SYLLUBUS FOR ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE (MODEL1)

2017 ADMISSIONSONWARDS

SCHEME

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Semester	Title	Course Category/Code	Hours Per Week	Credits	Internal Assessment	External Exam
1	Fine-tune YourEnglish	Common Course-1 EN1CCT01	5	4	20	80
1	Pearls fromthe Deep	Common Course-2 EN1CCT02	4	3	20	80
1	Second Language	Common Course	4	4	20	80
1	Methodologyof Literary Studies	Core Course-1 EN1CRT01	6	4	20	80
1	History/Political Science/ Sociology/ Psychology	ComplementaryCourse	6	4	20	80
2	Issues that Matter	Common Course-3 EN2CCT03	5	4	20	80
2	Savouring the Classics	Common Course-4 EN2CCT04	4	3	20	80
2	Introducing Language and Literature	Core Course -2 EN2CRT02	6	4	20	80
2	Second Language	Common Course	4	4	20	80
2	History /Political Science / Sociology/ Psychology	ComplementaryCourse	6	4	20	80
3	Literature and/as Identity	Common Course-5 EN3CCT05	5	4	20	80
3	Second Language	Common Course	5	4	20	80
3	Harmonyof Prose	Core Course -3 EN3CRT03	4	4	20	80
3	Symphonyof Verse	Core Course -4 EN3CRT04	5	4	20	80
3	Evolution of Literary Movements: the Shapers of Destiny	ComplementaryCourse3 - EN3CMT03	6	4	20	80
4	Illuminations	Common Course-6 EN4CCT06	5	4	20	80
4	Second Language	Common Course	5	4	20	80
4	Modes of Fiction	Core Course -5 EN4CRT05	4	4	20	80
4	Language andLinguistics	Core Course -6 EN4CRT06	5	4	20	80
4	Evolution of Literary	ComplementaryCourse4	6	4	20	80

	Movements:the Cross Currents of Change	- EN4CMT04				
5	Open Course	EN5CROP01 Appreciating Films EN5CROP02 TheatreStudies EN5CROP03 English forCareers	4	3	20	80
5	Acts on the Stage	Core Course -7 EN5CRT07	6	5	20	80
5	LiteraryCriticismand Theory	Core Course -8 EN5CRT08	5	4	20	80
5	Indian Writing in English	Core Course -9 EN5CRT09	5	4	20	80
5	Environmental Science and Human Rights	Core Course EN5CRENT0	5	4	20	80
6	Choice Based Course	EN6CBT01Comparativ e Literature EN6CBT02 Modern Malayalam Literaturein Translation EN6CBT03 Regional Literatures in Translation EN6CBT04 Voices from the Margins	4	4	20	80
6	PostcolonialLiteratures	Core Course -10 EN6CRT10	5	4	20	80
6	Women Writing	Core Course -11 EN6CRT11	5	4	20	80
6	AmericanLiterature	Core Course -12 EN6CRT12	5	4	20	80
6	Modern World Literature	Core Course -13 EN6CRT13	5	4	20	80
6	Project	EN6PR01	1	2	20	80

CommonCourses

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SYLLABIFORCOMMONCOURSES-UGPROGRAMMES

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COURSE1-Fine-tuneYourEnglish

Course Code	EN1CCT01	
Title of the course	Fine-tune Your English	
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe	1	
taught		
No. of credits	4	
No. of contact hours	90	

AIMOFTHECOURSE

The course is intended to introduce the students to the basics of grammar, usage and effective communication.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student should beable to:1. confidentlyuse English in both written and spoken forms. 2. Use English forformal communication effectively.

COURSEOUTLINE

SECTIONA: The Sentence and its Structure

CHAPTER ONE: How to Write Effective Sentences

CHAPTER TWO: Phrases—What are They?

CHAPTER THREE: The Noun Clauses CHAPTER FOUR: The Adverb Clause

CHAPTER FIVE: "If All the Trees Were Bread and Cheese"

CHAPTER SIX: The Relative Clause

CHAPTER SEVEN: How Clauses are Conjoined **SECTIONB:Word-ClassesandRelatedTopics** CHAPTER EIGHT: Understanding the Verb

CHAPTER NINE: Understanding Auxiliary Verbs

CHAPTER TEN: Understanding Adverbs

CHAPTER ELEVEN: Understanding Pronouns CHAPTER TWELVE: The Reflexive Pronoun

CHAPTER THIRTEEN: The Articles I CHAPTER FOURTEEN: The Articles II CHAPTER FIFTEEN: The Adjective CHAPTER SIXTEEN: Phrasal Verbs

CHAPTER SEVENTEEN: Mind your Prepositions

SECTIONC:ToErrisHuman

CHAPTER EIGHTEEN: Concord

CHAPTER TWENTY: Errors, Common and Uncommon

CHAPTER TWENTY-ONE: False Witnesses **SECTIOND: The World of Words** CHAPTER

THIRTY-TWO: Word Formation

CHAPTER THIRTY-THREE: Using the Specific Word

CHAPTER THIRTY-SEVEN: Body Vocabulary

SECTIONG:TenseandRelatedTopics

CHAPTER FORTY-SEVEN: 'Presentness' and Present Tenses CHAPTER FORTY-EIGHT: The 'Presentness' of a Past Action

CHAPTER FORTY-NINE: Futurity in English

CHAPTER FIFTY: Passivisation

SECTIONH:IdiomaticLanguageCHAPTER

FIFTY-ONE: 'Animal' Expressions CHAPTER

FIFTY-TWO: Idiomatic Phrases

SECTIONI:Interrogatives and Negatives

CHAPTER FIFTY-FIVE: Negatives

CHAPTER FIFTY-SIX: How to Frame Ouestions

CHAPTER FIFTY-SEVEN: What's What?

CHAPTER FIFTY-EIGHT: The Question Tag

SECTIONJ:ConversationalEnglish

CHAPTER SIXTY-TWO: Is John There Please? **SECTIONK:MiscellaneousandGeneralTopics** CHAPTER SEVENTY-THREE: Letter Writing

In addition there will be an essay question on a general topic.

CoreText: *Fine-tuneYourEnglish* **byDrMathewJoseph.** OrientBlackswanand Mahatma Gandhi University

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COURSE2-PearlsfromtheDeep

Course Code	EN1CCT02
Title of theCourse	PearlsfromtheDeep
Semester in whichthe Course is to be taught	1
No. of Credits	3
No. of Contact Hours	72

AIMOFTHECOURSE

To introducestudents to the differentgenres of literature and to the niceties of literary expression.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student should beable to:

- 1. appreciate and enjoyworks of literature.
- 2. appreciate the aesthetic and structural elements of literature.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1[Fiction] (18hours)

ErnestHemingway: TheOldManandtheSea

Module2[OneActPlays] (18hours)

Susan Glaspell: Trifles

Asif Currimbhoy:TheRefugee A. A. Milne: TheBoyComes Home

Module3[ShortStories] (18hours)

GuyDe Maupassant: Two Friends O. Henry: The Gift of the Magi

K. A. Abbas: Sparrows

FloraAnnie Steel: Valiant Vicky, the Brave Weaver

Module4[Poems] (18hours)

Rumi:The Chanceof Humming

Walter Scott:Lochinvar

John Keats:La Belle Dame sans Mercy Robert Frost: After Apple Picking

Chinua Achebe: Refugee Mother and Child KamalaDas: MyGrandmother's HouseTed

Hughes: Jaguar

Pablo Neruda: TonightI can Write the SaddestLines

P. P. Ramachandran: How Simple!

CoreText:PearlsfromtheDeep. Cambridge UniversityPressand Mahatma Gandhi

University

SYLLABIFORCOMMONCOURSES-

UGPROGRAMMES2017ADMISSIONSONWARDSCOURSE

3-ISSUESTHATMATTER

CourseCode	EN2CCT03
Titleofthecourse	ISSUESTHATMATTER
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobet	2
aught	
No.ofcredits	4
No.ofcontacthours	90

1. Aimofthe Course:

To sensitize the learners about contemporary issues of concern; to enhance their linguistic skills in English language.

Objectives:

By the end of the course, the learner is able to

- identify major issues of contemporary significance
 - respond rationally and positively to the issues raised
- internalise the values imparted through the excerpts
- re-orient himself/ herself asconscious, cautious, concerned, conscientious and concerned human being and
- articulate these values in error free English.

