWARDS

1.	Awarded by The Last Goodbye, Maryland, U.S.A.	-1998
2.	Gold Medallist in English Literature (B.A. English)	-1992
3.	Gold Medallist in English Literature (M.A. English)	<b>– 1994</b>
4.	Dorothy Deerings Prize, Berhampur University, Odisha	1994
5.	First in All India Poetry Contest, arranged by <i>The Quest</i> -	1994
6.	Shiksha Rattan Purashkar by IIFS for outstanding contribution	to Higher Education
	in India	October 2011
7.	Bouddha Creative Writers' Award from Konark Festival, Odish	a6 May, 2012
8.	Poiesis Award of Honour(International), by Poiesis Online; in	the 6 <sup>th</sup> National Poets
	Meet, Gujarat.	9 <sup>th</sup> May 2019.
9. Gold Medallist for Contributions to English Studies (in IGNOU Convocation –		
	2019) (Awarded by the Hon'ble Vice-President of India)	
10	. Michael Madhusudan Academy Award, 2023.	25 <sup>th</sup> Jan 2024.
11	. Lifetime Achievement Award, SAFE India	November 2024
12	. Tagore Samman-2025 by Muktadhara, Oxford Book Store.	-April 2025
13	Award and Fellowship by International Academy of Ethics.	-June 2025

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- 2. The Other Voice, A Collection of Poems, Authors Press, New Delhi, 2004.

- 3. *The Silence*, A Collection of Poems, Authors Press, New Delhi, 2005.
- 4. *Post Modernist Delegations in English Language Teaching: The Quixotic Deluge*, (Ed: Dr Nandini Sahu)Authors Press, New Delhi, 2005.
- 5. *The Post Colonial Space: Writing the Self and The Nation*, (Ed: Dr Nandini Sahu) Atlantic Publishers and Distributors Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi, 2007
- 6. Silver Poems on My Lips, A Collection of Poems, Authors Press, New Delhi, 2009.
- 7. Folklore and the Alternative Modernities (Vol. I), Authorspress, New Delhi, 2012.
- 8. Folklore and the Alternative Modernities (Vol. II), Authorspress, New Delhi, 2012
- Sukamaa and Other Poems, A Collection of Poems, The Poetry Society of India, New Delhi, 2013
- 10. *Suvarnarekha:* An Anthology of Indian Women Poets Writing in English, The Poetry Society of India, New Delhi,2014
- 11. Sita(A Poem), A Collection of Poems, The Poetry Society of India, New Delhi, 2014
- 12. Dynamics of Children's Literature, Shubhi Publications, Gurgaon, 2017
- 13. Zero Point, A Collection of Poems, Authors Press, New Delhi, 2018
- 14. Selected Poems of Nandini Sahu(Winter 2020, Vol-1), Signorina Publications, New Delhi, 2020
- 15. Selected Poems of Nandini Sahu(Spring 2021, Vol-2), Signorina Publications, New Delhi, 2021
- 16. *Re-Reading Jayanta Mahapatra*. Black Eagle Publications, Dublin, USA. 2022(Amazon's Bestseller 2022)
- 17. *A Song, Half and Half (Love Poems of Nandini Sahu)*. Black Eagle Publications, Dublin, USA, 2022(Amazon's Bestseller 2022)
- 18. Shedding the Metaphors (A Collection of Short Stories by Nandini Sahu). Black Eagle Publications, Dublin, USA, 2023
- 19. Collected Poems of Nandini Sahu, A Collection of Poems, Authors Press, New Delhi, 2023
- 20. *Collected Poems of Niranjan Mohanty (Ed.Nandini Sahu)*, A Collection of Poems, Authors Press, New Delhi, 2023
- 21. Hindu Studies: Foundations and Frameworks. Authors Press, New Delhi, 2024
- 22. Sita (A Long Narrative Poem). Authorspress, New Delhi, 2025.
- 23. Medusa (A Collection of Poems). Black Eagle Publications, USA. 2025

# TRANSLATED BOOKS AND ARTICLES:

- 1. Sita(Mahakavya) by Nandini Sahu(translated to Hindi by D K Mali); Pandulipi Publications, New Delhi, 2020
  - Vishalakaya, (Nandini Sahu's poetry in Telugu)November 2020, Andhra Pradesh.
     Ten poems translated to Telugu by Prof.Rama Rao Yeleppu.
  - 3. Special Issue of Sahitya Kunj; in Hindi. August 2020
  - 4. *Nandini Sahu ki Chuninda Kahaniyan*, (translated to Hindi by D K Mali). Pralekh Publications, Mumbai, 2023.
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  - 6. Translation of *Medusa* to Bengali. Translated by Dr.Soumita Mitra Das.(under publication)

# OTHER EDITED/COMPILED BOOKS:

#### 1. Classical Tales

Ed. J.A.Hamarton, An Introduction by Nandini Sahu Authorspress, New Delhi, 2005.

# 2. Selected English Tales

Ed. J.A.Hamarton, An Introduction by Nandini Sahu Authorspress, New Delhi, 2005.

- 3. *Synthesis:* The International Duet Poetry Anthology Ed: Nandini Sahu and Gopakumar Radhakrishnan; www.poesyonline.com; 2014
- 4. Soul Spaces. Co-edited. Authorspress, New Delhi, 2023.

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- 26. Forgotten Folktales from India, Black Eagle Publications, Dublin, USA, 2025

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- 8. "The Academics of Teaching-Literary Theory and Practice", <u>Creative Writing and Criticism</u>, Vol 2, No 1, October 2004.
- 9. "The Wild Urge of a Man on Earth to Touch the Heaven---The Extra-Literary Vision of Mulk Raj Anand", <u>Asian Quarterly</u>, June- July 2005.
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- 58. "Sukumar Ray—The Pioneer and Innovator of Children's Literature". Creative Sparks of Innovation, NCIDE,IGNOU, Eds. C K Ghosh and S Santosh, 2014.
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- 60. "To Touch the Land and Her People: the Native American Women's Writings". The Atlantic Review of Feminist Studies; Vol-2, No-2, April-June 2014
- 61. "Love as a Kernel of Artistic Imagination: A Study of the Shakespearean Sonnets". Shakespeare: a Reappraisal; Ed. S Sinha and C Rozzonelle; Atlantic, 2015.
- 62. "Reading Myth as an Epistolary Novel: Pratibha Ray's Jagnaseni." Kafla Intercontinental, Summer 2015, Vol XXII, Number 1 and 2.
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- 2. The Juvenile Love Letter, The Criterion, Fefruary, 2013(e-journal)
- 3. 'Shadow of a Shadow', *Utkarsha*, Vol-58, December 2016, Toronto.
- 4. 'Echoing in a Lullaby'. *The Teacher I will Never Forget*. The Impish Lass Publishing House, Mumbai 2019.
- 5. 'A Very Different Story'. Volume 1, Issue 2, October, Creative Flight, 2020.
- 6. 'The Qurentine' and 'Post Quarantine'. Corona: *Kitna Athah, Kitna Apaar*. Little Bird Publications, Classic Printers, New Delhi. 2021
- 7. 'A Very Different Story'. Das-Literarisch, Volume 2, Issue 3, July-December 2020.
- 8. 'Being God's Wife'. Redolent Rush: Contemporary Indian Short Fiction in English Translation. Hawakal Publishers, 2023.
- 9. 'Shadow of a Shadow' in the Dreaming Machine, Italy, 2<sup>nd</sup> May 23.
- 10. 'Octopus'. Goonj, 26<sup>th</sup> September 2023.
- 11. 'Alternative Masculinity'. Prachya Review, Bangladesh, 15th October 2023.
- 12. 'Shadow of a Shadow'. Das Literarisch. 27th October 2023.
- 13. 'That Elusive Orgasm'. *The Dreaming Machine*, Italy, 4<sup>th</sup> December 2023.
- 14. 'Octopus'. The dreaming Machine. 13<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023
- 15. 'A Very Different Story'. The dreaming Machine. 3<sup>rd</sup> January 24.
- 16. 'Some Loves'. Das Literarisch. October 2024.
- 17. An Alternative Masculinity in FemAsia Magazine on 24<sup>th</sup> November 2024.
- 18. Stories in Narrow Road Mag, USA. 5th April 2025.

# **PEER REVIEWER:**

- 1. Shodh Kosh: Journal of Visual and Performing Arts
- 2. PGDAV College, University of Delhi
- 3. PG Department of English, University of Delhi
- 4. JDMC, Department of English, University of Delhi
- 5. Advisor, Drishti: the Sight. UGC CARE Listed Journal.
- Chief Editor/Founder Editor, Interdisciplinary Journal for Literature and Language (IJLL), ISSN 2278 – 9170, Bi-annual, refereed journal, commenced with June-Dec 2012. (UGC Approved: Serial no. 22789170)
- **7. Chief Editor/Founder Editor, Panorama Literaria,** ISSN 2349 0705, Bi-annual, refereed journal, commenced with Jan-June 2014
- 8. Member, Board of Advisory Editors ,Journal of Indian Folkloristics (JIF) , 2012

- 9. **Member,** Board of Advisory Editors ,Interactions Forum, Pune <a href="http://interactionsforum.com/advisory-board">http://interactionsforum.com/advisory-board</a>
- 10. **Member,** International Advisory Board, Dattani Archive and Research Association, New Delhi, VIEW(Voice of Indian English Writers), 2012.
- 11. Member, Editorial Board, e-journal, www.pintersociety.com
- 12. Guest Editor, SETU online magazine, USA, Special Issue on Folklore, January 2020
- 13. Member, Board of Advisory Editors, Srujan, United Kingdom
- 14. Member, Board of Advisory Editors, Creative Saplings, India
- 15. **Chief Patron**, Hindi University Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies(HUJIS), A Peer-Reviewed, Bi-Annual, Bi-Lingual Journal from HU, West Bengal, launched on 4<sup>th</sup> March 2025.
- 16. **Member**, Advisory Board, YATI: The Journal of Interdisciplinary Thought and Initiatives17.

# **POETRY IN BOOKS AND ANTHOLOGIES**

- About 400 poems published in books/journals in India (from 1995 till date) (in <u>Indian Literature</u> from Sahitya Akademi, <u>The Quest, New Quest, Kavya Bharati, Scoria, Poetcrit, etc.</u>) and in journals from the USA, UK and Pakistan.
  - o Sabata Basanta; Adhunika, Odia bi-annual journal, Spring, 2011
  - o Odisha Landscape, Transfire, a literary Quarterly for Translation, Oct-Dec 2011
  - o Haiku by Nandini Sahu, Indian Book Chronicle, Jaipur, December 2011
  - o Sabda, Katha Katha, Kavita Kavita, Odisha, December 2011
  - o Smritira Nirvana, Dhvani-Pratidhvani, 25<sup>th</sup> March 2012
  - o Bridge-in-Making, Syndic Literary Journal, California, No.6, April, 2012.
  - o Two poems, Rock Pebbles, January 2012
  - o Freedom, Indian Book Chronicle, 37:4, April 2012
  - o Chahala Samaya, Nabaneeta, April-June, 2012
  - o Postcolonial Text, Vol 7, No 4 (2012)
  - http://syndicjournal.us/syndic-no-8/poem-by-nandini-sahu/
  - http://www.theperegrinemuse.com/PoetsInternational/nandini-sahu/(Poets International,1st January 2013)
  - o Three poems in Kavya Bharati, No. 24, 2012
  - o Odishan Landscape; eFiction India, April 2013
  - o Living Amid the Ruins and the Rains, Syndic-9, June 2013
  - o Can I Start Living Now? Lovelets, June 2013.
  - o Living amid the Ruins and the Rains, Postcolonial Text, Vol 7, No 4 (2012)
  - o *Hand in Hand, Lines to My Son;* The Dance of the Peacock: An Anthology of English Poetry from India , Hidden Brook Press, Canada; 2013.
  - o Living Amid the Ruins and the Rains, in Kavya Bharati, No. 25, 2013
  - o A Love Letter to My Grey Eyed Love; The Heart Only Whispers, Edited Book, 2014
  - o Five poems; *The Land: Poems from Australia and India;* Eds.J Sarangi and Rob Harle, cyberwit.net; 2015
  - o Five poems, *International Journal of Multicultural Literature*, Vol-6, No-2, July 2016.

