

## Personal Profile

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## Educational Profile

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- Ph.D. The English and Foreign Languages University , Shillong  
Campus, Meghalaya; 2018  
Supervisor: Dr. Jayati Chatterjee
- M.Phil. The English and Foreign Languages University , Shillong  
Campus, Meghalaya; 2012
- M.A. University of Pune, Pune, Maharashtra; 2010  
Subject: English  
Specialization: Linguistics/Pragmatics
- B.A. Dibrugarh University, Dibrugarh, Assam; 2008  
Subject: English

## Professional Experience

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- Assistant Professor**, Department of English, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, India March, 2016-till date
- Assistant Professor**, School of Business, Kaziranga University, Assam, India July, 2013- March 2016

## Awards & Honours

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1. Qualified UGC-NET in June, 2012
2. Qualified NE-SLET in 2012.

## Membership of Professional Bodies

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1. Member of English Language Teachers' Association of India (2011-till date)

## Research Interests

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- English Language Teaching
- Sociolinguistics

## Research Publications

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1. Women in Temsula Ao's *Laburnum for My Head*: Gupta, D.S. *Research Journal of English Language and Literature*, **2020**, 8(2), 254-258.
2. Social Media for Teachers of English: A Hub for Professional Development: Gupta, D.S. *Research Journal of English Language and Literature*, **2012**, 2(2), 34-38.
3. Assessment of Young Learners of English: Using Alternative Forms of Assessment: Gupta, D.S. *International Journal of English: Literature, Language and Skills*, **2020**, 2(4), 78-80.

### **Book/Book Chapter published**

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1. Chatterjee, J. & Gupta, D.S.: The Impact of English Language Testing Practice on Indian ESL Learners: A Study, in *Explorations: Teaching and Learning English in India*, Ed. Tomlinson, B., British Council, Kolkata, 2017, pp 6-14.
2. Gupta, D.S.: Teaching Grammar in Context: The Use of Authentic Texts for Grammar Instruction, in *Teaching Speaking and Grammar*, ELTIS-Symbiosis, Pune, pp 159-165.
3. Gupta, D.S. & Waanbah, S.W.D.: Intercultural Language Learning: Need of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century ESL Learner, in *21<sup>st</sup> Century Learners: Learning Styles and Strategies*, Ed. Anbazhagan, K., Green Pearl, Chennai

### **Research guidance**

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#### **Ph.D scholar**

1. Ms. Tenzin Lhamo Minto  
Topic of research: Developing Task-Based Materials for Enhancing Communication Skills of ESL Learners at the Tertiary Level: A Study in the Colleges of Arunachal Pradesh  
Year of PhD degree: Ongoing

### **Course/Conference/Workshop organized**

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1. Short Term Course on Doing Research and Academic Writing by Department of English, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, India  
Duration: 07 March-15 March, 2020  
Role: Coordinator.
2. National Seminar on Modernity and Indigeneity: Shifting Perspectives in Culture Literature and Language by Department of English, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, India  
Duration: 05 March-06 March, 2020  
Role: Co-Convenor.
3. National Seminar on Gender Performativity and Ideology by Department of English, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, India  
Duration: 18 March-19 February, 2019  
Role: Co-Convenor.

### **Course/Conference/Workshop etc. attended**

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1. Delivered an oral presentation in the 'Virtual National Conference on Adaptability in Crisis: Psychology, Education and Society' held at Department of Psychology, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, India during 17 August-18 August, 2021.

Title of the presentation: Use of Technology in Education under NEP 2020

2. Delivered a talk in the 'STC on Research Methodology in the Humanities' held at the Department of English, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, India during May, 2020.

Title of the presentation: Introduction to ELT Research Methods: Design and Data

3. Delivered an invited talk in the 'Training on The Pedagogy of English at the Secondary Level for the State of Tripura' held at the SCERT, Agartala, Tripura, India, during 10-14 February, 2020.

Title of the presentation: Developing Listening and Speaking Skills

4. Delivered an oral presentation in the 'National Seminar on Modernity and Indigeneity: Shifting Perspectives in Culture, Literature, and Language' held at Department of English, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, India during 05 March-06 March, 2021.

Title of the presentation: Use of Technology in Education under NEP 2020

5. Delivered an oral presentation in the 'National Conference on The Indigenous and Lesser Studied Languages of North East India held at Department of EFL, Tezpur University, Tezpur, India during 29 October-31 October, 2019.

Title of the presentation: Language Contact, Language Endangerment, and Language Perceptions: A Case Study of the Younger Generation Native Speakers of the Apatani Language

6. Delivered an oral presentation in the '9th International ELTAI Conference on English from Classes to Masses' held at VGU, Jaipur, India during 21 October-23 August, 2014.

Title of the presentation: Facebook for Teachers of English: A Platform for Peer networking and Professional Development

7. Delivered an oral presentation in the 'UGC-sponsored National Seminar on Classroom-oriented Research: Experiments and Experiences held at Department of English, North Lakhimpur College, Assam, India during 03 May-04 May, 2014.

Title of the presentation: Translation as a Learning Tool in an ESL Classroom

### **Sponsored Project**

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Title of the project	Funding agency	Year of sanction	Role
The Impact of English Language Testing Practice on Indian ESL Learners: A Study	British Council	<b>2014-2016</b>	<b>Co-PI</b>

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