

Name of the Faculty Member	Dr. Surajit Sen	
Campus (Tura/Shillong)	Shillong	
Designation	Associate Professor cum Controller of Examinations	
Department	English and Communication Studies	
Qualification/s	Ph.D., M.Phil., M.A., PGDTA, PGDBM, DCE, CES	
Discipline	English Language Education	
Academic Experience in Years	Outside ICFAI University Meghalaya 5 Years	In ICFAI University Meghalaya 14 years and 7 months (as on July 2024)
Courses Taught	Soft Skills, Business Communication, English Language Skills, Technical Report Writing, Second Language Acquisition, Research Methodology	
Specializations	Mass Communication, Creative Writing, English Language Teaching, Sociolinguistics, Diasporic Literature, American Literature, and Indian Writing in English	
Research Interests	English for Specific Purposes, English Language Education, Diasporic Literature, Postcolonial Literature, Language Decoloniality, Sociolinguistics, and Folklore with particular reference to North East India	
Achievements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Received Teacher of the Year 2017 Award at ICFAI University Meghalaya, Shillong Campus on 5th September 2017 • One of the Invitees to the Teachers' Day celebration hosted by the Honourable Governor of Meghalaya, on 3rd September 2016 at the Raj Bhavan, Shillong 	
Publications	<p>Books authored/edited</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Edited <i>English Language Education in India: Present and Beyond</i> published by Upanayan Publications, Delhi, 2021, ISBN 978-81-949267-7-1 2. Co-edited <i>Indian Narrative Traditions: Text, Performance and Interpretation</i> published by Pencraft International, New Delhi, 2021, ISBN 987-93-82178-31-6 3. Co-edited <i>Narrative Cultures of North East India: Traditions, Texts and Representations</i> published by Pencraft International, New Delhi, 2021, ISBN 987-93-82178-30-9 <p>Chapters published in Books</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. "River Narratives and Tribal World View in the Khasi and Jaintia Folklore" published in <i>Sarita Sutakatha: Riverine Cultures in Indian Narrative</i>, Edited by Arzuman Ara, Published by Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Shimla (2023), ISBN 978-93-82396-86-4, pp 135-154 2. "Homeless within a Home: Re-visiting Partition through Chaman Nahal's Azadi" published in <i>Revisiting Partition: Identity, History and Memory</i>, Edited by Arzuman Ara, Published by Pencraft International, Delhi (2022), ISBN 978-93-82178-39-2, pp 202-212 3. "Influence of Sociolinguistics on Business Communication as field of English for Specific Purposes" published in <i>English Language Education India: Present and Beyond</i>, Edited by Surajit Sen and Monidita Borah, 	

Published by Upanayan Publications, Delhi (2021), ISBN 978-81-949267-7-1, pp 96-111

4. "Language, Cultural Context and Business Communication: A study on ascertaining Employability Skills among Students in the city of Shillong, Meghalaya" published in Dynamics of Culture and Communication at Workplace, Edited by Reena Nigam and Renu Girotra, Published by Upanayan Publications, Delhi (2021), ISBN 978-81-946799-8-1, pp 105-117
5. "Theorising Home and Homelessness in Literature: A Critical Overview" published in Borderless Boundaries of the Minds: Revisiting the Partitioned Selves, Edited by Shweta Singh, Silpi Maitra and Shreya Chakraborty, Published by Upanayan Publications, Delhi (2021), ISBN 978-81-946799-7-4, pp 46-57
6. "Dark is Bright and Bright is Dark: Demystifying Colonial Narrativization through Rereading the Origin Myths from North East India" published in Narrative Cultures of North East India: Traditions, Texts and Representations, Edited by Arzuman Ara, Dhurjjati Sarma, Bhaskar Jyoti Gogoi and Surajit Sen, Published by Pencraft International, New Delhi (2021), ISBN 978-93-82178-30-9, pp 206-216
7. "Home and Homelessness in the Novels of Amitav Ghosh" published in Indian Narrative Traditions: Text, Performance and Interpretation, Edited by Arzuman Ara and Surajit Sen, Published by Pencraft International, New Delhi (2021), ISBN 978-93-82178-31-6, pp 165-183
8. "Understanding Classroom Behaviour: A Teacher-Taught Perspective" published in the Classroom Management: Theory and Practice, Edited by Narayan Ch. Gahatraj, published by Purbayon Publication, Guwahati, October 2016, ISBN No. 978-81-92955-29-2, pp 95 – 100