- o Two poems, *The Enchanting Verses Literary Review*, Issue XXII, Number 2015, November 2015.
- Two poems, *Indian Poetry Through the Passage of Time*, Ed. M.Ghosh, Authorspress, 2016
- o 'Grant Me Your Flute', *The Journal of the Poetry Society*(India), Vol.27, 2016
- 'Vagina Song, the Song of Liberty', All the Worlds Between, A CollaborativePoetry Project Between India and Ireland, Yoda Press, New Delhi, 2017
- o One poem, Jodhpur Studies in English. Vol. XVI, 2018.
- o 'These days I Do Only What the Heart Says'. The Journal of the Poetry Society(India). Vol.28, 2017.
- o Ten Poems, Indian Literature, Nov-Dec 2018
- o Five poems, Poetcrit, Maranda, January 2020
- o https://www.erothanatos.com/v4i2n33
  - (Volume 4 Issue 2, June 2020
- Special Issue for Indian Poetry)
- o 'Draupadi'. Volume 1, Issue 2, October, Creative Flight, 2020.
- o Two poems in "Life in Quarantine's Literary Section", Stanford University, USA. *Life in Quarantine-Witnessing Global Pandemic*. November 2020
- http://liqproject.org/nandini-sahu/
- o 'Audible Silences'. Eternity, December 2020
- o 'Letter to My Unborn Daughter'. *The Kali Project*. Indi Blue Publishing. Havertown, Pennsylvania, USA, 2021.
- o Five poems. *Teesta Review*. January 2021.
- o Poems in *Still We Sing*. Ed.Sarita Jenamani.Dhauli Books, 2021. (translated to German)
- o Four Poems in *Air, Water, Earth, Fire*. Ed. Roopali Sirkar Gaur and Anita Nahal. Authotpress, 2021.
- Two poems, *Through the Looking Glass*, Ed. K M Austin, Candice L Daquin, J W Leys, C E Ray, M Weber. Indi Blue Publishing, Texas, 2021.
- o One poem in *Life and Legends*, USA, in June 2021
- o One poem in Contemporary Vibes, July-September 2021
- o Two poems in *Setu*, USA, July 2021.
- "Song of Liberty" in Hermeneutics of the Body. Ed.D Randhawa, Khalsa College, Patiala, 2021.
- o Three Poems in *Resplendent Rainbow*. Authorspress, September 2021.
- "The Sea of Pedigrees". Contemporary Vibes, Vol 17, Issue 65, Oct-Dec 2021.
- o Two poems in *Musings on Pandemic*. Authorspress, 2021.
- One poem("Bridge-in-Making") in *Different Truths*. January 2022
- Two poems in *Pixie Dust and All Things Magical*. Ed. Anita Nahal. Authorspress, January 2022
- o Two more poems("Bridge-in-Making") in Different Truths. January 2022
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- https://www.differenttruths.com/.../growing-up-amid-the.../
- o "Revisit: What's New What's Old". Setu, January 2022.
- o Poem in FemAsia Magazine. January 2022.
- o 'Sita' & 'Mother'. *Durga, the Invincible*. Authorspress, 2022.
- o "Who says Death is the Only Truth?" *Eternity*, March 2022.
- o "From Dust to Dust". Poetcrit, Vol 35, No 2, July-Dec 2022
- o "Translated Poem". Vol 35, No 2, July-Dec 2022
- PASHYANTEE, a bilingual online journal:
   <a href="https://www.pashyantee.com/.../letter-to-my-unborn...">https://www.pashyantee.com/.../letter-to-my-unborn...</a>

- o "I promise a Sonnet to the Sea". *Contemporary Vibes*, July-Sept 2022.
- o Three poems in Duniyan Indino, 24<sup>th</sup> August 2022.
- o Mythical poems in *Tapestry of Women in Indian Mythology*. Ed.M.Mohan and Foreword by Devdutt Pattanaik.
- o "Epilogue". Chandrabhaga-19, September 2022. Ed.Jayanta Mahapatra.
- o Poems. Vibrant Voices: An Anthology of 21st Century Indian Women Poets. Sahitya Akademi, 2022.
- o Two poems. Kavya Bharati, SCILET, Madurai, No.34, 2022.
- o "The Unending Road", Contemporary Vibes, Vol 18, issue 17, January 23.
- o "The Subliminal". Firth: A Consortium of Indian Poets, 2023.
- o 'Sisterhood'. Contemporary Vives, April-June 2023
- "Half of Her Lovers are Half the World Away", Women's Poetry special issue of SETU, April 23
- o "The River", Creative Saplings, 2<sup>nd</sup> May 23.
- o "Sisterhood", Creative Saplings, 1st April 23.
- o Poems in Setu (Special Issue on Women's Poetry), 9<sup>th</sup> April, 23.
- Nandini Sahu translated(10 poems) to Telugu by Y M Rama Rao, Ade Neeru, 14<sup>th</sup> June 23.
- "Sisterhood" and "Letter to My Unborn Daughter". Das Literararisch. 27<sup>th</sup> October 2023.
- "Freedom" and "Delhi, 10 am, Winter" in Setu, November 2023.
- "As the Going Gets Tough". Confluence, UK. December 23.
- "Ahalya's Waiting". FemAsia, 2023.
- "Relationship with the Self". Different Truths. 12<sup>th</sup> Feb 24.
- "Letter to My Unborn Daughter". Kavya Bharati, No.35, 2023.
- "The Comet". Poetcrit, Vol 37, No 1. Jan-June 2024.
- "Growing Up Amid the Ruins and the Rains". Celebrating Time Travel. Ed.A Khatua and M Ghosh. Authorspress 2024.
- Four poems in The Riverine Muse, Vol.1, Issue 1, Jan-2024.
- Three poems in Literary Yard on 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2024.
- Three poems in Kabita Live on 13<sup>th</sup> February 2025.
- Three poems in The Penguin Book of Poems, 2025.

# <u>LECTURES IN NATIONAL</u> & INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES/SEMINARS:

# **National:**

- 1) "Kaleidoscope of the Indian Society-The Voice of Indo-Anglican Women Poets", presented in the U.G.C. State Level seminar, Bhabanipatna, 1998, Odisha.
- 2) "Love Poems: The Historic Alternative Poems of Sylvia Plath and Kamala Das", presented in IACIS, 1998, Hyderabad.
- 3) "Shakespearean Heroines: The Source of Energy and Vitality", presented in the U.G.C. National seminar in Sambalpur University, 1999, Odisha
- 4) "Rethinking Modernity, Rereading T. S. Eliot", presented in the International Conference of the Forum of Contemporary Thought in Jaipur, 2000, Rajasthan.
- 5) "Academics of Teaching: Literary Theory and Practice", presented in National seminar on English Language Teaching in IACR, Odisha on 26-27<sup>th</sup> March, 2005.

- 6) "Role of Literature in Abolishing International Terrorism", presented in the UGC Sponsored National Level Seminar on International Terrorism: A Threat to World Peace at DAV College, Titlagarh, Odisha, 2005.
- 7) The Folk Culture of Odisha: The Religiosity and the Historicity; Presented in the National Seminar in the Department of English, Delhi University, New Delhi in Sep. 2007.
- 8) The Position of Women in Oriya Literature; Chief Speaker in the Seminar on Regional Languages at Surya Sansthan, Noida, New Delhi in Sep. 2007
- 9) Capacity Building through Communicative Skills in Open Distance Learning; Presented in Education Summit 2007, IMM & IGNOU, Keynote Paper, 13<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2007.
- 10) *Print Media and the Role of Academia in ODL*, presented in 9<sup>th</sup> National Convention of Publishers, New Delhi on 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2008.
- 11) Double Colonization for the Marginalized Children: A Literary Delineation, presented in International Conference on Issues in Public Policy and Sustainable, Development in IGNOU, New Delhi, India on February 26-28, 2008.
- 12) Two Dispossessed Habitats: A Study of Jhumpa Lahiri's Interpreter of Maladies and The Namesake; presented in the International Seminar on Diasporic Writing: The Dynamics of Be/Longing in IGNOU, New Delhi, India on 21-22<sup>nd</sup> February 2008.
- 13.) Globalization and Cross-cultural Communication: The Role of Liberal Education, Keynote Speaker in National Seminar in Guru Nanak Dev Engineering College, Ludhiana, Punjab on 20<sup>th</sup> March 2009.
- 14) The Art and Science of Writing Children's Literature; Keynote speaker in the National Seminar at National Book Trust(NBT), New Delhi on 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2009.
- 15) *Indian Poetry in English: Recent Trends*, speaker at General Overseas Service of External Services Division, All India Radio, New Delhi on 8<sup>th</sup> October, 2009
- 16) Winds of Change: The Voice of Judith Wright and Kamala Das, presented in the fifth International Conference on Australia and India: Negotiating Change, January 18-21, 2010, Goa University, Goa.
- 17) Keynote Speaker : *Translation as Power*, National Seminar by the UGC and Sahitya Akademi at University of Delhi (Rajdhani College) on 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2010.
- 18.) Keynote address on the Inaugural Function of one day Seminar cum exhibition on 'The Gaddis of Jammu' organised by Centre for Studies in Museology& Sheikh Noor-ud-Din Noorani Museum of Heritage in collaboration with Dept of Tourism and Culture, Govt of Jammu an Kashmir, University of Jammu, on the occasion of 'International Museum Day' (18th May, 2010).
- 19.)Presented a paper on Gopinath Mohanty's 'Paraja': A Study of the Folk Culture of Odisha in National Seminar on Traditions of Folk in Literature organised by SOH,IGNOU on 31st August 2010
- 20.) Poetry Recitation in Indian Society of Authors, New Delhi, on 12 November, 2010
- 21.) Keynote Speaker in the International Conference on "Role of Translation in Nation Building, Nationalism and Supra-nationalism",16-19 December, 2010 at Istituto Cervantes (Spanish Cultural Center), New Delhi, on *Translation: to Bring Home the Culture*.
- 22.) Poetry recitation in Third Annual Poetry Reading Festival of NISHABD, on 26<sup>th</sup> February 2011 at Lok Kala Manch, 20 Lodhi Institutional Area, New Delhi.
- 23.) Speaker, National Seminar on International Women's Day celebrations at Convention Centre,
  - IGNOU, 8th March 2011on The Voice of the Indian English Feminist Writers.
- 24) Depiction of Caste and its Politics in Modern Indian English Literature: A Study of Mulk Raj Anand's 'Untouchable' and 'Coolie' in National Seminar on Caste, Democratic

Politics and Nation Building: Historical and Contemporary India on 10-11<sup>th</sup> , 2011,organised by SOITS,IGNOU