2.CourseOutline:

Module1 (18hours)

- 1. The Unsurrendered People Kenzaburo Oe
- 2. The Old Prison Judith Wright
- 3. War– Luigi Pirandello

Module2 (18hours)

4. Persuasions on the Power of the Word - Salman Rushdie

Peril - Toni Morrison

- 5. The Burning of the Books- Bertolt Brecht
- 6. The Censors Luisa Valenzuela

Module3 (18hours)

- 7. "The Poisoned Bread" Bandhumadhav
- 8. A Westward Trip-Zitkala Sa
- 9. "The Pot Maker" TemsulaAo

Module4 (18hours)

- 10. Does it Matter Richard Leaky
- 11. On Killing A Tree Gieve Patel
- 12. Hagar: A Story of a Woman and Water (Gift in Green [chapter 2]) Sarah Joseph

Module5 (18hours)

- 13. Understanding Refugeeism: An Introduction to Tibetan Refugees in India
- 14.Refugee Blues W. H. Auden
- 15. The Child Goes to the Camp(from Palestine's Children)—GhassanKanafani

CoreText:ISSUESTHATMATTER

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COURSE4-SavouringtheClassics

EN2CCT04
SavouringtheClassics
2
3
72

AIMOFCOURSE

To introduce the students to the taste of time tested world classics.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student should:

- 1. become familiar with the classics from various lands.
- 2. understandthe features that go into the making of a classic.

OUTLINEOFTHECOURSE

Module1[Poems] (18hours)

Homer: "Father and Son" (*Odyssey* Book 16: 113-189) (Translated by Robert Fagles)

Kalidasa: "Lovely is Youth" (Translated by J.G. Jennings)

Omar Khayyam: *Rubaiyat* (quatrains: 25-28) (Translated by Edward Fitzgerald)
Dante: Dante meets Virgil (*Inferno* Canto 1: 49-102) (Translated by J.G. Nichols)

John Milton: "On his Blindness"

Module2[ShakespeareExcerpts]R

(18hours)

omeoandJuliet: ACT II, Scene ii
TheMerchantofVenice: ACT IV, Scene i

Module3[NovelExcerpts]

(18hours)

Miguel de Cervantes: *DonQuixote* (Chapter 8) (Translated by Edith Grossman)

Jane Austen: *PrideandPrejudice* (Chapters 1-6)

Victor Hugo: Les Miserables (Part 1- Fantine, Book II, Chapters 9-13) (Translated by Christine

Donougher)

Module4[ShortFiction]

(18hours)

Charles Dickens: The Black Veil

Leo Tolstoy: *HowMuchLandDoesaManNeed*? (Translated by Louise & Aylmer Maude)

Rabindranath Tagore: *Kabuliwala* (Translated by Mohammad A. Quayum) Jorge Louis Borges: *TheShapeoftheSword* (Translated by Andrew Hurley)

CoreText:SavouringtheClassics

RecommendedReading

Italo Calvino: WhyReadtheClassics?

A. C. Bradley: *ShakespeareanTragedy*

Katherine Armstrong: StudyingShakespeare:APracticalIntroduction

Gemma McKenzie: FoundationsofEuropeanDrama

Harold Bloom: The Western Canon

JeremyHawthorn: StudyingtheNovel

C. Marydas: ShakespeareanAestheticsforUniversityWits

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COURSE5-Literatureand/asIdentity

Course Code	EN3CCT05		
Title of the course	Literatureand/asIdentity		
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	3		
No. of credits	4		
No. of contact hours	90		

AIMOFTHECOURSE

The course is intended to sensitivise students to the various ways in which literature serves as a platform for forming, consolidating, critiquing and re-working the issue of _identity at various levels.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student should beaware of the following:

- 1. The subtle negotiations of Indigenous and Diasporic identities with-inLiterature.
- 2. The fissures, the tensions and the interstices present in South Asian regional identities.
- 3. The emergence of Life Writing and alternate/alternative/marginal identities.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1(DiasporicIdentities)

(18hours)

Agha Shahid Ali:ISeeKashmir from New Delhi at Midnight

M.G. Vassanji: Leaving

ImtiazDharker: At theLahoreKarhai

ChitraBanerjee Divakaruni:Indian Movie, New Jersey

Module2(SouthAsianIdentities)

(18hours)

C. V. Velupillai: No State, No Dog SadaatHasanManto: The Dog of Tetwal IntizarHussain: A Chronicle of the Peacocks

Selina Hossain: Double War

Module3(LifeWritings)

(18hours)

Malcolm X: —Nightmarell, excerpt from *TheAutobiographyofMalcolmX*. Sashi Deshpande: Learning to be a Mother in *Janani*—*Mothers*, *Daughters*, *Motherhood*, (ed.) RinkiBhattacharya.

Module4(IndigenousIdentities)

(18hours)

Excerptsfrom *Binti*, the Santhal creations ong of cosmology, the *Bhilli Mahabharat* and *Garhwali Song s* in *Painted Words-An Anthology of Tribal Literature*-Edited by G.N. Devy. Amos Tutuola: *The Palm-Wine Drinkard*. [Excerpt]

Module5(AlterIdentities)

(18hours)

Nathaniel Hawthorne: TheBirth Mark

John Henrik Clarke: TheBoyWho Painted Christ Black

Ruskin Bond: TheGirl on the Train

CoreText:Literatureand/asIdentity

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COURSE6-Illuminations

Course Code	EN4CCT06
Title of the course	Illuminations
Semester inwhichthecourseistobe	4
taught	
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	90

AIMOFTHECOURSE

To acquaint the learners with different forms of inspiring and motivating literature.

OUTLINEOFTHECOURSE

At the end of the course, the student shall be able to: 1. maintain a positive attitude to life.

2. evaluate and overcome setbacks based on the insights that these texts provide.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1[LifeSketches]

(18hours)

Helen Keller: Three Days to See

Jesse Owens: MyGreatest OlympicPrize

Dominic Lapierre: Mother Teresa

Module2[Essays] (18hours)

Lafcadio Hearn: On Reading

Stephen Leacock: Are the Rich Happy?

A.G. Gardiner: On Courage

Module3[Speeches] (18hours)

J.K. Rowling: Thefringebenefits of failure and the importanceof imagination

MalalaYousafzai: NobelLecture

Module4[ShortStories] (18hours)

Oscar Wilde: The Nightingale and the Rose

George Orwell: The Miser

John Galsworthy: Quality

Paolo Coelho: The Beggar and the Baker

Module5[Poems] (18hours)

William Ernest

Henley:InvictusRobert Frost: TheRoad Not Taken Kahlil Gibran: OfGood and Evil JoyceKilmer: Trees

CoreText:*Illuminations*

CoreCourses

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COURSE1-MethodologyofLiteraryStudies

Course Code EN1CRT01

Title of the course MethodologyofLiteraryStudies
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught 1

No. of credits 4

No. of contact hours 108

AIMOFTHECOURSE

The courseseeks to introduce the student to the major signposts in the historical evolution of literary studies from its inception to the current postcolonial realm.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student should beable to discern the following:

- 1. The emergence of literature as a specific discipline within the humanities.
- 2. Thetenets of what is now known as _traditional'approaches and also that of _formalism.' 3. Theshift towards contextual-political critiques of literarystudies.
- 4. Thequestions raised by Cultural Studies and Feminism(s)
- 5. Theissues of sublaternity and regionality in the literary domain.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1 (18hours)

PartA:W. H. Hudson: —SomeWays of Studying Literature from

AnIntroductiontotheStudyofLiterature.

PartB: William Shakespeare: Sonnet 116 – Let Me Not to the Marriage of TrueMinds

Module2 (18hours)

PartA: Cleanth Brookes: —The Formalist Critics | from the MyCredo

series:*TheKenyonReview*

PartB: EmilyDickinson: —Because I could not stop for Death (poem 479)

Module3 (18hours)

PartA: TerryEagleton: —WhatisLiterature? I from *LiteraryTheory:AnIntroduction*.

PartB: MahaswetaDevi:—Kuntiand theNishadin

Module4 (18hours)

PartA:Lois Tyson: —Feminist Criticism

PartB: Sara Joseph: —InsideEveryWomanWriter

Module5 (18hours)

PartA: Peter Barry: Postcolonial Criticism

PartB: 2 Poems in tandem: Mahmoud Darwish: —Identity Cardland S. Joseph: —Identity

Card

Module6 (18hours)

PartA: PradeepanPampirikunnu: —WhatdidLiteraryHistories Sayto

You? | PartB: PoikayilAppachan: —NoAlphabet in Sight|

Approaching the Course:

Ideallythis paper shouldhave aconsistentlinearityfrom Module1to6; sucha step-by-step progressionwillhelptracethefollowing trajectoryeffectively:**Traditional**to**Formalist**to **Political-Contextual**to **Feminist** to **Postcolonial**to**Regional-Subaltern** methodologies.