Publications in Seminar Proceedings Volume

1. "The Ryndia Silk of Meghalaya – A Heritage Loom: A case on/from Tourism Perspective" published in the Proceedings Volume of a National Seminar, titled Indigenous Handloom and Handicraft Practices of North East India, Edited by Joyeeta Deb, Published by Akansha Publishing House, New Delhi (2023), ISBN 978-81-8370-654-4, pp 60 – 91
2. "Human Intervention: Effects on Forest and Wildlife in Meghalaya" published in the Proceedings Volume of a National Seminar, titled Man Forest Interface in North East India, Edited by Sumana Paul and Chandana Bhattacharjee, Published by B. R. Publishing Corporation, Delhi (2018), ISBN 9789387587465, pp 117 – 122
3. "The Tripura Crisis and Dilemma: [A General over-view of what might have gone wrong since 1947 in Tripura]" published in the Proceedings Volume of a National Seminar, titled Extremism in North East India, Edited by Bimal J. Deb, Published by Concept Publishing Company Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi (2015), ISBN 978-93-5125-140-8, pp 252-257
4. "ICTs in Education: Measuring the Credibility of its Latent Ability" published in the Proceedings Volume of a National Seminar, titled ICT in

- Education, Edited by Brinda Bazeley Kharbiryumbai, Published by Eastern Book House, Guwahati (2013), ISBN 978-93-80261-91-1, pp 107-118
5. "Introspecting the Social Identity Movement" published in the Proceedings Volume of a National Seminar, titled Social Movements in Northeast India, Edited by Sarthak Sengupta, Published by Gyan Publishing House, New Delhi (2019), ISBN 9788121214490, pp 53-59
 6. "Shaping an Emerging Paradigm: Role of BRICs Hereafter" published in the Proceedings Volume of a National Seminar, titled Global Financial Crisis: Implications and Repercussions, Edited by M. N. Bhattacharjee, M. Dey, B. Wannaing, S. Sarma and L. Pathaw, Published by EBH Publishers, Guwahati (2012), ISBN 978-93-80261-66-9, pp 179 – 208
 7. "Influence of Gandhi in the Freedom Movement in Assam" published in the Proceedings Volume of a National Seminar, titled Freedom Struggle in North East India, edited by B Datta Ray, Bimal J. Deb and Siddeshwar Sarma, Published by Omsons Publication, Delhi, (2011), ISBN 978-81-907205-4-0, pp 198 – 206
 8. "Roots of Insurgency in North East India" published in the Proceedings Volume of a Brainstorming Session, titled Roots of Insurgency in Northeast India, Edited by Prof. J. B. Bhattacharjee, Published by Akansha Publications, New Delhi (2007), ISBN 978-81-8370-138-9, pp 56 – 62

International Journal Publications

1. "Language, Culture and Mother Tongue Influence: Their Impact on Communication" published in International Journal of English Language, Literature in Humanities, Volume 7, Issue 6, June 2019, ISSN-2321-7065, pp. 1215-1225
2. "Analysing the Feasibility of Linguistic Landscaping in Business Communication in a Cross-cultural Business Environment" published in Research Journal of English Language and Literature A Peer Reviewed (Refereed) International Journal, Volume 7, Issue 2, 2019, ISSN-2321-3108, pp. 374-381
3. "Chronicling Indian Fiction in English: Its Genesis to the Present" published in Research Chronicler: International Multidisciplinary Research Journal, September 2014, Vol. II Issue VI, ISSN 2347–503X, pp 63 – 75
4. "William Golding's Lord of the Flies: A laboratory demonstration of human behaviour sans the restraints of civilization" published in Research Journal of English Language and Literature (A Peer Reviewed International Research Journal), June 2014, Vol. II Issue II, ISSN No. 2321-3108, pp 18 – 20
5. "The World as it is but ought to be: Tagore's The Crown and Red Oleanders as Virtual Case Studies" published in Research Journal of English Language and Literature (A Peer Reviewed International Research Journal), October 2013, Vol. I. Issue III, ISSN No. 2321-3108, pp 114 – 117
6. "Credibility of Women Characters in the Select Tragedies of William Shakespeare" published in The Criterion: An International Journal in

English (Quarterly Refereed and Indexed Open Access Journal), October 2013, Vol. IV Issue V, ISSN No. 0976-8165

7. "Tagore's Chitra, Prakriti and Shyama – Cases of Macrocosm in a Microcosm" published in The Criterion: An International Journal in English (Quarterly Refereed and Indexed Open Access Journal), December 2012, Vol. III Issue IV, ISSN No. 0976-8165