- 25) In Conversation with Manoj Das on *Folk in Modern Literature*; EMPC Studio (recording) at 5.00pm on 9<sup>th</sup> May 2011
- 26.) Invited Speaker in Seminar on Multiple Dimensions of Tagore in SOH,IGNOU, on 10<sup>th</sup> May 2011; topic: *The Poetry of Rabindranath Tagore*.
- 27) *Children's Literature and Education*; presented in the Seminar on Book Publishing I Book Fair at Pragati Maidan on 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2011
- 28.) Children's Literature: Text and the Context; International Seminar on The Politics of Children's Literature; Revenshaw University, Cuttack, Odisha; 10<sup>th</sup> January 2012.
- 29) Session Chair and Speaker, *Perspectives on Children's Literature*; International Seminar on *The Politics of Children's Literature*; Revenshaw University, Cuttack, Odisha; 10<sup>th</sup> January 2012
- 30) Poetry Recitation at Nishabd, 2012. 25th February, Lok Kala Manch. (5.30 pm)
- 31) Invited Speaker, Book Release at Pragati Maidan, Folklore and the Alternative Modernities, 25<sup>th</sup> February, 2012. (2 pm)
- 32) Invited Speaker at 20<sup>th</sup> International New Delhi World Book Fair, *All About Book Publishing*; 'Interaction between authors and publishers of children books' on Ist March, 2012
- 33.) Keynote Address, 'Gay Subcultures and Literatures' seminar in IIAS, Shimla on 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 2012. (*Lesbianism and Feminist Literary Criticism: Writing a Lesbian Story*)
- 34) Session Chair and Speaker at the 'Gay Subcultures and Literatures' seminar in IIAS, Shimla n 3<sup>rd</sup> April, 2012.
- 35.) Invited Speaker, All India Radio, 100 Years of Indian Poetry: An Overview;, 4<sup>th</sup> December 2012.
- 36) Keynote Speaker, UGC National Conference, on "Voices of Dissent on Marginalized Literature";11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2013 at Dr. Ambedkar College, Deeksha Bhoomi, Nagpur.
- 37) Resource Person, Workshop on Creativity and Innovations in Self Instructional Material—Print by NCIDE,IGNOU; spoke on the topic: *Innovation in Liberal Art:* an Approach through ODL; 22<sup>nd</sup> January 3013.
- 38) Keynote Address, DEC Sponsored Workshop on *Building Bridges : Teaching English Literature Through ODL*, organised by School of Humanities and Social Sciences, Netaji Subhas Open University, 12-13<sup>th</sup> Feb 2013.
- 39) Session Chair and Speaker on *Syllabus Review, Training on SLM Writing*, DEC Sponsored Workshop on *Building Bridges: Teaching English Literature Through ODL*, organised by School of Humanities and Social Sciences, Netaji Subhas Open University, 12-13<sup>th</sup> Feb 2013.
- 40) Invited Speaker, *Baul Philosophy and Rabindranath Tagore : The Poet of Common Man ;* National seminar on Tagore and Folkroistics, Bhasa Bhawan, Santiniketan, Visva Bharati, 14-16<sup>th</sup> Feb 2013.
- 41) Session Chair, *Folklore: Tradition and Modernity*, National seminar on Tagore and Folkroistics, Bhasa Bhawan, Santiniketan, Visva Bharati, 14-16<sup>th</sup> Feb 2013.
- 42) Speaker, Sukumar Ray The Pioneer and Innovator of Children's Literature, organised by NCIDE, IGNOU, 27<sup>th</sup> Feb 2013.
- 43) Speaker, Plenary Session, *Third World Feminism: Re-reading Three Indian Women Poets Writing in English*, national seminar on WOMEN POETS IN INDIAN ENGLISH POETRY on March 15, 2013, Central University of Tamil Nadu.
- 44) Session Chair, national seminar on WOMEN POETS IN INDIAN ENGLISH POETRY on March 14, 2013, Central University of Tamil Nadu.

- 45) Recitation of bi-lingual poetry and interactive session: English-Odia in the Poetry Reading Festival, 29th March,4:30 PM at Lok Kala Manch 20, Institutional Area, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.
- 46) Special Guest of Honour, 4<sup>th</sup> National Poets' Meet, New Delhi, India, 20<sup>th</sup> April 2013
- 47) Keynote Speaker on Ecofeminism ,  $4^{th}$  National Poets' Meet, New Delhi, India,  $20^{th}$  April 2013
- 48) Guest of Honour and Speaker, *Indian English Poetry*; IIC, New Delhi, Book Launch of Lovelets, Butterflies and the Bees, 22nd June 2013.
- 49) Resource Person, Teaching Poetry, Faculty Development Programme in Amity University, Noida,3rd July 2013.
- 50) *Myth as Metaphor in Indian English Poetry;* Panellist and Speaker, Delhi Poetry Festival-2013; 10<sup>th</sup> January 2014.
- 51) Children's Literature: Text and the Context; Panellist and Speaker, International Seminar on Literacy through Literature, India Habitat Centre,6<sup>th</sup> February 2013.
- 52) Reading a Novel as a Creative Writer; Invited Speaker, International Seminar on Reading/Understanding Fiction in Contemporary Times; organized by BHU,Sahitya Akademy and ICSSR, 5-6<sup>th</sup> March,2014.
- 53) Session Chair and Speaker, *International Seminar on Reading/Understanding Fiction in Contemporary Times*; organized by BHU,Sahitya Akademy and ICSSR, 5-6<sup>th</sup> March,2014.
- 54) Keynote Speaker, *International Seminar on Evolving Genre Poetry*, organized by Forum for Creative Writers in English, Nagpur, 8<sup>th</sup> March 2014.
- 55) Resource Person, *Teaching Poetry*, Faculty Development Programme, DAV, Pushpanjali, New Delhi, 28<sup>th</sup> June 2014
- 56) Resource Person, Gender—Theoretical, Demographic and Pedagogic: the Case of Indian Literature, Refresher Course, Jamia Milia Islamia, New Delhi, 14<sup>th</sup> July 2014.
- 57) Musings n Melodies: A Literary Evening of Hungarian and Indian Poetry; organized by Poetry Across Cultures and Universal Poetry, 11<sup>th</sup> September 2014, IIC, New Delhi.
- 58) Keynote Speaker: UGC National Seminar on Exploring the Terrains of Canadian and American Diaspora; organized by Sree Ayyappa College for Women, Nagercoli, in collaboration with University of Kerala; 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> September.
- 59) Resource Person, *Children's Literature Workshop*, organised by NBT in Delhi Book Fair, September 2014.
- 60) Keynote Speaker, Sahitya Akademi, Narichetana, 20th November 2014.
- 61) Plenary Speaker, UGC-DEB sponsored National Seminar titled "Women, Violence and Law: An Intimate Interrogation"; 5-6 December 2014.
- 62) Subject Expert, *Bhasha*, PLSI, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> June 2015.
- 63) Valedictory Speaker, National Conference on Crossing Borders: Multicultural Dialogue in Literature, 13<sup>th</sup> December 2015, Khalsa College, Patiala.
- 64) Panellist: *Representations and Stereotypes in Children's Literature*, organised by Katha Manch, New Delhi, Lecture on: *Writing from the Margins: Telling a Tale*; 22<sup>nd</sup> November, 2015.
- 65) Plenary Speaker, International Seminar on Configuring the Common Man: Trends and Perspectives in Contemporary Indian Writing; Amrita University, Koimbatore, 6-7<sup>th</sup> January, 2016.
- 66) Chief Guest and Keynote Speaker, National Seminar on *Ecofeminist Interventions: Theory and Praxis;* BJB Autonomous College, Bhubaneswar, Odisha; 6th and 7<sup>th</sup> February, 2016.
- 67) Guest Speaker, SAARC Literature Festival, February 27<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th 2016</sup>, IIC, New Delhi

- 68) Speaker/ Resource Person at The Centre for Professional Development in Higher Education (CPDHE), UGC-HRDC, University of Delhi; Refresher Course on *Folklore, Tradition and Culture,* 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2016.
- 69) Subject expert, Consortium for Educational Communication (CEC), Inter University Centres set up by the University Grants Commission, 04/03/2016
- 70) Invited Speaker, An Evening of Odia Poetry, The Poetry Society(India), DELNET, JNU Campus, New Delhi, 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2016
- 71) Invited Speaker, *Translation-to Bring Home the Culture: A Study of Jagannath Literature;* The School of Translation Studies and Training, National Seminar on "Literary Translation: Challenges and Opportunities"; March 29 & 30, 2016; IGNOU, New Delhi.
- 72) Invited Speaker, *Reading on Adbhutam Rasa*, Navarasa programme; 2nd April 2016 at DELNET, JNU Campus, New Delhi.
- 73) *The Role of Women throughout the Ages of Literature;* Guest of Honour and Speaker at Kalinga Literary Festival; 18-19<sup>th</sup> June 2016.
- 74) Chief Guest and Speaker, *Meet the Author*, Literature Festival, Konkorada College, Ganjam, 25<sup>th</sup> June 2016.
- 75) Guest of Honour and Speaker, Literature Festival, Tagore International, New Delhi, 17<sup>th</sup> August 2016
- 76) Invited Speaker, *Special Lecture on Creative Writing*, Manav Rachna International University, New Delhi, 22<sup>nd</sup> August, 2016
- 77) Guest of Honour and Chief Speaker *on Shades of Memory*, GLA University, Mathura, 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2016.
- 78) Resource Person and Inaugural Speaker, UGC sponsored National Seminar on Nov 3rd and 4th November, hosted by the Post Graduate Department of English, St Cyril's College, Adoor, University of Kerala.
- 79) Session Chair and Speaker, UGC sponsored National Seminar on Nov 3rd and 4th November, hosted by the Post Graduate Department of English, St Cyril's College, Adoor, University of Kerala.
- 80) Invited Speaker, *The Tribal, Folk and the Classical Cultures of Odisha*, Seminar on 'Searching for Cultural Identity—Dalit, Adivasi and Other Flk Artists in Contemporary India', KLC, JNU, New Delhi. 18<sup>th</sup> November 2016.
- 81) Invited Speaker, *Modernity in Post Independence Indian Literature*, National Seminar, KLC, JNU, New Delhi. 19<sup>th</sup> January 2017.
- 82) Plenary Address: *Trans(gendered)Lives: Praxis of Silence and Exclusion*, UGC National Seminar, Department of English, Sri Guru Nanak Dev Khalsa College, University of Delhi, 7<sup>th</sup> February, 2017.
- 83) Invited Speaker, Gender in Translation: Fidelity Re-construed, SOTST, IGNOU, 9<sup>th</sup> February 2017.
- 84) *Reading and lecture*, SAARC Literature Festival, 2017, 26<sup>th</sup> February 2017, IIC, New Delhi, India.
  - 84. Invited Speaker, *Merging Horizons: the Metanarrative of Bhanja Sangeet,* International Seminar of Hermeneutics, SOTST, IGNOU, 5<sup>th</sup> March 2017
  - 85. Session Chair and Invited Speaker,, International Conference on Migration and Diasporas: Emerging Diversities and Development Challenges, 22-23 March 2017.
  - 86. Invited Speaker, Breaking Barriers: Women Writings in Odisha, OLF, New Delhi, 4<sup>th</sup> June 2017.
  - 87. Invited speaker, 'Bhasha Literatures in India', National Seminar, Meghalaya Rashtrabhasha Prachar Samiti, Meghalaya, 10<sup>th</sup> June 2017.
  - 88. Guest of Honour, Book launch and academic seminar, Guwahati Press Club, Guwahati, Assam, 13<sup>th</sup> June 2017.