CoreText: *Nuances:MethodologyofLiteraryStudies.* Macmillan and Mahatma Gandhi University

SYLLABIFORCORECOURSES-UGPROGRAMMES

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COURSE2-IntroducingLanguageandLiterature

Course Code Title of the course	EN2CRT02 IntroducingLanguageandLiterature
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	2
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	108

AIMOFTHECOURSE

The courseseeks to introduce the student to the basics of English languageand literature.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student should beable to discern the following:

- 1. The evolution and the differential traits of the English language till the present time. 2. The evolution of literature from antiquity to postmodern times.
- 3. The diversity of genres and techniques of representation and narration 4. The links between literature and film as narrative expressions.
- 5. The emergence of British and American Literature through diverse periods

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1

(18hours)

Language families-IndoEuropean familyoflanguages:BranchesofIndoEuropean-Home of the Indo Europeans -Main characteristics ofIndo European languages

Germanic familyofLanguages: Characteristics-Grimm'sLaw - Verner's Law.- The position of English inIndo European family

Periods in the historyof English language:

dialects -French influence

Old English period - Old English Dialects - Old English vocabulary Middle English period - Norman Conquest - Middle English Vocabulary - Middle English

Modern English period: Earlymodern English - The Great Vowel Shift- Renaissance and Reformation - Theinvention of printing - Authors and Books: The Bible - Shakespeare-Milton - Dictionaries - Loan words: Celtic, Scandinavian, Latin, French

Module2

(18hours)

LanguageVarieties

Dialect - Sociolect-Idiolect - Register - Pidgin - Creole -

English Today: Evolution of Standard English- Standard British English - Received Pronunciation - English as Global language - American English - Australian English-General Indian English-African English - Caribbean English - Second language acquisition Word Formation: Compounding - Derivation - Abbreviation - Onomatopoeic words - Clipping - Acronyms - Portmanteau words

Historical Semantics - Semantic change: Generalisation - Specialisation - Association of Ideas -Euphemism- Popular misunderstanding

Module3 (36hours)

Classical Genres: Epic-Drama-Poetry

Modern Genres: Novel - Short Story- Novella

GenreTypes:

Poetry- Narrative poetry and lyrical poetry - Elegy - Ode -Sonnet - Ballad- Dramatic

Monologue

Drama - Tragedy-Comedy-Closet Drama - EpicTheatre - Theatre of the Absurd

Ambience:

Plot - Character-Point of View - Setting

Module4 (18hours)

Filmand Literature - Dimensions of Film: Visual, Auditory and Spatial- Film Language: Montage and Mise-en-scene - Cut and theShot -Styles of acting – Auteurtheory -Adaptation

Module5 (18hours)

Periods of Literature: British and American

Old English - Middle English - Renaissance - Restoration - Neo-classical - Romantic - Victorian - Modern - Postmodern - American Crossover - American Transcendentalism

CoretextforModules1and2:

V. Shyamala: AShortHistoryofEnglishLanguage.

CoreTextsforModules3,4and5:

Mario Klarer: *AnIntroductiontoLiteraryStudies* [excludingthe 4th chapter on 'Theoretical approaches to literature.']

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COURSE3-HarmonyofProse

Course Code	EN3CRT03	
Title of the course	HarmonyofProse	
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	3	
No. of credits	4	
No. of contact hours	90	

AIMOFTHECOURSE

The student is given space to mature in the presence of glorious essays, both Western and Non-Western.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student shall be:

- 1. familiar with varied prose styles of expression.
- 2. aware of eloquent expressions, brevity and aptness of voicing ideas in stylish language.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1 (18hours)

Francis Bacon: Of Friendship

Jonathan Swift: The Spider and the Bee

Joseph Addison: Meditations in WestminsterAbbey

Module2 (18hours)

Samuel Johnson:Death of

DrydenCharlesLamb: Dream Children; a

reverie

William Hazlitt: The Fight

Module3 (18hours)

Robert Lynd:Forgetting

Virginia Woolf: A Room of One's Own (an extract)

Aldous Huxley: The Beauty Industry

Module4 (18hours)

Nirad C. Choudhari: Indian Crowds (extract from *TheAutobiographyofanUnknownIndian*)

AmartyaSen: Sharingthe World

A. K. Ramanujan: A FloweryTree: A Woman'sTale

Module5

(18hours)

KamauBrathwaite: NationLanguage

PicoIyer:In Praise of the Humble Coma

William Dalrymple: The Dancer of Kannur (extract from Nine Lives)

CoreText: Harmony of Prose

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COURSE4-SymphonyofVerse

Course Code	EN3CRT04	
Title of the course	SymphonyofVerse	
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	3	
No. of credits	4	
No. of contact hours	90	

AIMOFTHECOURSE

To acquaint the studentwith the rich texture of poetryin English.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course the students shall have:

- 1. an understanding of the representation of poetryin various periods of the English tradition.
- 2. an awareness of the emerging cultural andaesthetic expressions that poetrymakespossible.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1(RenaissanceandRestoration)

(18hours)

Edmund Spenser: OneDay IWrote Her Name

WilliamShakespeare: Sonnet 130

John Donne: Canonization John Milton: Lycidas

John Dryden: A Songfor St. Cecilia's Day

Module2(RomanticRevival)

(18hours)

WilliamWordsworth:LucyGray

Samuel Taylor Coleridge: Christabel (Part I) PercyBysshe Shelley: Ode to the West Wind

John Keats: To Autumn

Module3(Victorian)

Alfred, Lord Tennyson: Ulysses Robert Browning: Porphyria'sLover Matthew Arnold:Dover Beach Christina Rossetti: A HopeCarol

Module4(TwentiethCentury)

(18hours)

(18hours)

W. B. Yeats: Easter1916

T S Eliot: TheLoveSong of J Alfred Prufrock

Philip Larkin: The Whitsun Weddings

Sylvia Plath:Lady Lazarus

Module5(Contemporary)

(18hours)

A. D. Hope: Australia

MayaAngelou: Phenomenal Woman

Seamus Heaney:Digging Carol Ann Duffy: Stealing

CoreText:SymphonyofVerse

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COURSE5-ModesofFiction

Course Code	EN4CRT05
Title of the course	ModesofFiction
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	4
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	90

AIMOFTHECOURSE

To acquaint students with various modes of fiction.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student will have comprehended the categories of British and non- British short fiction, and also the novel as a form of literary expression.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1[ShortFiction:British]

(36hours)

MaryShelley: The MortalImmortal Jerome K.Jerome: The Dancing Partner

H. G. Wells: The Stolen Body Somerset Maugham: Rain

G. K. Chesterton: The Blue Cross

JamesJoyce: Araby

Muriel Spark: TheExecutor

A. S. Byatt: On the Day E. M.Forster Died

Module2[ShortFiction:NonBritish]

(36hours)

HenryLawson: The Drover's Wife MaximGorky: Mother of a Traitor Stephen Crane: A Dark Brown Dog Katherine Mansfield: A Cup of Tea Pearl S Buck: Once upon a Christmas

Gabriel Garcia Marquez: A VeryOld Man with Enormous Wings

MaryLerner:Little Selves Nadine Gordimer: Once Upon a Time

Module3[Fiction] (18hours)

Charles Dickens: *GreatExpectations*

Core Text for Modules 1 and 2: Modes of Fiction

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COURSE6-LanguageandLinguistics

Course Code	EN4CRT06
Title of the course	LanguageandLinguistics
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	4
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	90

AIMOFTHECOURSE

This course is an introduction to the scienceof linguistics. It seeks to give an overview of the basic concepts of linguistics and linguistic analysis to the students.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

This course seeks to achieve the following:

- 1. To show the various organs and processes involved in the production of speech, the types and typologyof speech sounds, segmental & suprasegmental features of the English language, and transcription using IPA.
- 2. To describe and explain morphological processes and phenomena.
- 3. To show the various processes involved in the generation of meaning.
- 4. To enhance students' awareness that natural language is structuredependent and generative and to develop their abilityto observe, describe and explain grammatical processes and phenomena.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module 1 [Introduction to Language, Linguistics and Phonetics]

(36hours)

What is Language?- What isLinguistics? Arbitrariness- Duality-Displacement - Cultural transmission

Basic Notions - Phonetics and Phonology- Branches of Phonetics – Articulatory, Acoustic, Auditory

Organs of Speech - Air Stream Mechanism-Pulmonic, Glottal, Velaric

RespiratorySystem - PhonatorySystem - Voicedand Voiceless Sounds

ArticulatorySystem- Oral, nasal &nasalised sounds

Classification of Speech Sounds: Consonants and Vowels -

Criteria for Classification of Consonants- The Consonants of English RP

Placeof Articulation - Bilabial, Labio-Dental, Dental, Alveolar, Post-Alveolar, Palato-Alveolar, Palatal& Velar Sounds

Manner of Articulation –Plosives, Fricatives, Affricates, Nasals, Lateral, Frictionless Continuants, Semi-Vowels, Trills & Taps

Criteria for Classification of Vowels - The Vowels of English RP

Tongueheight: Close Vowels, Open Vowels, Half-Close Vowels, Half-Open Vowels Part of the Tongue Raised: Front Vowels, Back Vowels, and Central VowelsPosition of Lips: Rounded Vowels, Unrounded Vowels

Diphthongs: Monophthongs and Diphthongs, Falling and Rising Diphthongs, Centring and Closing Diphthongs, Fronting and Retracting Diphthongs

Cardinal Vowels

Vowel Diagram – Diphthongs - Tense and laxVowels

Phonemes and Allophones

Phone, Phoneme, Minimal pairs - Allophone, Aspiration, Dark and Clear /l / Contrastive Distribution and Complementary Distribution

Syllable

What is a syllable?- Syllabic Structure – Onset, Nucleus, Coda - Syllabic Consonants Consonant Clusters, AbuttingConsonants

Suprasegmentals

Segmentals and Suprasegmentals- Suprasegmental Phonemes

Word Stress - SentenceStress - Weak formsand Strong Forms

Rhythm—Intonation - Tone, Tonic Syllable, Tonicity-Intonation patterns Intonation –Functions

Juncture

Liasion

Assimilation

Elision

Linking/r/and Intrusive/r/

Transcription

The incongruity between spelling and pronunciation in English

IPA

Broadand narrow Transcription

Transcription Practice

Module2[Morphology]

(36hours)

Basic Notions

What is morphology?