- 89. Guest of Honour, poetry reading and lecture, *Asian Confluence*, Shillong, 14<sup>th</sup> June 2017.
- 90. Valedictory Address, Workshop on Academic and Research Writing, OP Jindal Global University, Sonipat, Haryana, 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> July, 2017.
- 91. Guest of Honour and Speaker, KMC, Delhi University, 11th August 2017.
- 92. Keynote Speaker, LITFEST-17, National Conference on Women Poets of English Literature from 19<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> Century: A Perspective; MGR University, Chennai, 5<sup>th</sup> September 2017.
- 93. Resource Person: Creative Writing; LITFEST-17, National Conference on Women Poets of English Literature from 19<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> Century: A Perspective; MGR University, Chennai, 6<sup>th</sup> September 2017.
- 94. Chief Guest and Speaker, 9<sup>th</sup> State Level Jajpur Book Fair, 23.12.2017. Organized by Ananya Sahitya Sansad, Jajpur, Odisha.
- 95. Keynote Address, Jajpur Literature Festival, Odisha. 24.12.2017
- 96. Panellist, Baghdevi Literature Festival 2018, 13<sup>th</sup> January 2018, Bhubaneswar, Odisha. Lecture on 'Women through Ages'.
- 97. Special Guest and Speaker, Grand Guwahati Poetry Festival, Guwahati, 21.01.2018
- 98. Plenary Address, National Seminar on 'Decoding the Partition L(i/a)nes: Reflections on Language, Literature and Culture', KMC, Delhi University, 7<sup>th</sup> February 2018
- 99. Special Address, *Matribhasha Mahakumbha*, 'Getting Indian Languages Talk', 4<sup>th</sup> International Conclave on Mother Tongue, IIC, DELHI, 18<sup>th</sup> February 2018
- 100. Keynote Address, National Seminar on Translation Studies, KMC, University of Delhi, 21<sup>st</sup> February 2018
- 101. Invited Speaker, The Policy Times Literary Festival, Okhla, New Delhi, 11<sup>th</sup> May 2018.
- 102. Panellist and Speaker, Delhi Litexperia-2018, 12<sup>th</sup> August 2018, IIC, New Delhi.
- 103. Invited Speaker, 'Teaching Theory in India', Kalindi College, University of Delhi, 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2018
- 104. Invited Speaker, 'Creative Writing', Kirorimal College, University of Delhi, 12<sup>th</sup> October 2018
- 105. Panellist, Panel Discussion of INKED THOUGHTS, 1st Asian Literary Conference, New Delhi, 14th October 2018
- 106. Panellist, Panel Discussion of METICULOUS MEN OF METTLE, Café Delhi Heights, New Delhi, 14<sup>th</sup> October 2018
- 107. Subject Expert, Member and Invited Speaker, Expert Committee Meeting on *Folklore Studies*, IGNCA, New Delhi, 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018
- 108. Subject Expert and Member, Expert Committee Meeting on Folklore Studies, IGNCA, New Delhi, 10<sup>th</sup> December 2018
- 109. Invited Speaker, 'Folklore Studies: Research and Pedagogy'. PG Department of English, Utkal University, BBSR, Odisha, 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2019.
- 110. Subject Expert, 'Qualitative and Quantitative Data Techniques. DCAC, Refresher Course,PG Department of English, Utkal University, BBSR, Odisha, 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2019.
- 111. Special Lecture, 'Performance Traditions in Indian Folk Theatre', IGNCA, New Delhi, 21st February, 2019.
- 112. Special Lecture, 'Appropriation of Folk in Indian Theatre: *Jatra, Kathakali, Tamasha, Nautanki Dandanata and Pala'*, IGNCA, New Delhi, 22<sup>nd</sup> February, 2019.
- 113. Special Lecture, 'Girish Karnad's *Nagamandala* and *Hayavardhana*', IGNCA, New Delhi, 25<sup>th</sup> February, 2019.

- 114. Special Lecture, 'Haveeb Tanveer's *Charandas Chor'*, IGNCA, New Delhi, 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2019.
- 115. Subject Expert/ Trainer: 8 sessions on English Language Training, POSOCO, New Delhi, 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> April 2019.
- 116. Keynote Speaker. 'Folk Languages as the Repository of Culture', OP Jindal Global University, Sonepath, Haryana, 19<sup>th</sup> July 2019.
- 117. Keynote Speaker. 'Speaking Silences'; UGC Sponsored National Seminar; Laxmibai College, University of Delhi; 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2019.
- 118. Special Lecture. 'Metaphoric Interiority and Cultural Roots:Writings of A K Ramanujan'; Sharda University, New Delhi; 24<sup>th</sup> October 2019.
- 119. Invite Speaker, Gender and Folklore. University of Delhi, 1st November 2019.
- 120. Resource Person, 116<sup>th</sup> Orientation Programme 16<sup>th</sup> January, 2020 at the UGC-HRDC, JNU . Topic: Folklore and Ecofeminism.
- 121. Plenary Address, 'A Hermeneutical Engagement with *Nautch* and *Abhisarika* Traditions'. Folklore Conference, PG Department of English, University of Delhi, 28<sup>th</sup> February 2020.
- 122. Keynote Address, 'The Interdisciplinary Hermeneutic: Reappraising Sociocultural Episteme'. Lovely Professional University, Phagwara. 5<sup>th</sup> March 2020.
- 123. Keynote Speaker, Spring Metaphor Lit Fest, Lucknow, 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2021
- 124. Keynote Speaker, ELT, Kendrapada College, Odisha, 5<sup>th</sup> June 2022
- 125. Invited Speaker and Guest of Honour, Samvad Sahityaghar, Anugul, Odisha, 9<sup>th</sup> June 2022.
- 126. Invited Speaker, JDM, University of Delhi and Hawakal Publications , 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 2022.
- 127. Invited Speaker, Indian Science Congress, Nagpur, India. 5<sup>th</sup> January 2023.
- 128. Invited Speaker, English Studies in India, Centenary Celebration, University of Delhi, 1<sup>st</sup> March 2023.
- 129. Valedictory Address, Disability and Folklore, Zakir Hussain College, University of Delhi, 20<sup>th</sup> March 2023.
- 130. Invited Speaker, Book Discussion: Shedding the Metaphors, ZEST, DDU, University of Delhi, 1<sup>st</sup> April 23
- 131. Keynote Speaker, Literolegal Studies, Delhi University, Faculty of Law, 3<sup>rd</sup> April 23
- 132. Plenary Address, 'English Studies in India', Centenary Celebration, Delhi University, 1<sup>st</sup> March 2023.
- 133. Valedictory Address, 'Folklore and Disability', Zakir Hussain College, DU, 20<sup>th</sup> March 23.
- 134. Invited Speaker, Sahitya Akademi and IP University, 'Indian Folklore: Reading Methodologies' in Seminar on Folklore, Culture and Ecology, 31<sup>st</sup> August 23.
- 135. Resource Person, Creative Writing: Special Reference to Writing Poetry and Fiction, LPU, Dwarka, 31<sup>st</sup> May 23.
- 136. Book Discussion with Dustin Pickering, World Inkers Network, New York, 6<sup>th</sup> May 23.
- 137. Panellist and Speaker, Literature and Cinema, Lit-Diyas, Manav Rachna University, New Delhi, 11<sup>th</sup> May 2023.
- 138. Book Launch, *Shedding the Metaphors*, in the august presence of Hon'ble Education Minister Shri Dharmendra Pradhan, 13<sup>th</sup> May 2023.
- 139. Panellist and Speaker, 'Digital Humanities, Post Truth and Veridical Mythology', VIPS, Dwarka, 17<sup>th</sup> May 23.

- 140. Keynote Speaker, National Conference on Gender and New Social Media: Questions of Representation, Dyal Singh College, DU, 2<sup>nd</sup> May 23.
- 141. Guest Speaker, 'Literolegal Studies', Faculty of Law, DU, 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2023.
- 142. Author Speaks, 'Litrospect', Dayal Singh College, 20<sup>th</sup> April.
- 143. Chief Guest and Speaker at Meraki-2023 at AMCatKMC. 'Issue of the Girl Child in Literature'. University of Delhi, 11<sup>th</sup> October 2023.
- 144. Guest of Honour and Speaker: 'The Romance and Aesthetics of a Book'. Library Festival, JDMC, University of Delhi, 18<sup>th</sup> October 2023.
- 145. Invited Speaker, Interviewed by Meera Banshali for Art Connect, 26<sup>th</sup> October 2023.
- 146. Guest Speaker at Sahitya Akademi. Creative Writing. 18<sup>th</sup> November 2023.
- 147. Guest Speaker. *Balaram Das's Odia Ramayana and Sarala Das's Odia Mahabharata*. PASHYANTEE. 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2023.
- 148. Guest Speaker. 'Ecofeminism in Green Studies and Ocean Humanities'. JDMC, Writers Lecture Series, University of Delhi, 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2023.
- 149. Guest Speaker and Poet, FOSWAL Literature Festival. Academy of Fine Arts and Literature, 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2023.
- 150. Invited Speaker, AIFEST. Topic: Meet the Author Nandini Sahu. 24<sup>th</sup> December 2023.
- 151. Invited Speaker, CFSR: 'Post-Folklore and the Related Pragmatics'. 6<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024.
- 152. Invited Speaker, Unmute: Interview Series: In Conversation with Shatarupa. 31st Dec 2023.
- 153. Invited Speaker, FDP: 'Bringing Indian Knowledge Systems to the University Table'. 10<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024.
- 154. Invited Speaker, Indian Knowledge Systems. Central University, Andhra Pradesh. 12<sup>th</sup> Jan 24.
- 155. Invited Speaker, *'Etiological, Chthonic, Historical and Psychological Myths.'* Vasant Kanya Mahavidyalaya, BHU. 23<sup>rd</sup> January.
- 156. Chief Guest & Speaker, Creative Writing of Nandini Sahu. Shyama Prasad Mukherjee College, DU. 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb 2024.
- 157. Invited Speaker, 'Folklore and Fakelore'. Shyamlal College. 13<sup>th</sup> Feb 24.
- 158. Invited Speaker, 'Literature, Law and Gender Studies—Under the Lens of Multidisciplinarity'. 24<sup>th</sup> Feb 2024.
- 159. Invited Speaker, 'Indigenous Knowledge Systems'. IUCTE, Varanasi. 20<sup>th</sup> Feb 2024.
- 160. Invited Speaker, 'Integrating Bharatiya Literary Traditions in English Literary Studies'. IUCTE, Varanasi. 19th Feb 2024.
- 161. Expert, Interactive Session with the Audience, IUCTE, Varanasi. 20<sup>th</sup> Feb 2024.
- 162. Keynote Speaker, 'Self, Subjectivity and Identity'. Banasthali Vidyapith, 10<sup>th</sup> March 2024.
- 163. Invited Lecture, Integrating Indigenous and Traditional Knowledge in Education System: Ideas for IGNOU@2047. NCIDE, IGNOU, 25<sup>th</sup> June 2024.
- 164. Keynote address. National Conference on Indian Knowledge Systems in Indian Literature. Gautam Buddha University, 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2024.
- 165. Conducted a Session on Interdsciplinary Studies: *Insights from Indian Knowledge Traditions*, SOITS, IGNOU, New Delhi, 26<sup>th</sup> April 2024.
- 166. Inaugural Address, 'Methodological Inclusivity in Folklore Studies: the Post-Green Condition'. International Conference by JDMC,DU and ICSSR, on Indigenous Knowledge Systems, 24<sup>th</sup> April 2024.

- 167. Chief Guest and Speaker, *The Hermeneutics of Translation* with special reference to the stories of Fakir Mohan Senapati, Aurobindo College, University of Delhi, 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2024.
- 168. Valedictory Address. CFSR 1st International Folklorist Conference on Young Folklorist Conference on *Transitions and Transformation in South Asian Folklore: Problems, Perspectives.* 31<sup>st</sup> March 2024.
- 169. Keynote Address. Relevance of Indian Knowledge Systems in Our Times, DCAC, University of Delhi, 21<sup>st</sup> March 2024.
- 170. Invited Lecture. Festival of Letters, Sahitya Akademi. Session: Indian Literary Feminism: Women Writers and Transforming the World. 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024.
- 171. Invited Speaker and Member. Vidya Bharati programme in the syllabus design workshop on Indian Knowledge Systems, Benaras, 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> February 2024.
- 172. Chief Guest and Keynote Speaker, *Folklore Research and Pedagogy with Special Reference to Folklore of Kashmir*, University of Kashmir, 4<sup>th</sup> July 2024.
- 173. Chief Guest, Meet the Author Nandini Sahu, University of Kashmir, 4<sup>th</sup> July 2024.
- 174. Special Guest, Meet the Author, Jhelum Mail Network. 'My Creative Writing and Folklore Research.' 7th July 2024.
- 175. Recitation and Lecture in 65<sup>th</sup> FOSWAL Literature Festival on 12th November 2024.
- 176. Keynote Address: Composite Cultures and the Myth of Linguistic Neutrality, Central University of Odisha, Koraput, 9<sup>th</sup> January 2025.
- 177. Plenary Address, Myths and Mnemoculture: the Theoretical Engagements, Sahitya Akademi, 18<sup>th</sup> January 2025.
- 178. Guest Lecture on 'The Sword and the Lyre: Negotiating Conflict through the Lens of Folklore', Jadavpur University, 7<sup>th</sup> February 2025.
- 179. Chief Guest and Speaker:, 30<sup>th</sup> Hindi Mela in West Bengal on 26<sup>th</sup> December 2024.
- 180. Chief Guest and Speaker:, Literature Festival/National Poets Meet in *Gadya*, *Padya*, *Prabandha* on 27<sup>th</sup> December 2024.
- 181. Guest of Honour and Speaker: *Hum Hue, Tum Hue ki Meer Huye,* Urdu Mushayara, Kolkata, 18<sup>th</sup> January 2025.
- 182. Guest of Honour and Speaker: IIC and RC, Kolkata, IGNOU, National Seminar on ODL: from Traditional to Transformational, on 15<sup>th</sup> February 2025.
- 183. Invited Lecture, Festival of Letters, Sahitya Akademi, Nari Chetna, 8<sup>th</sup> March 2025.
- 184. Chair and Invited Speaker, Award Ceremony of Bhartiya Anuvad Parishad, 1<sup>st</sup> March 2025.
- 185. Special Lecture, Folklore in Universities: Epistemological Challenges and Pedagogical Imperatives, Women's Christian College, Kolkata, 21<sup>st</sup> March 2025.
- 186. Chief Guest and Invited Speaker, Sdeventh State Convention of Asomiya Sahitya Sammilani, 28<sup>th</sup> March 2025.
- 187. Invited Speaker and Convener, Jury for the National Award. Ideas on Education. Zee News Education Conclave, 28<sup>th</sup> April 2025.
- 188. Guest of Honour and Invited Speaker in SETU Bi-Lingual Journal's Literature Festival in collaboration with Penprints, Kolkata, 26<sup>th</sup> April 2025. Topic: Mythopoetic in Indian English Literature.
- 189. Chief Guest, Book Launch and Inaugural Address at *Jazzbaat*, Kolkata, West Bengal. 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2025.
- 190. Chief Guest and Speaker, Multidisciplinary Aspects of Indian Value System: An Anthology. New Alipore College, West Bengal, 4<sup>th</sup> July 2025.

- 191. Keynote Address on "Critical Humanities: Language, Culture and Indigenous Studies:, Imphal, University of Manipur, 25<sup>th</sup> July 2025.
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- 193. Chief Guest, Book Discussion, *Medusa*, Government Circuit House, Hungerford Street, Kolkata, West Bengal, 30<sup>th</sup> July.
- 194. Guest of Honour and Invited Speaker, ISISAR, Kolkata International Foundation for Arts Literature and Culture, 27<sup>th</sup> August 2025.
- 195. Chief Guest and Keynote Speaker, Shantiniketan Literature Festival, Visva Bharati, West Bengal, 30<sup>th</sup> August 2025.

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#### **INTERNATIONAL**

- 1) Invited Speaker, "The Chemistry Behind Creativity: A Reading of Sylvia Plath and Ted Hughes" presented at the International Conference held at Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad, Pakistan on 21-22 September 2004.
- 2) Invited Speaker, "Religious Harmony and Political Cosmos: The Voice of T.S.Eliot", presented at the Ninth International Conference of American Studies held at Quaid—i-Azam University, Islamabad, Pakistan on 26-27 April 2005.
- 3) Invited Speaker. Conducted a Workshop on *Folklore, Folk Culture and Oral Traditions: Relevance and Methods*, organised by the School of Mauritian and Area Studies, MGI, Maurituis, 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> October 2013.
- *4)* Chaired the Syllabus Design Committee on Certificate Programme on Folklore Studies, MGI, University of Mauritius, 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> October 2013.
- 5) Keynote address: *Folklore as an Indigenous Knowledge System*, MGI, University of Mauritius, 14<sup>th</sup> October 2013.
- 6) Plenary address: *Folklore as a Living Tradition*, MGI, University of Mauritius, 15<sup>th</sup> October 2013.
- 7) Keynote address: *Teaching through Distance Mode: The Text and Context*, MGI, University of Mauritius, 18<sup>th</sup> October 2013.
- 8) Invited Speaker. Interactive session: *The Relevance of Folklore Studies in Academic Institutes;* jointly organised by MGI, University of Mauritius and the National Radio/TV Channel of the Mauritius Broadcasting Corporation, 18<sup>th</sup> October 2013.
- 9) Invited Speaker. Interactive session: *The Relevance of Folklore Studies in Academic Institutes in Mauritian Context;* jointly organised by MGI, University of Mauritius and the National Radio/TV Channel of the Mauritius Broadcasting Corporation, 18<sup>th</sup> October 2013.
- 10) Invited Speaker. An Evening with Poetry( poetry reading by Nandini Sahu); collaboratively organised by Mauritius Writers' Association and the High Commission of India in Mauritius, Port Louis, Mauritius, 16<sup>th</sup> October 2013.

- 11) An Interview with Nandini Sahu; collaboratively taken by Mauritius Writers' Association and the High Commission of India in Mauritius, Port Louis, Mauritius, 16<sup>th</sup> October 2013, broadcasted in the Mauritius Television.
  - 12) Invited Speaker and Member, Syllabus Design Committee, *Diploma in Creative Writing*, The Department of Creative Writing and Publications, MGI, University of Mauritius, 18<sup>th</sup> October, 2013.
  - 13) Expert, Book Discussion on Hindu Studies, World Inkers Network, USA, 5<sup>th</sup> December 2024.

# ONLINE LECTURES (apart from online teaching, multiple Gyan Darshan and Gyan Vani sessions for IGNOU)

- 1. Invited Speaker, Zoom Webinar by Langlit, topic, 'GENDER DISCOURSE IN FOLK AND CLASSICAL LITERATURES', 29.05.2020
- **2.** Invited Speaker, Google Meet, topic: CULTURAL MATERIALISM AND THE STUDY OF FOLKLORE, 25<sup>th</sup> May 2020
- 3. Invited Speaker, Google Meet, topic: FOLKLORE AND CULTURE STUDIES, 16<sup>th</sup> May 2020.
- **4.** Invited Speaker, Google Meet Poetry reading and interaction for Tapasya Foundation, 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2020.
- 5. Invited Speaker, You Tube: Setu Online Poetry, Reading and Interaction, 27<sup>th</sup> April 2020.
- 6. Invited Speaker, Poetry and Interaction with Prachya Review, Tong Ghor Talkies, Bangladesh, 12<sup>th</sup> June 2020.
- 7. Invited Speaker, Facebook Live Session for Global Poetry Web, 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2020.
- 8. Organized Webinar on Folklore and Culture Studies on 9<sup>th</sup> June 2020
- 9. Invited Speaker, Webinar on 'Fostering Academic Research and Writing Skills' by Sree Ayyappa College for Women, Chunkankadai, Kerala.. Topic: A Flawless Manuscript, 13<sup>th</sup> June 2020.
- 10. Invited Speaker, Webinar on 'Writers Beyond Distance' by Department of English, Karim City College, Jamshedpur. Topic: 'Witnessing Literature through a Poet's Eye', 20<sup>th</sup> June 2020.
- 11. Invited Speaker, Webinar by Indology Foundation on 21<sup>st</sup> June 2020. Topic: 'Indian Influences on Western Literature'.
- 12. Invited Speaker, Webinar by Amity School of Languages, 27<sup>th</sup> June. Topic: 'Romancing Rhetorics.'
- 13. Invited Speaker, Two-day International Webinar on RESEARCH MATTERS, Stella Maris College, Tamil Nadu. Topic: 'Panoramic View of Research and Publications', 29<sup>th</sup> June 2020.
- 14. Invited Speaker, WebEx Lecture Series by Chandra Prabhu Jain College, Minjur, Chennai, TN, 4<sup>th</sup> July 2020. Topic: 'Ecofeminism in Indian English Poetry'.
- 15. Invited Speaker, Web lecture by National Book Trust, 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2020. Topic: 'Publishing Today.'
- 16. Invited Speaker, Sahitya Akademi's Webinar Literature Series; topic: 'Literary Forum Featuring Poetry Readings and Interaction'. 21st July 2020.
- 17. Invited Speaker, Webinar on Critical Theory in OP Jindal Global University. Topic: "Indian Poetics and Aesthetics', 25<sup>th</sup> July 2020.

- 18. Invited Speaker, International Level Online Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on Gender Sensitization at The Women's Cell & the Department of English, Barabazar B.T.M. College, Purulia, West Bengal, India. Topic: 'Body Politics from the Lens of a Creative Writer'. 28<sup>th</sup> July 2020.
- 19. Invited Speaker, Webinar on EXPLORING LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE IN NEW NORMAL. Department of English Language and Literature, UCT, Chittagong, Bangladesh. Topic: 'Feminism: Theory and Praxis'. 8<sup>th</sup> August 2020.
- 20. Plenary speaker in the Webinar on *Jashn-e-Azadi celebration of Asian Literary Society*, 15<sup>th</sup> August 2020.
- 21. Resource Person in Webinar, 'Tell Me Your Story', 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2020.
- 22. Resource Person in International Interdisciplinary Webinar, 'Gender Issues and Discourse', 26<sup>th</sup> August.
- 23. Resource Person, BB Autonomous College, Jajpur, Odisha. Topic: 'Creative Spitit'. 13<sup>th</sup> September 2020.
- 24. Keynote Speaker. PG Department of English, Ranchi University: 'Remapping Cosmopolitanism: Mythology and Cross Cultural Exchanges in Literature'. Topic: 'Demythification in Literature'. 20<sup>th</sup> September.
- 25. Resource Person. Topic: 'Environment and Literature'. Tan Doori Gupshup; 27<sup>th</sup> September. United States of America.
- 26. Organized webinar. 'New Spaces and Emerging Dialogues: Fresh Perspectives on Teaching/Learning Foreign Languages.' 1st October 2020, School of Foreign Languages, IGNOU.
- 27. Invited Speaker, Two hours online lecture for National Book Trust(NBT). 24<sup>th</sup> October 2020. My topic: 'Book Publishing as an Academic Discipline'.
- 28. Resource Person. Book launch/Webinar at Delhi Book Fair. My book: SELECTED POEMS OF NANDINI SAHU. 30<sup>th</sup> October 2020.
- 29. Keynote Speaker. My topic: 'Body Politics as Knowledge Production' Online One Day National Conference on "Hermeneutics of the Body" on 30<sup>th</sup> October 2020, Department of English, Cultural Studies and Foreign Languages, Khalsa College, Patiala.
- 30. Resource Person in the one week National E-Workshop on "Research Methodology in Literary Studies" in the Department of English, Central University of Kashmir 0n 6th November 2020. My topic: *Folklore Research*.
- 31. Invited lecture in Webinar by 'Millennium Mams'. Topic: 'Myth in Indian English Poetry'. 20<sup>th</sup> November 2020.
- 32. Invited Speaker, International webinar organized by Charampa Mahavidyalaya, Bhadrak, Odisha, India, in collaboration with TNO, Toronto, Canada. Topic: "National Education Policy and Online Teaching Through Distant Mode" on 06.12. 2020
- 33. Invited Speaker, 'Four Good Words.' Prajnya Foundation . *Poetry Against Gender Violence*. December 2020.
- 34. Special lecture. The Winter Retreat,4th January 2021.
- 35. Invited Speaker, Folklore Foundation, Odisha. My topic: 'Folklore as an Academic Discipline.' 14<sup>th</sup> January 2021.
- 36. Online Guest Lecture on 'New Historicism'. Khalsa College, Patiala. 5<sup>th</sup> February 2021.
- 37. Invited Speaker, Text: Indian Australian Exchanges: Release and Book discussion, University of Sunshine Coast, Australia, 14<sup>th</sup> February, 2021.
- 38. Keynote Addrss, 'New Historicism'. Department of English,Khalsa College Patiala, 5<sup>th</sup> February 2021
- 39. Invited Speaker: "Decolonization of English Literature", 3<sup>rd</sup> Asian Literary Society Lit Fest, 21<sup>st</sup> February 2021.