Morph, Morpheme

Morpheme Typesand Typology

Free and bound morphemes

Root, Base, Stem

Different types of affixes: Prefix, Suffix, Infix

Inflection

Inflectional and derivational affixes

Class-changing and class- maintaining affixes

Allomorphy

Allomorph

Zero Morph

Conditioning of allomorphs: Phonological & Morphological

Word

Whyis a word adifficult concept to define in absolute terms?

Lexeme

Form classand Function Class words

Morphological Operations/Processes

Affixation

Reduplication

Ablaut

Suppletion

Structureof WordsSimple

Words Complex

Words Compound

Words

SEMANTICS

Basic Notions

What is semantics?

Lexical and grammaticalmeaning

Sense, reference, referent

Sense Relations

Synonymy–Antonymy – Hyponymy– Homonymy–Homography– Polysemy– Metonymy – Ambiguity– Tautology - Collocation

Module3[Syntax&BranchesofLinguistics]

(18hours)

Basic Notions

What is syntax?

Grammar

Grammaticality and Acceptability

Descriptive and Prescriptive Grammar

Synchronic and DiachronicGrammar

Syntagmatic and Paradigmatic Relationships

Sign, Signified and Signifier

Langue and Parole

Competence and Performance

Introduction to theories on Grammar

Traditional Grammar

Problems with traditional Grammar

Structural grammars

Phrase Structure Grammars

Transformational Generative Grammars

Kernel Sentences

Deep and Surface Structures

One question from the essays ection will be compulsory and shall deal with transcribing a passage of five lines of conversation and a set of five words using IPA symbols.

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2017ADMISSIONSONWARDS

COURSE7-ActsontheStage

Course Code	EN5CRT07
Title of the course	ActsontheStage
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	5
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	108

AIMOFTHECOURSE

The courseseeks to introduce the student to select theatre texts that form the canon of English drama.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student shall be:

- 1. familiar with the works of the playwrights included in the course.
- 2. informedabout the broad genre-based nuances in the realm of drama.
- 3. able to appreciate and ritique drama as an art form.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1 (72Hours)

WilliamShakespeare: KingLear

Module2 (36Hours)

OneActPlays

George Bernard Shaw: The Dark Ladyof the Sonnets

Anton Chekov: The Boor

MauriceMaeterlinck: TheIntruder

John Galsworthy: Strife

CoreText:ActsontheStage

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2017ADMISSIONSONWARDS

COURSE8–LiteraryCriticismandTheory

Course Code	EN5CRT08
Title of the course	LiteraryCriticismandTheory
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	5
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	90

AIMOFTHECOURSE

The courseseeks to introduce students to the major signposts inLiteraryCriticism, Literary TheoryandIndian Aesthetics.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student:

- 1. will have awareness about the major developments in literary criticism from the ancient times to the twentieth century.
- 2. will be initiated to the realm of literarytheoryandmajor theoretical schools. 3. will have awareness about the chiefstrains of Indian literarycriticism.
- 4. will be able to analyse short poetical pieces critically.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1[LiteraryCriticism]

(36hours)

A. ClassicalCriticism

Plato - Aristotle

B. Neoclassical Criticism

Neoclassicism in England- Dryden, Pope, AphraBehn, SamuelJohnson C.

Romantic criticism

GermanIdealism- British Romantic criticism: Wordsworth, Coleridge

D. Victorian Criticism

Matthew Arnold

E. From Liberal Humanism to Formalism

The poetics of Modernism: Yeats, Pound, Eliot

Formalism - Russian Formalism: Boris Eichenbaum, Mikhail Bakhtin,

RomanJakobson- New Criticism: JohnCroweRansom, Wimsatt and Beardsley

F.Early20thCenturyCriticism

F. R. Leavis - MarxistandLeft Wing critics - Earlyfeminist critics: Virginia Woolf, Simone de Beauvoir

From M. A. R Habib: *LiteraryCriticismfromPlatotothePresent:AnIntroduction*. Oxford: WileyBlackwell, 2011

Module2[LiteraryTheory]

(36hours)

A. Structuralism - Poststructuralism - Deconstruction- Psychoanalysis

B.Ideology and Discourse

C. Postmodernism

From Mary Klages: LiteraryTheory:AGuideforthePerplexed.London: Continuum, 2008.

Module3[IndianAesthetics&PracticalCriticism]

(18hours)

A. Indian Aesthetics

Rasa - Dhvani - Vakrokti

From G. Balamohan Thampi: Essays on Eastern Aesthetics

B. Practical Criticism

Critical analysis of poetry

BasedonNeil McCaw: Close Reading(Chapter3

of *HowtoReadTexts*: A Student Guide to Critical Approaches and Skills. London: Viva-Continuum, 2008.)

Note: A compulsoryquestion on practical criticism to be included in Section B (5 Marks) of the Question Paper

CoreText:LiteraryCriticismandTheory

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2017ADMISSIONSONWARDS

COURSE9-IndianWritinginEnglish

Course Code	EN5CRT09
Title of the course	IndianWritinginEnglish
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	5
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	90

AIMOFTHECOURSE

The course is intended to sensitivise students to the various ways in which literature written in English, in the Indian sub-continent serves as aplatform for forming, consolidating, critiquing and re-working the issue of national _identity at various levels.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student should beaware of the following:

- $1. The subtle flavours that distinguish the \underline{\ Indian' quotient in English writings from India.}$
- 2. The different concerns that Indian English writers share, cutting across sub-nationalities and regionalities.
- 3. The locus standi of diasporic_Indian writers.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1(Poetry) (18Hours)

HenryDerozio: The Harp ofIndia

Nissim Ezekiel: The Patriot JayantaMahapatra:Freedom KamalaDas:Introduction Dom Moraes: Absences

Module2(Fiction) (18Hours)

Anita Nair: LadiesCoupe

Module3(Drama) (18Hours)

GirishKarnad: Tughlaq

Module4(ShortFiction) (18Hours)

R. K. Narayan: The Antidote Salman Rushdie: The Free Radio

JhumpaLahiri: The Interpreterof Maladies

ChitraBanerjee Divakaruni:Mrs Dutta Writes a Letter

Module5(Prose) (18Hours)

Rabindranath Tagore: Nationalism in India

B. R. Ambedkar: Back from the West and Unable to FindLodging inBaroda

Satyajit Ray:Odds Against Us

Amitav Ghosh: The Imam and theIndian

CoreText:IndianWritinginEnglish

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2017ADMISSIONSONWARDS

COURSE-EnvironmentalScienceandHumanRights

Course Code	EN5CRENT01
Title of the course	EnvironmentalScienceandHumanR ights
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	5
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	90

Core module syllabus for Environmental Studies & Human Rights for undergraduate courses of all branches of higher education

VISION

The importance of environmental science and environmental studies cannot be disputed. The need forsustainable development is a keyto the future of mankind. Continuing problems of pollution, solid waste disposal, degradation of environment, issues like economic productivity and national security, Global warming, the depletion of ozone layer and loss of biodiversity have made everyone aware of environmental issues. The United Nations Conference on Environment and Development held in Rio de Janerioin 1992 and World Summiton Sustainable Development at Johannesburgin 2002 have drawn the attention of people around the globe to the deteriorating condition of our environment. It is clear that no citizen of the earth can afford to be ignorant of environment issues.