- 40. Resource Person in Mohanlal Sukhadia University, Udaipur, in the two day international conference on 'Mapping Oral Traditions'. My topic: THE ORAL-WRITTEN-NEXUS: A CONTINUUM. 27<sup>th</sup> Feb 2021
- 41. Invited Speaker: Sahitya Akademi's *Narichetana* Programme, Web series, 8<sup>th</sup> March 2021
- 42. Convener abd Invited Speaker, Online Test Development of UGC-NET December 2020.
- 43. External Expert, Online Meeting for Syllabus Design of MA English, University of Delhi, 17<sup>th</sup> March 2021
- 44. Convener and Programme Coordinator, MA in Folklore and Culture Studies: Expert Committee Meeting on the Virtual Mode, 19<sup>th</sup> March 2021
- 45. Resource Person, 'Book Publishing as an Academic Discipline'. National Book Trust(NBT). 10am to 12 noon, 20<sup>th</sup> March 2021.
- 46. Invited Speaker, Kritya Talk. 'Myth as Metaphor'. 7 to 8pm,  $20^{th}$  March 2021.
- 47. Invited Lecture, 'Translation as Power'. CILL Academic, University of Calcutta. 23<sup>rd</sup> march, 2021
- 48. Resource Person, 'Content Design for Special Children'. UGC-HRDC Faculty Development Program/ Refresher Course on Emerging Accessible Technologies for Teachers in Higher Education on 24<sup>th</sup> March 2021
- 49. Keynote Address on Life Narratives of Experience, Memory, Identity and Agency. K J College, Bengaluru. 25<sup>th</sup> March 2021
- 50. Invited Lecture in Faculty Induction Programme (85th General Orientation Course): 'Content Design in Higher Education'. My topic: 'Teaching Folklore and Culture in Higher Education', University of Kashmir. March 25, 2021
- 51. Resource Person. 'Women in a Changing World (Women at Workplace). Birla Global University. 27<sup>th</sup> March 2021.
- 52. Invited Lectures (two lectures), 'Renaissance Art'. *The Renaissance and the New Epistemology*. Online Certificate Programme, Karim City College, Jamshedpur. 31<sup>st</sup> May 2021.
- 53. Invited Speaker, Poetry Reading and Interactive Session in *The Asian Literary Society, Navras Festival*, 25<sup>th</sup> June 2021
- 54. Keynote Address. "To Interpret a Text through the Lens of a Researcher." Amity University, Lucknow, 9<sup>th</sup> July 2021.
- 55. Special Lecture, 'Folklore as an Academic Discipline.' MD University, Rohtak. 29<sup>th</sup> July 2021.
- 56. Inaugural Address. NAVASAHITHI INTERNATIONAL's "Expressions", the ENGLISH POETRY MEET, on August 15<sup>th</sup> 2021.
- 57. Panelist: Reading and Interaction, Kritya Poetry Movement, Webinar on 21st 2021.
- 58. Keynote Speaker: National Lecture Series 1. 'Folklore Research and Pedagogy'. VNCD, PG Department of English, Chennai. 14<sup>th</sup> September 2021
- 59. Special Lecture: Delhi Comparatists. 'Why Folklore?'. 18th September 2021.
- 60. Invited Lecture, Faculty Development Center, University of Allahabad. NEP and Teaching Folklore in Indian Universities. 30<sup>th</sup> September 2021
- 61. Invited Lecture, Faculty Development Center, University of Allahabad. Curriculum and Pedagogy: Teaching Folklore in Indian Universities. 30<sup>th</sup> September 2021
- 62. Invited Lecture: 'Eulogizing Women in Indian Mythology'. National Webinar in the Department of Philosophy (Mīmāmsā Society), Hansraj College, University of Delhi. 16<sup>th</sup> November.
- 63. Invited Speaker, Reading and Interactive Session in *Azadi ka Amrit Mahotshav*, Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi. 18<sup>th</sup> November.
- 64. 'Mnemoculture and Folklore'. Sophia College, Mumbai, 30th November 2021.

- 65. Invited Speaker, Let's Go Theoretical! Plenary Address in 'An Introduction to Literary and Cultural Theory', Online training programme on Research Methodology in Language, Literature, and Culture, EASTERN REGIONAL LANGUAGE CENTRE(Central Institute of Indian Languages, Dept. of Higher Education, MHRD, Govt. of India) 6<sup>th</sup> December 2021.
- 66. Invited Speaker, 'Bringing Folklore to the Table'. Invited Lecture in BR Ambedkar College, Kolkata, WB. 30<sup>th</sup> December 2021.
- 67. Invited Speaker, Poetry Reading and Discourse, The School of Gender and Development Studies, IGNOU, 11<sup>th</sup> March 2022
- 68. Invited Speaker, Poetry Reading abd Discourse, Keleidoscope, 13th March 2022.
- 69. Keynote Address, 'Bringing Folklore to the University Table', Centre of Russian Studies, School of Language, Literature and Culture Studies, JNU, New Delhi. 15<sup>th</sup> March 2022
- 70. Keynote Speaker, National Seminar on Tribal Culture and Philosophy in Oral Narratives, Department of Contemporary and Tribal Customary Law, Central University of Jharkhand, 28<sup>th</sup> March.
- 71. Panellist and Speaker, Journal of Expressive Writing, Book Buzz, USA, 8th May 2022
- 72. Invited Speaker, Longinus and On the Sublime, NSOU, Kolkata, 30<sup>th</sup> June 2022
- 73. Inaugural Address, Folklore as a School of Thought, Asiatic Society for Social Science Research, Center for Folklore and Culture Studies. 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2022
- 74. Plenary Address, 'India vs. Western Approach'. OP Jindal Global University, 19<sup>th</sup> July 2022.
- 75. Keynote Speaker, "Literature and Social Responsibilities", Kalahandi University as a part of their Motivational Talk Series. 26<sup>th</sup> August 2022.
- 76. Keynote Speaker in Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav, 'Indian Culture and Folklore: Research and Pedagogy', Aurobharati, 10<sup>th</sup> September 2022.
- 77. Keynote Address, Gender Discourse, Regional Center, Delhi. 9th March 2023.
- 78. Book Discussion, 'Zest', on Shedding the Metaphors, DDU, DU, 25<sup>th</sup> March 23.
- 79. In Conversation with Dustin Pickering, World Inkers, New York, 25<sup>th</sup> March.
- 80. Invited Speaker, Interview, On the Same Page with Juhi, 8th July 2013.
- 81. Guest Speaker: Online Lecture on 'Writers Beyond Distance: Remembering Jayanta Mahapatra', Karim City College, Jamshedpur, 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept 2023
- 82. Guest Speaker: Remembering Padmashree Jayanta Mahapatra, The Poetry Society(India), 21<sup>st</sup> September 2023.
- 83. Invited Speaker, Online Interview: Mirror of Kashmir, 17<sup>th</sup> September 2023.
- 84. Guest Speaker, 'Knowledge Reduction by Knowledge Canonization: Towards an Inclusive Indian Knowledge System'. Central University, Odisha, 4<sup>th</sup> October 2023.
- 85. Plenary Address: 'The Cognitive, Conative and Affective Methods of Reading Folklore: Towards an Epistemic Justice.' 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2023.Keynote Address: 'Indigenous Knowledge Systems: Research and Pedagogy'. Central University, Gujarat, 11<sup>th</sup> October 2023.
- 86. Guest of Honour and Speaker: Lo Aaj Ashi Mere Ghar Aiyi, JDMC, DU. 26<sup>th</sup> October 2023.
- 87. Invited Speaker. Folklore: Canonical Issues in the Post-Structural Context. ARSD, University of Delhi, 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2023.
- 88. Invited Speaker. What is Folk Thought? Entering the Unstated Premises. FDP Programme, Research in Humanities and Social Science, The BESC, Kolkata, 13<sup>th</sup> December 2023.
- 89. Invited Lecture, Pedagogical Reforms in NEP. UGC and DDU Gorakhpur University, 4<sup>th</sup> June 2024.
- 90. Invited Lecture, Folklore Research Methodology, University of Nagpur, 30<sup>th</sup> April 2024.

- 91. Invited Lecture. Reimagining Folklore through Poetry. National Webinar, AU and EU, Punjab, 12th April 2024.
- 92. Invited Speaker, 'Mnemoculture: Sita-Cult in Indian Literature.' NIEPA's Malviya Mission Teacher Training Programme on FDP, 28<sup>th</sup> June 24.
- 93. Invited Speaker, Ideas for IGNOU@2047, NCIDE, IGNOU, 25th June 24.
- 94. Invited Speaker, Literature for Peace, 21<sup>st</sup> September 2024, International Academy of Ethics.
- 95. Special Lecture on Remembering Jayanta Mahapatra in Karim City College in the programme, 'Writers Beyond Distance' on 10<sup>th</sup> July 2024.
- 96. Guest Lecture on Literature or Peace by International Academy of Ethics on 21st September 2024.
- 97. Plenary Address in International Conference on 'Reclaiming Roots: the Adivasi Ouestion' on 17<sup>th</sup> November 2024.
- 98. Keynote Address, Green Cultural Studies, Global Nexus on 25th November 2024.
- 99. Guest Lecture, Orality and Cultural Memory: Conditioning Folk Literature, Shivaji University, Kohlapur, Maharashtra, 14<sup>th</sup> December 2024
- 100. Guest Lecture, Pedagogical Engagements in Hindu Studies, Shivaji University, Kohlapur, Maharashtra, 14<sup>th</sup> December 2024
- 101. Keynote Address in the Third International Conference by ELLC, LPU, on Sustainable Global Goals in World Literature, 15<sup>th</sup> December 2024.
- 102. Special Lecture on Multicultural and Democratic Engagements in Indigenous Literatures, 11<sup>th</sup> January 2025.
- 103. Guest Lecture, UGC MMTC, 'Teaching Folk Literature through Digital Humanities in ODL: Pedagogy for Archiving and Preserving Cultural Heritages', University of Mumbai, 16<sup>th</sup> January 2025.
- 104. Special Lecture, 'Whose Story is it Anyway? The Politics of Cultural Documentation', SJ University, Nagaland, 12<sup>th</sup> February 2025.
- 105. Recitation and Discussion, International Poetry Meet, Literary Warriors Group, 10<sup>th</sup> February 2025.
- 106. Chief Guest and Speaker, International Mother Language Day, Department of MIL & LS, Delhi University, 24<sup>th</sup> February 2025
- 107. Keynote address in the International Conference on 'Using Literature to Enhance 21st Century Employability Skills, CLC, Kolkata, 26<sup>th</sup> February 2025.
- 108. Chief Guest and Keynote Speaker in the Valedictory Session of Short Term Programme by UGC-MMTTC, DDU, Gorakhpur, on Multilingualism and Translation,
- 109. Felicitation and Invited Guest, IGNOU Regional Center, Kolkata, during the IGNOU Convocation,5<sup>th</sup> March 2025.
- 110. Zee News live, Solidarity between the three genders, International Women's Day, 8<sup>th</sup> March 2025.
- 111. Keynote Address, Indian Knowledge Systems: the Critical Pedagogy. Amity School of Languages, 18<sup>th</sup> March 2025.
- 112. Invited Lecture, Career Planning, Podcast session by Physics Wallah, 18<sup>th</sup> March 2025.
- 113. Invited Lecture on Poetry of Inclusivity on World Poetry Day, OSOU, 21st March 2025.
- 114. Invited Lecture, Decolonizing Knowledge: Inclusive Education and the Transformative Imperatives of NEP 2020, Odisha State Open University, 28<sup>th</sup> March 2025.
- 115. Invited Speaker and Chief Guest, Mahavir Prasad Dwivedi lecture, USA, 22<sup>nd</sup> March 25.