India is rich in biodiversitywhich provides various resources forpeople. Onlyabout 1.7 million livingorganisms havebeen described and namedglobally. Still manymore remainto be identified and described. Attempts aremade toconservethem in ex-situ and in-situ situations. Intellectual propertyrights (IPRs) have become important in abiodiversity-rich countrylikeIndia to protect microbes, plants and animals that haveusefulgenetic properties. Destruction of habitats, over-use of energyresource and environmental pollution has been found to be responsible for the loss of alarge number of life-forms. It is feared that a large proportion of lifeon earth may get wiped out in the near future.

In spite of thedeteriorating status of the environment, studyof environment has so far not received adequate attention in our academic programme. Recognizing this, the Hon'ble Supreme Court directed the UGC to introduceabasic course onenvironment at everylevel in college education. Accordingly, the matter was considered by UGC and it was decided that a

six months compulsorycore module course in environmental studies maybe prepared and compulsorilyimplemented in all the University/Colleges ofIndia.

The syllabus of environmental studies includes five modules includinghuman rights. The first two modules are purely environmental studies according to the UGC directions. The second two modules are strictly related with the core subject and fifth module is for human rights.

OBJECTIVES

Environmental Education encourages students to research, investigate howand whythings happen, and make their own decisions about complexenvironmental issues bydeveloping and enhancing critical and creative thinking skills. It helps to foster a newgeneration of informed consumers, workers, as well as policyor decision makers.

Environmental Education helps students to understand how their decisions and actions affect the environment, builds knowledge and skills necessary to address complex environmental issues, as well as ways we can take action to keep our environment healthy and sustainable for the future. It encourages character building, and develops positive attitudes and values.

To develop the sense of awareness among the students about the environment and its various problems and to help the students in realizing the inter-relationship between man and environment and helps toprotect the nature and natural resources.

To help the students in acquiring the basic knowledge about environment and the social norms that provides unity with environmental characteristics and create positive attitude about the environment.

ModuleI (18hours)

Unit1: Multidisciplinarynature of environmental studies- Definition, scope and importance Need for public awareness.

Unit2: Natural Resources: Renewable and non-renewable resources: Natural resources and associated problems.

- a) Forest resources: Useand over-exploitation, deforestation: case studies-Timber extraction, mining, dams and their effects on forestand tribal people.
- b) Water resources: Useand over-utilization of surface and ground water, floods,drought, conflicts overwater, dams-benefits and problems.
- c) Mineral resources: Use and exploitation, environmental effects of extracting and using mineral resources: case studies.
- d) Food resources: World food problems changes causedbyagriculture and overgrazing effects of modern agriculture fertilizer & pesticide problems– water logging salinity: case studies.
- e) Energy resources: Growing energyneeds renewable and non renewable energysourcesuse of alternate energysources: case studies.
- f) Land resources:Land as a resource- land degradation man induced landslides- soil

erosionand desertification.

Role of individual in conservation of natural resources- Equitable use of resources for sustainablelifestyles.

Unit3: Ecosystems

Conceptof an ecosystem- Structure and function of an ecosystem- Producers, consumers and decomposers - Energyflow in the ecosystem.

Ecological succession- Food chains, food webs and ecological pyramids.

Introduction, types, characteristic features, structure and function of the given ecosystem-Forest ecosystem

ModuleII (26hours)

Unit1:Biodiversityand its conservation

Introduction - Bio-geographical classification ofIndia

Value ofbiodiversity: consumptive use, productive use, social, ethical, aesthetic and option values.

India as a mega-diversity nation.

Hot-sports of biodiversity

Threats to biodiversity: habitat loss, poachingof wildlife, man-wildlifeconflicts -

Endangered and endemicspecies of India

Unit2: Environmental Pollution

Definition - Causes, effects and control measuresof: Air pollution - Water pollution - Soil pollution - Marine pollution - Noisepollution - Thermal pollution - Nuclear hazards Solid Waste Management: Causes, effects and control measures of urban and industrial wastes

Role of an individual in prevention of pollution-Pollution case studies

Disaster management: floods, earthquake, cyclone and landslides

Unit3: Social Issues and the Environment

Urban problems related to energy- Water conservation, rain water harvesting, watershed management

Resettlement and rehabilitation of people: its problems and concerns: case studies Environmental ethics:Issues and possible solutions

Climate change, global warming, acid rain, ozone layer depletion, nuclear accidents and holocaust: casestudies - Consumerism and waste products

Environment Protection Act - Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act—Water (Prevention and control of Pollution) Act- WildlifeProtection Act-ForestConservation Act Issues involved in enforcement of environmental legislation- Public awareness

ModuleIII (10hours)

Jean Giono: The Man Who Planted Trees

K. Satchitanandan: Hiroshima Remembered

ModuleIV (10hours)

Bessie Head: Heaven is not Closed

Safdar Hashmi: Machine

ModuleV (26hours)

Unit1: Human Rights

An Introduction to Human Rights: Meaning, concept and development-Three Generations of Human Rights (Civil and Political Rights, Economic, Social and Cultural Rights).

Unit2: Human Rights and United Nations

Contributions, main human rightsrelated organs -UNESCO, UNICEF, WHO,ILO, Declarations for women and children, UniversalDeclaration of Human Rights.

Human Rights inIndia –Fundamental rights andIndian Constitution, Rights for children and women, Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Other Backward Castes andMinorities

Unit3: Environment and Human

RightsRightto Clean Environment and Public

Safety

Issues of Industrial Pollution- Prevention, Rehabilitation and SafetyAspect of New Technologies such as Chemical and Nuclear Technologies -Issues of Waste Disposal - Protection of Environment

Conservation of natural resources and human rights: Reports, Case studies and policy formulation.

Conservation issues of Western Ghats: Mention Gadgil committee report, KasthuriRangan report.

Over-exploitation of ground waterresources, marine fisheries, sand mining, etc.

Internal:Fieldstudy

Visit to a local area to document environmental grassland/hill /mountain
Visit a local polluted site: Urban/Rural/Industrial/Agricultural Studyof common
plants, insects, birds, etc
Studyof simple ecosystem: pond, river, hill slopes, etc
(Field workEqual to 5 lecturehours)

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Six months compulsory core module course in Environmental Studies & Human Rights for under graduates

TeachingMethodologies

The core Module Syllabus for Environmental Studies includes class room teaching and Field Work. The syllabus is divided into five modules covering 72 lectures. The first two modules will cover 44 lectures which are class room based to enhance knowledges kills and attitude to environment. The third and forth is based on subject related environmental studies which will be covered in 20 lecture hours and would provide student a multidisciplinary knowledge on environmental issues in relation with the core subject. Human rights is also included in the fifth module and 8 lectures are set apart for that. Field study is one of the most effective learning tools for environmental concerns and is purely for internal evaluation. This moves out of the scope of the text book mode of teaching into the realmof real learning in the field, where the teacher merely acts as a catalyst to interpret what the student observes or discovers in his/her own environment. Field studies are as essential as class work and form an irreplaceable synergistic tool in the entire learning process.

Course material provided by UGC for class room teaching and field activities be utilized.

The universities/colleges can also draw upon expertise of outside resource persons for teachingpurpose.

Environmental CoreModule shall be integrated into the teachingprogrammes of all undergraduate courses.

CoreTextforModule3&4:GreeningKnowledge

SYLLABIFORCORECOURSES-UGPROGRAMMES

2017ADMISSIONSONWARDS

COURSE10-PostcolonialLiteratures

Course Code	EN6CRT10
Title of the course	PostcolonialLiteratures
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	6
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	90

AIMOFTHECOURSE

To familiarize the students the varied dimension s of postcolonial subjectivitythrough theory and literature.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student will:

- 1. be aware of the social, political, cultural aspects of postcolonial societies.
- 2. realise the impact of colonialism and imperialism onnative cultural identities.
- 3. getan insight into the links between language, historyand culture.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1[TheDomain]

(36hours)

Bill Ashcroft, Gareth Griffiths and Helen Tiffin:Introduction of *TheEmpireWritesBack*

Edward Said: Orientalism [an excerpt] Frantz Fanon: The Fact of Blackness

Module2[Poetry] (18hours)

FaizAhmed Faiz: A Prison Evening

A. K. Ramanujan: Small Scale Reflections on a Great House

David Malouf:RevolvingDays Wole Soyinka: Civilian and Soldier Margaret Atwood: Journeyto theInterior Module3[Fiction] (18hours)

PeterCarey: JackMaggs

Module4[Drama] (18hours)

 ${\bf Ngugiwa Thiong \'o: } \textit{The Trial of Dedan Kimathi}$

CoreText:PostcolonialLiteratures

SYLLABIFORCORECOURSES-UGPROGRAMMES

2017ADMISSIONSONWARDS

COURSE11-WomenWriting

Course Code	EN6CRT11
Title of the course	WomenWriting
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	6
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	90

AIMOFTHECOURSE

To introduce the theoretical and literary responses by women and the concerns that govern feminist literature.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the students will be able to:

- 1. critically respond to literature from a feminist perspective.
- 2. realize how the patriarchal notions pervade in the social and cultural scenario and how feminism exposes these notions.
- 3. identifyhow stereotypical representations of women were constructed and how these are subverted by feminist writing

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1[Essays] (36hours)

BettyFriedan: TheProblem that has No Name (Chapter1 of TheFeminineMystique)

ElaineShowalter: Towards a Feminist Poetics

PatriciaHill Collins:Mammies, Matriarchs and Other Controlling Images (Chapter 4 of

BlackFeministThoughtpp. 79-84

Module2[Poetry] (18hours)

Anna Akhmatova: Lot's Wife

MamtaKalia: After Eight Years of Marriage

Julia Alvarez: Women's Work

MeenaAlexander: Houseof a Thousand Doors

SutapaBhattacharya: Draupadi Kristine Batey:Lot's Wife Vijayalakshmi: Bhagavatha

Module3[ShortFiction]

(18hours)

Charlotte Perkins Gilman: The Yellow Wallpaper

Willa Cather: A Wagner Matinee

IsabelAllende: And of the ClayWe Created

Sara Joseph: The Passion of Mary

Module4[Fiction]

(18hours)

AliceWalker: TheColorPurple

CoreText:WomenWriting

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2017ADMISSIONSONWARDS

COURSE12–AmericanLiterature

Course Code	EN6CR12
Title of the course	AmericanLiterature
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	6
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	90

AIMOFTHECOURSE

To enable thestudents tohave aholistic understanding of theheterogeneity of American culture and to studyworks of prose, poetry, drama, and fiction in relation to their historical and cultural contexts.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

At the end of the course, the student shall be:

1. familiar with the evolution of various literary movements in American literature. 2. acquainted with the major authors in American Literary History.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1[Prose] (18hours)

M. H Abrams: Periods of American Literaturein *AGlossaryof Literary Terms* Robert E. Spiller: The Last Frontier in *The Cycle of American Literature* Ralph

Waldo Emerson: Gifts

James Baldwin: If Black English isn'tLanguage, then Tell me, What is?

Module2[Poetry] (18hours)

Walt Whitman:IHear AmericaSinging EmilyDickinson:Idwellin Possibility Robert Frost:Love andaQuestion

e. e. cummings:Let's Live Suddenlywithout Thinking Langston Hughes:Let America be America Again

Allen Ginsberg: A Supermarket in CaliforniaAdrienneRich:In a Classroom

MarianneMoore: Poetry

Module3[ShortStory]

(18hours)

Nathaniel Hawthorne: MyKinsman, Major Molineux

Edgar Allan Poe: The PurloinedLetter

Mark Twain: HowI Edited an Agricultural Paper

Leslie Marmon Silko:Lullaby

Kate Chopin: A Respectable Woman

Module4[Drama]

(18hours)

Arthur Miller: The Crucible

Module5[Novel]

(18hours)

 $Harper\ Lee:\ To Killa Mocking Bird$

CoreText:AmericanLiterature

SYLLABIFORCORECOURSES-UGPROGRAMMES

2017ADMISSIONSONWARDS

COURSE13-ModernWorldLiterature

Course Code	EN6CRT13
Title of the course	ModernWorldLiterature
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	6
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	90

AIMOFTHECOURSE

To makethe students awareof the stupendous varietythat resides inLiteratures the world over.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the students should be able to discern the following:

- 1. Thatliteratures the world over engagein verydeep wayswith the vicissitudes of life.
- 2. World literatures often defygenres/regionalities and canonical assumptions to emerge as a platform where poetics and politics fuse.
- 3. Thenotion of Majorand Minor, Central and Peripheral literatures is a myth.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1[Poetry] (18hours)

Marina Tsvetaeva: Meeting

Federico Garcia Lorca: New Heart

Pablo Neruda: ArsPoetica

Leopold Sedar Senghor:Black Woman

WizlawaSzymborska: The Terrorist, He's Watching

Adonis: Nothingbut madness remains

Bei Dao: The Answer Ko Un: A Poet's Heart

Module2[ShortStories:European]

(18hours)

Leo Tolstoy: God Sees the Truth, but Waits

BjornstjerneBjornson: The Father Franz Kafka: Beforethe Law Bertolt Brecht: The Monster Albert Camus: TheGuest

Javier Marias: The Life and Death of MarcelinoIturriaga

Module3[ShortStories:Non-European]

(18hours)

RyunosukeAkutagawa:In a Grove

Jorge Luis Borges: The Garden of ForkingPaths

Naguib Mahfouz: Half of a Day Julio Cortazar: ContinuityofParks

DaniloKis: The Encyclopaedia of the Dead Juan Gabriel Vasquez: The Dogs of War

Module4[Novel] (18hours)

Italo Calvino: The Cloven Viscount

Module5[Drama] (18hours)

EugeneIonesco: Chairs

CoreText:ModernWorldLiterature

ComplementaryCourses

MAHATMAGANDHIUNIVERSITY

SYLLABIFORCOMPLEMENTARY COURSES-UGPROGRAMMES

2017ADMISSIONSONWARDSSEMES TER3(BAEnglishModel1&Model2)

COURSE3: The Evolution of Literary Movements: The Shapers of Destiny

Course Code	EN3CMT03
Title of the course	The Evolution of Literary Movements: The Shapers of Destiny
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	3
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	108

1.AIMOFTHECOURSE

To makethe learner awareof the wayin whichhistoryshapes the lifeand literatureof a people

2.OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

- To give thelearner a comprehensive overview of the history of Britain and its impact upon the rest of the world
- To enable him to understand English literature in the light of historical events
- To analysethe manner inwhich a person is moulded by the historical events of his personal and communal life

3.COURSEOUTLINE

Module 1: Moulding and Being Moulded

18hours

Earlysettlers and invaders- the Iberians, the Celtsand Romans, the Angles, Saxons, Jutes. The Anglo Saxon heptarchy- The coming of Christianity-Theodore of Tarsus and the organization of the church- Alfred the Great – St. Dunstan and Edgar – Canute the Danish king-Edward the Confessor, Harold Godwin- Society and literature of the time-the

Witangemot -the Anglo Saxon Chronicle, Beowulf, Caedmon, Cynewulf, Venerable Bede and others-

Module2:TheTrueBriton

36hours

Normans: the last invaders –William the Conqueror –the reforms of Henry I-Feudalism- the Angevin kings - the struggle between the church and the state, St. Thomas Becket– the universities of Oxford and Cambridge–the Guilds- Richard the Lionheart and the Crusades-the Magna Carta- HenryIII – Simon de Montfort,and the Parliament- Edward I, annexation of Wales, Scotland andIreland – EdwardII and Edward III – TheBlack Death, The Hundred Years War, The Peasants Revolt– the effects of theseon societyand literature- TheWars of the Roses – Chaucer and the growth of the East Midland dialect into standard English – Growth of drama and stageperformances- Chaucer's contemporaries- John Wycliffe and the Lollards..

ModuleThree:BrittanniaRulestheWaves

36hours

The Tudor Dynasty-benevolent despots—Renaissance—maritime discoveries—the scientific temperand scientific inventions-flam boyant Henry VIII, Reformation-religious persecution—Thomas More, Erasmus, Thomas Cromwell-The Book of Common Prayer-Elizabeth I—Shakes peare—nest of singing birds-Francis Drake-peace and prosperity-The Stuarts and the Divine Right Theory-The Authorised Version-The Civil War-Oliver Cromwell and the Protectorate—John Milton-the Jacobean playwrights—Restoration-Caroline writers-The Whigs and Tories-Queen Anne and the expansion of colonialism—The Glorious Revolution

ModuleFour: APrecious Stone Set in the Silver Sea

18hours

The United Kingdom today- Physical features of the BritishIsles, geography, demography—Customs and practices —myths and legends—thegrowth and development of the English language—the position held bythe UK in today's world

ReadingList

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- 2. Churchill, Winston. <u>A Historyofthe English Speaking Peoples</u> (Vol 1-12). London: Cassel and Co., 1966.
- 3. Nehru, Jawaharlal. Glimpses of World History. New Delhi: Penguin, 2004.
- 4. Alexander, Michael (ed.) <u>A History of English Literature</u>. New York: Palgrave-Macmillan, 2007
- 5. Sampson, George(ed.) AHistoryof EnglishLiterature. Delhi: Foundation, 2004.
- 6. Thorndike, Lynn. <u>Encyclopedia of World Civilization</u> (Vol2). Delhi: Shubi Publications, 1990.
- 7. Yeats, W. B. Writings on Irish Folklore Legend and Myth. London: Penguin, 1999.
- 8. Warner, Marina. From the Beast to the Blond. London: Vintage, 1995.

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SYLLABIFORCOMPLEMENTARY COURSES-UGPROGRAMMES

2017ADMISSIONSONWARDSSEMES TER4(BAEnglishModel1&Model2)

COURSE 4: The Evolution of Literary Movements: The Cross Currents of Change

Course Code	EN4CMT04
Title of the course	TheEvolutionofLiteraryMovements:Th eCrossCurrentsofChange
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	4
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	108

AIMOFTHECOURSE

To enable students to have a notion of the evolution of literatureand to help them perceive the interplayof social processes and literature

OBJECTIVESOFTHE COURSE

Bytheend of the courseitis hoped that:

- 1. students will be competent to understand literature against the backdrop ofhistory.
- 2. students will be inspired to contribute dynamicallyto historical and literaryprocesses.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1[LiteratureandRevolution]

(36hours)

a. Theinteraction between the French Revolution and the literature of the age b.Literature in the context of the Russian Revolution

Module2[LiteratureandRenaissance]

(18hours)

a. Thesocialcontext of the burgeoning of literature in Latin America b. Kerala at the dawn of awakening

Module3[LiteratureandLiberation]

(36hours)

- a. Literature and feminism
- b. Dalit writing

Module 4 [Literature and the Third World]

(18hours)

- a. Articulating the Postcolonial Experience
- b. An overview of NewLiteratures

 $\label{lem:core-text:} \textbf{Core-Text:} Dr B \ \ \textit{Keralavarma}. \ \textit{Evolution of Literary Movements:} The \textit{Cross-currents of Change}.$

OpenCourses

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SYLLABIFOROPENCOURSES-UGPROGRAMMES

2017ADMISSIONSONWARDS

COURSE1-AppreciatingFilms

Course Code	EN5CROP01
Title of the course	AppreciatingFilms
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	5
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	72

AIMOFTHECOURSE

The course seekstointroducethestudent tothemajorelements that constitute cinema. Also the attempt will be to equip the student to a cademically discuss cinema interms of critiques and close analyses.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student should beable to discern the following:

- 1. Thebroad contours of the historyandaestheticsof films.
- 2. Theoverarchingfilmgenres and the basic terminology of film studies.
- 3. The distinction between mere appreciation of films and sustained ideological film analysis. 4. The questions raised by Cultural Studies and Feminism(s) in their encounterwith films.
- 5. Theissues raised by cinematic adaptations of literature.

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COURSEOUTLINE

Module1(BroadFilmGenres)

(18hours)

Lumiere vs. Melies [*ArrivalofaTrain*vs. *AnImpossibleVoyage*]
Narrative Cinemavs. DocumentaryCinema
Hollywood Style as Norm- Roland Emmerich's*IndependenceDay* (1996)
German Expressionism- F.W. Murnau's*Nosferatu*(1922)
Neo-realism - Vittorio De Sica's*BicycleThieves*(1948)

Module2(FilmLanguages)

(18hours)

Montage Theory: [Clippings from Eisenstein's Battleship Potemkin and Chaplin's Modern

Times]

Mise-en-scene: [The opening sequence from Werner Herzog's *Aguirre,WrathofGod*(1972) and the infamous _horsehead' scenefrom Francis Ford Coppola's *TheGodfather* (1972)] Deep Focus, theLong Take and psychological representation: [Select scenes from Orson

Welles' *TheMagnificentAmbersons* (1942)]

JumpCut (anti-seamless-dissolve) [Examples from Godard's *Breathless*(1960)]

Module3(ReadingFilms)

(18hours)

Cinema and Ideology/IdentityPolitics
[Kamal Haasan's HeyRam(2000) and Shaji Kailas's Aaraam Thampuran (1997)]

Cinema and Feminism

[RajkumarHirani's PK (2014) and K. G. George's Addaminte Variyellu (1983))

Module4(FilmAdaptations)

(18hours)

Shakespeare/Hamlet: Vishal Bhardwaj's *Haider*(2014)

Basheer/Mathilukal: AdoorGopalakrishnan's Mathilukal (1990)

FilmsRecommendedforBackgroundViewing

GeorgeMelies:

AnImpossibleVoyageLumiere brothers:

ArrivalofaTrain SergeiEisenstein:

BattleshipPotemkin Charlie Chaplin:

ModernTimesWerner Herzog:

Aguirre, WrathofGod Francis Ford

Coppola: *TheGodfather*

Orson Welles:

The Magnificent Ambersons Jean Luc-

Godard: *Breathless*

V. K. Prakash: *Karmayogi* [Malayalam]

CoreText:AppreciatingFilms

SYLLABIFOROPENCOURSES-UGPROGRAMMES

2017ADMISSIONSONWARDS

COURSE2-TheatreStudies

Course Code	EN5CROP02
Title of the course	TheatreStudies
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	5
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	72

AIMOFTHECOURSE

The students will be introduced to a selection of playsfrom the West andthe East,ranging from the tragic and the comic, the folk and the street, so as togenerate interest in theatre and makethem awareof thenew trends in modern theatre.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student should beable to imbibe the following:

- 1. An understanding of a selection of well-discussed playsacross the world. 2.
- The classical and modern theatre in the West and the East.
- 3. Theform and contentof various kinds of theatre.
- 4. Colonial and subversive postcolonial aspects in Indian theatre.
- 5. Issues ofgender, identity, caste, tradition, morality, etc dealt with bymodern theatre.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1(Classics) (18hours)

Kalidasa: *Abhijnanasakunthalam* – ActI

WilliamShakespeare: Othello – ActI, SceneIII, 1-295

Module2(TragicVision) (18hours)

Eugene O'Neil: Before Breakfast

Langston Hughes: Soul Gone Home

Module 3 (Comic Vision)

(18hours)

Bernard Shaw: HowHeLied to Her Husband

Anton Chekov: The Proposal

Module4(Folk/Street)

(18hours)

KavalamNarayanaPanicker: Maraattom

MaliniBhattacharya: Giving Awaythe Girl

CoreText: TheatreStudies

SYLLABIFOROPENCOURSES-UGPROGRAMMES

2017ADMISSIONSONWARDS

COURSE3–EnglishforCareers

Course Code	EN5CROP03
Title of the course	EnglishforCareers
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	5
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	72

AIMOFTHECOURSE

To makethe students competent in their job-seeking, job-getting, and job-holdingneeds. The courseshall caterto equipping the students in Comprehensive Language Enhancement.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the students shouldbe able:

- 1. To develop communicative skills, which will enable themto prepare for a career and function effectivelyin it.
- 2. To equip themselves in oral and written communication to enhance their academic and professionaluse oflanguage.
- 3. To train themselves inmaking effective presentations.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module 1 [Oral and Written Skills for Jobs and Careers]

(18hours)

- a. Applying forjobs—Preparing Resumes—Writing Cover letters.
- b. Preparingfor interviews—TakingInterviews—Post-Interview follow-up-Promotion c.Interviews—Group Discussions

Module2[CorrectnessofLanguageUsage]

(18hours)

- a. Common errors in communication and how to avoid them.
- b. Some Notions—Conventional and idiomatic expressions.
- c. Today's Vocabulary
- d. Grammar for Grown-ups

Module3[FacingPeople]

(18hours)

- a. Structuring and delivering a presentation.
- b. Communication in the Management context.
- c. Importance of Words/Language.
- d. Horizontal and DemocraticCommunication.

Module4[KeepingtheJob]

(18hours)

- a. Human relationships in academic and professional life.
- b. Front OfficeManagement and Keepingpublic relations (Telephone Skills) c. Soft Skills for Team Building.
- d. Keepingthe Job—Professional Ethics
- e. Managing Multiple Roles- HealthyBalancingoffamily and career.

Reading List

- 1. Samson et al. EnglishforLife-4. New Delhi: Cambridge UP.
- 2. Vasudev, Murthy. Effective Proposal Writing. New Delhi: Response, 2006.
- 3. TowardsAcademicEnglish:DevelopingEffectiveWritingSkills. New Delhi: Cambridge UP, 2007.
- 4. OxfordGuidetoEffectiveWritingandSpeaking. OUP, 2007.
- 5.Bhatnagar, R. P. English for Competitive Examinations. New Delhi: Macmillan, 2009.
- 6. EnglishforCareers.Pearson.
- 7. ABCofCommonGrammaticalErrors. Macmillan, 2009
- 8. Kaul, Asha. The Effective Presentation. New Delhi: Response
- 9. Shepherd, Kerry. *PresentationsatConferences,SeminarsandMeetings*. New Delhi: Response.
- 10. Vilanilam, J. V. MoreEffectiveCommunication:aManuelforProfessionals.Response 2008
- 11. EnglishforCareerDevelopment. Orient Longman, 2006.