- 116. Invited Speaker and Resource Person. 'The Myth of Connectivity: Who Really Learns in the Digital Age?' Amity School of Languages. FDP in Amity University, Rajasthan. 21<sup>st</sup> April 2025.
- 117. Resource Person and Invited Speaker, Career Planning. Physicswalla. New Delhi. 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2025.
- 118. Keynote Address: Narrative Authority and Counternarratives in English Studies in India. Pondicherry University, UGC-MMTTC Refresher Course, 17<sup>th</sup> June 2025
- 119. Chief Guest and Session Chair, Vishwa Yoga Divas, H.U., West Bengal, 21st June 2025.
- 120. Plenary Address, 'Speaking Across Borders: Contemporary Narratives of Labour, Gender, and Culture'.FDP on Comparative Literatures in Dr.MGR-JANAKI College of Arts and Science, Chennai, 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2025.
- 121. Chief Guest and Speaker, "Multidisciplinary Aspects of Indian Value System". New Alipore College, 8<sup>th</sup> July 2025.
- 122. Chief Guest and Keynote Address, "World of Words: Female Agency and Literary Resistance in South Asian Narratives." UGC-MMTTC, BHU, Varanasi, special lecture on WOMEN'S STUDIES. 10<sup>th</sup> July 2025.
- 123. Chief Guest and Keynote Address, "Speaking Across Borders: Contemporary Narratives of Labour, Gender, and Culture".MGR Janaki College of Arts and Science, Chennai, 1<sup>st</sup> July.
- 124. A special session with NIEPA & UGC-MMTTC on Indian Knowledge Systems. Topic: FROM SACROSANCT ECO-JUSTICE TO SOCIAL MOBILITY: RETHINKING DEVELOPMENT THROUGH IKS FRAMEWORKS, 22<sup>nd</sup> July 25.
- 125. Invited Speaker, SNDT Arts and Commerce Women's College , topic: REIMAGINING KNOWLEDGE SYSTEMS: THE NEP AND EPISTEMIC ENGAGEMENT OF LANGUAGES, Pune, 18<sup>th</sup> August 2025.
- 126. Invited Speaker, IGNOU & UGC-MMTTC, Vernacular Gateways to Indian Knowledge Systems: Language, Identity and Cultural Continuity. 20<sup>th</sup> August 2025. 127.

# **ORGANIZED SEMINARS:**

- 1. Conducted a two-day National Level Workshop on **English Language Teaching** (ELT) at IACR under Biju Patnaik University of Technology, Odisha, on 26-27 February 2005.
- 2. 2.) Organised National Seminar on the topic: <u>Traditions of Folk in Literature</u> in SOH, IGNOU, New Delhi, on 30-31 August 2010.
- 3. Special Lecture Series of Hindi University on Comparative World Literatures: Lecture-1: 10<sup>th</sup> January 2025
- 4. Special Lecture Series of Hindi University on Comparative World Literatures: Lecture-2: 28<sup>th</sup> January 2025
- 5. Special Lecture Series of Hindi University on Comparative World Literatures: Lecture-3: 8<sup>th</sup> February 2025
- 6. Special Lecture Series of Hindi University on Comparative World Literatures: Lecture-4: 13<sup>th</sup> February 2025-
- 7. Special Lecture Series of Hindi University on Comparative World Literatures: Lecture-27<sup>th</sup> February 2025

- 8. Special Lecture Series of Hindi University on Comparative World Literatures: Lecture-6- 28<sup>th</sup> February 2025.
- 9. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-7, Comparative World Literatures, 17<sup>th</sup> March 2025.
- 10. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-8, Comparative World Literatures, 28<sup>th</sup> March 2025.
- 11. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-9, Comparative World Literatures, 28<sup>th</sup> March 2025.
- 12. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-10, Comparative World Literatures, 5<sup>th</sup> April 2025.
- 13. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-11, Comparative World Literatures, 11<sup>th</sup> April 2025.
- 14. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-12, Comparative World Literatures, 10<sup>th</sup> May2025.
- 15. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-13, Comparative World Literatures, 15<sup>th</sup> May 2025.
- 16. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-14, Comparative World Literatures, 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2025.
- 17. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-15, Comparative World Literatures,6<sup>th</sup> June 2025.
- 18. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-16, Comparative World Literatures, 12<sup>th</sup> June 2025.
- 19. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-17, Comparative World Literatures, 25<sup>th</sup> June 2025.
- 20. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-18, Comparative World Literatures,4<sup>th</sup> July 2025.
- 21. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-19, Comparative World Literatures, 11<sup>th</sup> July 2025.
- 22. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-20, Comparative World Literatures, 18<sup>th</sup> July 2025.
- 23. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-20, Comparative World Literatures, 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2025.
- 24. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-20, Comparative World Literatures, 10<sup>th</sup> August 2025.
- 25. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-20, Comparative World Literatures, 16<sup>th</sup> August 2025.
- 26. Hindi University Special Lecture Series, Lecture-20, Comparative World Literatures, 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2025.

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# **WORKSHOPS ATTENDED:**

- 1) UGC Refresher Course at IACIS, Hyderabad, 1999.
- 2)Induction-cum-Orientation Programme, STRIDE, IGNOU February 13-17, 2006.
- 3) Assessment in Distance Education: Capacity Building of IGNOU Faculty, STRIDE, May 29-30, 2006.
- 4) Development of Self Learning Material for Newly Inducted Faculty of IGNOU, STRIDE, September 4-8, 2006.
- 5) Programme Evaluation in Open Distance Learning, STRIDE, August 1-3, 2007.

- 6) IOCG Orientation and Training Programme conducted by ACILL, IGNOU on 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> May, 2009.
- 7) International Workshop on 'Open Badges for Open Education'; STRIDE, IGNOU, 17<sup>th</sup> March 2017.

# PROGRAMME DESIGN FOR DISTANCE EDUCATION (IGNOU)

- 1. Programme Coordinator and all courses coordinator, MA in Folklore and Culture Studies (64 credits MA Programme from SOITS(MAFCS), IGNOU)
- 2. Programme Coordinator and Course(s) Coordinator, PGDFCS( P.G. Diploma in Folklore and Culture Studies):32 credits, 1 year Diploma Programme
- 3. Course Coordinator, MBP-005: part of PGDBP: P.G.Diploma in Book Publishing,
- 4. (Course title: Editing Books for Children)
- **5.** Course Coordinator, MEG-16, *Indian Folk Literature*(8 credits Elective Course for MA English)
- **6. Course Coordinator, BEGLA 135,** *English in Daily Life*(8 credits Elective Course for BA English)
- 7. CBCS BA General Course, Reading and Speaking Skills, SOH. (BEGLA 138)
- 8. CBCS MIL Odia Course for BA General, SOH (BODLA 135).
- 9. Course Coordinator, CBCS BA English Hons Course, *British Romantic Literature*, for BA English Hons, SOH.
- 10. Course Coordinator, CBCS BA English Hons Course, *Postcolonial Literatures*, for BA English Hons, SOH.
- 11. Course Coordinator, M.A. English Course title: American Drama(8 credits).
- 12. Course Coordinator, M.A. English Course title: American Poetry (8 credits).
- 13. Course designer: B Sc Energy and FYUP course titled: Stories from Myths, Siddhantas and Puranas for SOET, IGNOU (6 credits)

# LIST OF UNITS/LESSONS WRITTEN FOR DISTANCE EDUCATION (IGNOU)

PROGRAMME: **PG** DIPLOMA IN BOOK PUBLISHING; COURSE: EDITING BOOKS FOR CHILDREN

- 1) Block 1: Unit 1: PGDBP, MBP-005, Understanding issues of language, vocabulary, phonetics and grammar; (co-authored)
- 2) Block 1: Unit 2: PGDBP, MBP-005, Understanding developmental psychology of learners (attitudes aptitudes); (co-authored)
- 3) Block 2: Unit 1 PGDBP, MBP-005, Editing books for children of different age groups; (co-authored)
- 4) Block 2: Unit 4 PGDBP, MBP-005, Editing fantasy and science fiction; (co-authored)
- 5) Block 3: Unit 1: PGDBP, MBP-005, Editing text books, dictionaries and encyclopedia for children; (co-authored)
- 6) Block 4: Unit 2: PGDBP, MBP-005, Editing poetry/ rhymes for children; (co-authored)
- 7) Block 4: Unit 3: PGDBP, MBP-005, Editing patriotic literature, biographies, travelogues for children.

#### UNITS WRITTEN FOR PG DIPLOMA IN FOLKLORE AND CULTURE STUDIES

- 8) Course -1 Block 1: Unit 1: Definition, Function and Genres(co-authored)
- 9) Course -1 Block 4: Unit 3: Different Approaches to Language and Cultural Preservation

- 10) Course -1 Block 4: Unit 4: Different Approaches to Folklore and Cultural Preservation
- 11) Course-2 Block 1: Unit2: Oral, Performative and Knowledge-based(co-authored)
- 12) Course-2 Block 3: Unit 3: Performative Art Forms(co-authored)
- 13) Course-2 Block 3: Unit 5: Festivals and Rituals(co-authored)
- **14)** Course-3 Block 1: Unit 1: Verbal / Oral and Non-Verbal(co-authored)
- 15) Course-3 Block 4: Unit 2: 'Folk' in Indian Literature(co-authored)
- **16)** Course -4 Block 1: Unit 1: Types of Tribes Migrant, Hunting Gathering, Cultivating(co-authored)
- 17) Course -4 Block 2: Unit 1: Migrant (co-authored)
- 18) Course -4 Block 2: Unit 2: Nomadic(co-authored)
- 19) Course -4 Block 2: Unit 3: Hunting and Gathering(co-authored)
- 20) Course -5 Project Manual, MFCI-005(co-authored)

# UNITS WRITTEN FOR BA & MA PROGRAMMES

- 22) Written three chapters for MEG-16, 'Indian Folk Literature.'
- 23) Written three chapters for MEG-17. 'American Drama'
- 24) Written four chapters for MEG-18, 'American Poetry.'
- 25) Compiled all chapters of BEGLA 138
- 26) Written one chapter for BODLA 135 on Fakir Mohan Senapati
- 27) Compiled all chapters of BEGC 109 (British Romantic Literature)
- 28) Compiled all chapters of BEGC 114 (Postcolonial Literatures)

#### RESEARCH GUIDANCE

- Manas Ranjan Misra: Manoj Das: An Artist of Traditional Values with Modern Outlook. (Awarded)
- Padmini Sahu: De-stress the Distress by Writing the Nation: A Study of Jhumpa Lahiri's Interpreter of Maladies and the Namesake.(Awarded)
- Niroj Kumar Sethi, 'A Critical Study of Manoj Das's Narrative Techniques'.(Awarded)
- Mokshi Juyal, 'Migrancy, Exile, and Identity: Investigating the Works of Bharti Mukherjee, Meena Alexander and Jhumpa Lahiri' (awarded)
- Abdur Rekib, 'Folklore and Folk-life in the Creative Writings of Y.D. Thongshi' (Awarded)
- Abha Mishra, 'Literary Endeavour as Spiritual Accomplishment: A Study of the Major Novels of Raja Rao'. (Awarded)
- Vipan Kumar, 'Aesthetics of Marginality: Technique as Discovery in the Novels of Toni Morrison'.(Awarded)
- Koushambi Dixit, 'Exploring Allegories in Vikram Seth's Poetry, Especially Beastly Tales from Here and There' (awarded)
- Sneha Sawai: 'The Politics of Masculinity: Perceptions and Representations in African-American Literature' (awarded)
- Bhaskar Bhushan: 'A Literolegal Study of the Dystopia: The Panoptic View'. (work in progress)
- Sagar Sharma: 'Arthur Miller: Strategies of Dissent and Assertion.' (awarded)
- Devendar Sandhu: 'Social Psychology Perspective in Select Novels of Suzanne Collins and Veronica Roth.' (awarded)
- Pushpa P Menon: 'Ecofeminism and Folklore in Amitav Ghosh's The Hungry Tide, Ibis Trilogy and Gun Island.' (awarded)

- Diksha Samantray: 'Corporeality: Body Politics in Jayanta Mahapatra's Poetry.' (work in progress)
- Manisha Rahul Sinha(Co-Supervisor): ELT. (awarded)
- Shibani Phukkan, Poetry of the North-East (work in progress)
- Swara Thakkar, Graphic Novels (work in progress)

# **Co-Supervisor/Advisor for Other Universities:**

- Shibangi Das, PG Department of English, University of Delhi.
- Racitta Mittal, PG Department of English, University of Delhi.