CoreText:EnglishforCareers

ChoiceBasedCourses

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SYLLABIFORCHOICEBASEDCOURSES-UGPROGRAMMES

2017ADMISSIONSONWARDS

COURSE1-ComparativeLiterature

Course Code	EN6CBT01
Title of the course	ComparativeLiterature
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	6
No. of credits	4
No. of contact hours	72

AIMOFTHECOURSE

To introduce the student to the various concepts relating to comparative study of literature and to promote an international approach to the study of literature.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student should beable to:

- 1. Develop strategies andmethodologies in the study of literatures in comparison.
- 2. Undertake a methodological investigation of problems involving morethan one literature so that she/he mayacquire a broader sense of literaryhistoryand tradition.
- 3. Critically analyze literary texts in a broader perspective of WorldLiterature. .

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1[ThemesandContexts]

(18hours)

K. M. Krishnan: _Introduction'in the anthology Between the Lines

Susan Bassnett: _Whatis Comparative Literature Today' from Comparative Literature: An Introduction

Module2[Envisioning]

(18hours)

PartA: Writing

Ted Hughes: The Thought Fox Seamus Heaney: Personal Helicon

PartB:DeathWish

Sylvia Plath: Tulips DorothyParker: Resume

PartC:Hamlets

Anna Akhmatova: Reading Hamlet

C. P. Cavafy: KingClaudius Salman Rushdie: Yorick

Module3[Nuance]

(18hours)

PartA:Myth

Rabindranath Tagore: KarnaKuntiSamvadG. Sankarapilla: WingsFlapping, Somewhere

PartB:Sleuthing

Arthur Conan Doyle: The Adventureof the Blue Carbuncle

V. K. N.: Sherlock Holmes

Module4[Motif] (18Hours)

Carlo Collodi: The Adventures of Pinocchio

Nikolai Gogol: The Nose

Vaikom Muhammad Basheer: TheWorld Renowned Nose

CoreText:ComparativeLiterature

SYLLABIFORCHOICEBASEDCOURSES-UGPROGRAMMES

2017ADMISSIONSONWARDS

COURSE2-ModernMalayalamLiteratureinTranslation

Course Code	EN6CBT02		
Title of the course	ModernMalayalamLiteratureinT ranslation		
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	6		
No. of credits	4		
No. of contact hours	72		

AIMOFTHECOURSE

The students will be introduced to a selection of literature translated from Malayalam into English. The student will be able to establish an endearing rapport with the cultural aspects of the living environs.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student should beable to comprehend the following:

- 1. An understanding of a selection of much discussed writers/literarypieces in Malayalam.
- 2. The various genres in Malayalam.
- 3. Themodern trends in Malayalam literature.
- 4. Experiments with form in Malayalam poems and prose.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1(Poetry) (18hours)

BalamaniAmma: The Pen AyyappaPaniker: Theft Kadamanitta: Feline Fancies Satchidanandan: The Mad

BalachandranChullikkad:PossessedV. M. Girija: A Tree IWas Long Back S.

Joseph: Group Photo

AnithaThampi: Sweepingthe Front Yard Bindu Krishnan: Certain Days, Like This

Module2(ShortFiction)

(18hours)

M. T. VasudevanNair: For You Madhavikutti: Neypayasam

M. Mukundan: The Eyesight of the Mirror

Paul Zacharia:Last Show N. S. Madhavan:Afterword

SanthoshEchikkanam: The Hunters in aPictureStory

SubhashChandran: BloodyMary

AnvarAbdulla: Sea-Roar

Module3(Novel)

(18hours)

O. V. Vijayan: The Legends of Khasak

Module4(Novella/Memoir/PrisonNarrative)

(18hours)

Vaikom Muhammad Basheer: Walls

BackgroundReading

- 1. Sujit Mukherjee, _Translationas Discovery' (139-150 in *TranslationasDiscovery*)
- 2. A K Ramanujan, _ThreeHundred Ramayanas: Five Examples and Three Thoughts on Translation. '(131 160 in *The Collected Essays of AKRamanujan*)
- 3. GayatriChakravortySpivak, _ThePolitics of Translation.' (397-416 in*TheTranslationStudiesReader*)
- 4. G N Devy, 'Translation and Literary History: An Indian View (pp 182–88 in *Postcolonial Translation: Theory and Practice*)
- 5. Walter Benjamin, _TheTask of theTranslator. '(15- 25 in *TheTranslationStudiesReader*)

CoreText:ModernMalayalamLiteratureinTranslation

SYLLABIFORCHOICEBASEDCOURSES-UGPROGRAMMES

2017ADMISSIONSONWARDS

COURSE3-RegionalLiteraturesinTranslation

Course Code	EN6CBT03 RegionalLiteraturesinTranslation		
Title of the course			
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	6		
No. of credits	4		
No. of contact hours	72		

AIMOFTHECOURSE

The students will be introduced to a selection of regional literatures translated into English.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student should beable to comprehend the following:

- 1. An understanding of much discussed writers/literarypieces in the vernaculars.
- 2. Themodern trends in regional literatures. .

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1[Prose] (18hours)

Susan Bassnett:Introduction to *TranslationStudies*

KeyaMajumdar: Appropriating the Other - SomeChallenges of Translationand its Theories

RomilaThapar: _TheAbhijnana-Sakuntalam of

Kalidasa' from Shakuntala: Texts, Readings and History

Module2[Poetry] (18hours)

JibananandaDas: BanalataSen

Kedarnath Agarwal: Freedom of the Writer

Amin Kamil: Naked Thoughts PLankesh: Mother (Avva) P. P. Ramachandran:Iruppu S Joseph: Fish Monger

Module3[Drama] (18hours)

C. J. Thomas: Crime27in1128

VijayTendulkar: Kanyadaan

Module4[ShortStory]

(18hours)

SaadatHasanManto:Toba Tek Singh

Amrita Pritam: The Weed

AnnabhauSathe: Gold from the Grave

Sujatha: WashingMachine DevanuruMahadeva:Tar Arrives

 ${\bf Core Text:} {\it Regional Literatures in Translation}$

SYLLABIFORCHOICEBASEDCOURSES-UGPROGRAMMES

2017ADMISSIONSONWARDS

COURSE4-VoicesfromtheMargin

Course Code	EN6CBT04 VoicesfromtheMargins		
Title of the course			
Semesterinwhichthecourseistobe taught	6		
No. of credits	4		
No. of contact hours	72		

AIMOFTHECOURSE

To introduce—voices from the margins to the students, as an attempt to understand suppressed histories and discourses.

OBJECTIVESOFTHECOURSE

On completion of the course, the student will have critically encountered subaltern voices, Dalitness and indigeneity.

COURSEOUTLINE

Module1 (36Hours)

_Subaltern'-Entryin RoutledgeDictionaryofLiteraryTermsbyPeterChilds and Roger Fowler

PoikayilAppachan.

—Remembering the Travails. \(\begin{align*} \text{Writing in the Dark: A Collection of Malayalam Dalit Poetry. Eds. } \)
M.B. Manoj and George K. Alex. \(\text{Mumbai: VAK. 2008. 21-25.} \)

SharankumarLimbale.—Dalit Literature:Form and

Purpose. || TowardsanAestheticsofDalitLiterature. Hyderabad: OrientLongman. 2004. 23-39.

KallenPokkudan. MyLife (Excerpts).

TheOxfordIndiaAnthologyofMalayalamDalitWriting. New Delhi: OUP. 2012. 185-195.

HiraBansode.—Yashodhara. *PosionedBread*. Ed. Arjun Dangle. Hyderabad: Orient Blackswan. 2009. 36-37.

M. B. Manoj.

—Anonymous. #NoAlphabetinSight:NewDalitWritingfromSouthIndia:Dossier1:Tamiland Malayalam. Eds. K. Satyannarayana and Susie Tharu. New Delhi: Penguin. 532-533.

Bama. Sangati. New Delhi: OUP. 2005.

Module2 (36Hours)

RamanikaGupta. —Adivasi Literature: An

EmergingConsciousness. *Indigeneity: Culture and Representation*. Hyderabad: Orient Blackswan. 2009. 191-202.

G. N. Devy. —Aphasia: The Fate of the

Indigenous Languages Introduction to *The Language Loss of the Indigenous*. Eds. G. N. Devy, Geoffrey V. Davis and K. K. Chakravarty. New Delhi: New York: Routledge. 2016. 1-6.

DakxinBajrange. —Budhanlin. *PaintedWords: AnAnthologyofTribalLiterature*. Ed. G. N. Devy. Vadodara: PurvaPrakash. 2012. 245-272.

Narayan/Catherine Thankamma. —Wewant to be understood . . . and allowed to live with dignity. Interview. *Kocharethi: The Araya Woman*. New Delhi: OUP. 2011. 208-216.

Bhaskaran. *MotherForest: TheUnfinishedStoryofC.K.Janu*. New Delhi: Kali forWomen. 2004.

CoreText: *VoicesfromtheMargins*