# OTHER ACADEMIC WORK

- 1. Expert for the design of M.A. English, Uttarakhand Open University (7.11.2007)
- 2. Face-to-face classes on *Creative Writing* for SOJNMS (April 2010)
- 3. Expert, PG Diploma in Diaspora and Transnational Studies, SOITS(17-18<sup>th</sup> Sept 2010)
- 4. Member, Selection Committee, Okhla Govt. Engineering College, 3.7.2010
- 5. Paper setter/ subject expert for UPSC examinations
- 6. M.Phil/PhD Examiner, JNU, DU, Jamia, Utkal University, Berhapmur University, CCSU, and 65 other universities
- 7. Advisor, Staff Selection Commission (Indian Information Service)
- 8. Chairperson, Interview Board, Rajya Sabha/ Lok Sabha Secretariat, New Delhi(17,18 and 25<sup>th</sup> Nov2012)
- 9. Member, Book Advisory Committee (BAC), Delhi Public Library, 21<sup>st</sup> August 2014.
- 10. Member, Advisory Board, Syllabus Design Committee, University of Delhi
- 11. Guest of Honour, DPS, Dwarka
- 12. Subject Expert, Expert Committee Meeting for Certificate Programme in Folk Theatre and Performance of North East India, SOPVA, IGNOU.
- 13. Member, Advisory Board, Committee of Courses and Studies for PG and BA(Hons) and Research Studies(CBCS), Delhi University
- 14. Member, Advisory Board, Journal of Mauritian Studies, MGI, Mauritius,23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2016
- 15. Paper setter/ subject expert for Rajya Sabha Secretariat
- 16. ELT Expert, POSOCO, April 2019
- 17. Advisory Board Member, Delhi University, FDP on the topic "Emerging Accessible Technologies for Persons with Disabilities".
- 18. Member, Selection Committee, Parliament of India (For SE positions)
- 19. Convener, UGC NET Examinations for English Literature & Comparative Literature
- 20. Convener, UGC NET Examinations for Folk Literature
- 21. Member, Board of Studies, Jharkhand Central University
- 22. Visitors Nominee and Subject Expert, Selection Committee, University of Delhi
- 23. Visitors Nominee and Subject Expert, Selection Committee, Central University of Jharkhand
- 24. Visitors Nominee and Subject Expert, Selection Committee, Central University of Odisha
- 25. Visitors Nominee and Subject Expert, Selection Committee, Central University of Andhra Pradesh
- 26. Subject Expert, Selection Committee, NIFT

- 27. Subject Expert, Selection Committee, SSC
- 28. Visitors Nominee and Subject Expert, Selection Committee, JMI
- 29. Member ,Board of Studies and Syllabus Design Committee, CUAP
- 30. Convener, West Bengal State Eligibility Test for English literature.

#### RESEARCH WORK DONE ON NANDINI SAHU'S WRITINGS:

- 1. Suresh Nath, 'Seclusion, the Inherent Design: Poetry of Nandini Sahu', <a href="https://www.boloji.com">www.boloji.com</a> January, 2006
- 2. Shruti Das, 'Claiming Identity: The Female Voice in the Poetry of Nandini Sahu', *Atlantic Feminist Review*, Vol. 4, No.5, July 2014
- 3. Srideep Mukherjee, 'The Concert of Womanhood': Reading Nandini Sahu's *Sita* (A Poem), The Criterion, Vol 7, Issue 2, April 2016.
- 4. Gagan Bihari Purohit, PhD thesis, Odia Poets Writing in English: A Study of the Poetry of Jayanta Mahapatra, Bibhu Padhy, Niranjan Mohanty and Nandini Sahu. Awarded from BU, Odisha, 2014
- 5. Santosh K Padhy, 'Time Space Continuum: the Poetry of Nandini Sahu', Vol-1, No-8, Multidisciplinary Journal, New Delhi, 2010
- 6. Santosh K Padhy, 'Study of Ancient Wisdom: the Poetry of Nandini Sahu'', Kafla Intercontinental, Vol-7, No-3, Chandigarh, 2013
- 7. Devender Sandhu, 'Canny and Decisive Sita', www.boloji.com
- 8. Devender Sandhu, Review of Sita(A Poem), http://www.galaxyimrj.com/V3/n6/Sandhu.pdf
- 9. Niroj Sethi, Review of Suvarnarekha, Poetcrit, Maranda, Jan-March 2015
- 10. Niroj Sethi, 'Suvarnarekha: Poems on Zest and Creativity of Women.' https://learningandcreativity.com/suvarnarekha-poems-zest-spirit-women-book-review/
- 11. Vipan Kumar Jangria, Review of Sita(A Poem), Poetcrit, Maranda, Jan-March 2016
- 12. Gagan Bihari Purohit, *Review of Sita(A Poem)*, <a href="http://www.the-criterion.com/sita-by-nandini-sahu/#.VQFo546wcwB">http://www.the-criterion.com/sita-by-nandini-sahu/#.VQFo546wcwB</a>
- 13. Merinews, 'Review of Sukamaa and Other Poems', <a href="http://www.merinews.com/article/yes-nandini-sahus-magic-cadence-of-poetic-thoughts-reigns/15890422.shtml">http://www.merinews.com/article/yes-nandini-sahus-magic-cadence-of-poetic-thoughts-reigns/15890422.shtml</a>
- 14. 'Review of Silver Poems on My Lips', www.isahitya.com
  - http://isahitya.com/index.php/books/book-review/484-book-review-silver-poems-on-my-lips-poetry-collection-by-nandini-sahu
- 15. Mokshi Juyal, Review of Sita(A Poem), www.criterion.com
- 16. Ritanath Keshri, 'Ecofeminist Sita: Nandini Sahu's *Sita: A Poem', Poetcrit,* Maranda, India, Sept-Dec 2006

- 17. Ratan Bhattacharjee, Sunday, September 2005, The Tribune, Nandini Sahu's *The Other Voice*
- 18. Mohammad Saleem, *Review of Silver Poems on My Lips*, All About Book Publishing, Jan-June 2013, New Delhi
- 19. Mridusmita Baruah, Review of Sita(A Poem), www.langlit.com
- 20. Santanu Halder, Review of Sukamaa and Other Poems, www.isahitya.com 2014
- 21. Deepangshu Das, 'Journey of a Great Poetic Soul: Nandini Sahu' http://www.merinews.com/article/nandini-sahu-journey-of-a-great-poetic-soul/15884932.shtml
- 22. 'Nandini Sahu, the Poet of Our Times', Literary News, http://www.indianwriters.org/literary news/literarynews.htm
- 23. Deepa R., Assistant Prof, MSM College, Kayamkulam, 'Rendering Voice to Voiceless: A Reading of the Select Poems of Nandini Sahu'; UGC Seminar, St.Cyril's College, MS University, Thirunelveli, *Complete Book of Seminar Papers*, November 2016.
- 24. Nitha Maria Shaji, Institute of English, University of Kerala, 'An Analysis of Select Poems of Nandini Sahu's Images of Alienation, Existential Absurdity and the Discovery of Female'; UGC Seminar, St.Cyril's College, MS University, Thirunelveli, *Complete Book of Seminar Papers*, November 2016.
- 25. Sujitha S, M Phil Thesis submitted and awarded to the University of Kerala, 'Ecofeminism in Nandini Sahu's Poem *Sita*'.
- 26. C Mothilal Dinesh, 'Subjective and Social Perspectives: A Study of Nandini Sahu's Select Poems and Rita Yasoda's *Blueness*'; M Phil Thesis submitted and awarded to ACAS, Tiruchendur, Tamil Nadu.
- 27. G Premasundari, 'Patch and Dispatch: An Analysis of Select Poems in Nandini Sahu's *The Other Voice*'. Critical Perspectives on Contemporary Women Poets in Indian English Poetry. Ed. K V Raghupathi. Aadi Publications, Jaipur, India, 2015.
- 28. R.Janatha, 'Nandini Sahu's *Sukamaa* as Subaltern Studies', *Contemporary Indian Literature*, Atlantic Publishers, 2016
- 29. Santosh K Padhy(Ed), 'Nandini Sahu's Ecofeministic Perspectives: A Study of Sita, A Poem', Ecofeminism as a Global Condition, Earth Vision Publications, New Delhi, 2016
- 30. M Phil Dissertation converted to book by Soubhagya Satheesh from Sree Ayyappa College, Kerala, India. April, 2018. 'Unraveling the Mystical Sita: A Deconstructive Re-reading of The Ramayana'
- 31. Sutanuka Ghosh Roy, 'Nandini Sahu's Sita: An Ecocritical Analysis', New Dimensions in English Literature, Ed.P Ananthan, Pratham Publications, Gujarat, India, 2018
- 32. Vipan Kumar Jangra, 'Thematic Concerns in Nandini Sahu's *Sukamaa and Other Poems*', BRICS Journal of Educational Research, Vol 1, Issue 1, Jan-March 2018

- 33. Santosh K Padhy. "Sunyavada and Zero Point by Nandini Sahu". Poetcrit, Vol.32, No.2, July-Dec 2019.
- 34. Vipan Kumar Jangra, 'Thematic Concerns in Nandini Sahu's Sukamaa and Other Poems', Envisioning the Indian Muse, Ed.G Karmakar, Transcendent Zero Press, Houston, USA, 2019.
- 35. Gagan Bihari Purohit, 'Being in the World and Beyond: A Review of Nandini Sahu's *Zero Point'*, Contemporary Vibes, Vol.15, Issue-55, 2020.
- 36. Sutanuka Ghosh Roy, Review of Sita(A Poem), Life and Legends, January 2020, USA.
- 37. PhD Thesis converted to book by S Gayatri (Supervisor: Dr. Karthika Devi). 'Oppression, Resistance and Emergence of Women: A Feminist Reading of Select Poems of Nandini Sahu, Eunice de Souza and Imtiaz Dharkar'. M.V.Muthiah Government Arts College for Women, Dindigul, affiliated to Mother Teresa Women's University, Kodaikanal, Tamil Nadu.
- 38. Sutanuka Ghosh Roy , 'Sitayayan', *Commentaries: Elucidating Poetics*, Hawakal Publications, New Delhi, 2021
- 39. Sutanuka Ghosh Roy, 'The Celebration of Womanhood', *Commentaries: Elucidating Poetics*, Hawakal Publications, New Delhi, 2022.
- 40. Nandini Sahu's Sita, by H K Mohanta. Eternity, March 2022.
- 41. Pushpa Menon. "Nandini Sahu's Love Poems Attain Paradise by Touch—Reading *A Song, Half & Half*". *Different Truths*, May, 2022.
- 42. Shaleen Kumar Singh. "Nandini Sahu's Sita: Retelling Poetic Memoir of the Protagonist." Creative Saplings, Vol-1, Issue 2,May 2022.
- 43. Shaleen Kumar Singh. "Nandini Sahu's Sita." New Literatures in English. ABS Books, Delhi, China and Kyrgyzstan.
- 44. महावीर समता संदेश , उदयपुर ,A Meaningful Discourse on Nandini Sahu's SITA,12<sup>th</sup> July 2022.
- 45. Samvad, 7<sup>th</sup> August 2022, Review of *Re-reading Jayanta Mahapatra* by Nandini Sahu.
- 46. Academic review of *Rereading Jayanta Mahapatra* by Nandini Sahu. Reviewed by Dr Tapan Panda in *Seithu Arambha* on 4<sup>th</sup> September 2022.
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