National Journal Publications

1. "Handicrafts of Meghalaya: An Analysis of the Marketing Practices" published in the Indian Journal of Marketing, Volume 43, Number 5, May 2013, ISSN 0973-8703, pp 49 – 57
1. "Pandemic Literature and Lived Experiences of COVID-19 Crisis: A psychological critique on (post-)humanistic precarity – A case in India" in Three-day International Conference on "Crisis in/and South Asian Literature in English" organized by the Department of English, Tezpur University, Napam, Tezpur on 16th December 2023
2. "Reading Culture among Students: Analysing Reading Reluctance/s and Dwindling Reading-based Learning Experience/s" in the 17th International and 53rd Annual Conference of ELTAI on "English for Global Citizenship: Multiple Teaching Acts and Learning Experiences" organized by the English Language Teachers' Association of India (ELTAI), and hosted by the School of Liberal Arts, Uttaranchal University, Dehradun on 11th October 2023
3. "Landscaping architectural visuality in Shillong agglomeration in the context of sustainability: A study on identity, modernity and contemporaneity" in a Three-day International Conference on "Urban Imaginaries, Indigenous Cultures and Social Policies in the Context of Meghalaya and North East India" organized by the Department of Sociology and Department of Philosophy, Ri-Bhoi College, Nongpoh, in collaboration with Office of International Affairs, North-Eastern Hill University, Shillong on 28th September 2023
4. "Ryndia Silk: The Delphian loom of Meghalaya" in a Two-day National Seminar on National Handloom Day on "Indigenous Business Practices and Sustainable Development- Exploring Potentialities of Handloom and Handicraft Sector" organized by the Department of Business Administration, Assam University, Silchar on 7th August 2023
5. "Gender and Gendered Spaces: Reflecting the 'voices' of the 'oppressed other' within a 'home'" in a Two-day National Conference on "Literature, Language and Culture of North East India" (COIN-2022) organized by the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, NIT Meghalaya, in collaboration with the Department of English Literature, EFL University, Shillong Campus on 19th November 2022
6. "The Ryndia Silk of Meghalaya – a heritage loom: A case on/from Tourism perspective" a Special Lecture (Plenary Session) in a One-day National Seminar cum Exhibition on National Handloom Day on "Unlocking Potentialities and Elevating Growth in North East India through Handloom and Handicraft Industry" organized by the Department of Business Administration, Assam University, Silchar on 7th August 2022

Seminar Paper Presentations

7. "Ethnography and Communication: A Study on the Influence of Culture and Native Language on the Speakers of English Language in Shillong" in a Two-day Online National Conference on "Literature, Language and Culture of North East India" (COIN-2021) organized by the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, NIT Meghalaya, in collaboration with the Department of English Language Education, EFL University, Shillong Campus, and Spectrum: An International Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences on 19th November 2021
8. "Language, Cultural Context and Business Communication: A Study of Employability Skills" in an International Conference on "Languaging and Translating: Within and Beyond", organized by the Department of Humanities, Indian Institute of Technology, Patna, in association with the Central Institute of Indian Languages, Mysuru and Yonphula Centenary College, Bhutan, on 21st February 2020, held at the Indian Institute of Technology, Patna
9. "Perception of People towards English Language and its Use: A Study on the General Public in the city of Shillong", in the 3rd COIN 2019 International Conference on "Interdisciplinarity: Intersections of Literature and History for Social and Cultural Change" organized by the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, National Institute of Technology Meghalaya, on 19th October 2019, held at the National Institute of Technology Meghalaya, Shillong
10. "Language, Culture and Mother Tongue Influence: Their impact on Communication" in a National Conference on "Quality Education in the Present Educational Scenario", organized by North East Regional Institute of Education (National Council of Educational Research and Training), Umiam, on 23rd February 2017, held at North East Regional Institute of Education (National Council of Educational Research and Training), Umiam
11. "Analysing the feasibility of linguistic landscaping in business communication in a cross-cultural business environment" in the 1st International Conference on Linguistic Landscaping, organized by the Department of Linguistics, North Eastern Hill University, Shillong, on 23rd June 2017, held at North Eastern Hill University, Shillong
12. "English for employability: The role and importance of learning business communication" in the 12th International & 48th Annual ELT@I Conference on "English Language Acquisition: Western Theories and Eastern Practices", jointly organized by the English Language Teachers Association of India and Department of English and Centre for Research, St. Teresa's College, Ernakulam, Kerala, on 30th June 2017, held at St. Teresa's College, Ernakulam
13. "The Importance of Business Communication and Soft Skills to Management Students: A Cross-Cultural and Cross-Linguistic Perspective" in the 2nd COIN 2017 International Conference on "Interdisciplinarity: Contemporary Research in Humanities, Social Sciences and Management Studies", organized by the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, National Institute of Technology

Meghalaya, on 22nd July 2017, held at National Institute of Technology Meghalaya, Shillong

14. "Role Played by Business Communication in International Trade: An Inter-cultural Perspective" in an International Seminar on "Cross Border Connectivity and Inclusive Growth – Possibilities and Challenges with special reference to the North Eastern Region", organized by Shillong College, Shillong, on August 25, 2017, held at Shillong College, Shillong
15. "The World as it is but ought to be: Tagore's The Crown and Red Oleanders as Virtual Case Studies" in a National Seminar on "Tagore and Contemporary India", organized by Women's College, Shillong, on 23rd March 2013, held at Women's College, Shillong
16. "ICTs in Education: Measuring the Credibility of its Latent Ability" (Joint Paper) in a National Seminar on "Information Communication Technology in Education", organized by the Department of Education, North Eastern Hill University (NEHU), Shillong, on 14th September 2011, held at NEHU, Shillong
17. "Tagore's Chitra, Prakriti and Shyama: Cases of Macrocosm in a Microcosm and Lessons Learnt Thereof" in a National Seminar on "Tagore's Educational Philosophy and its Relevance in Contemporary India", organized by the Research Cell of Women's College, Shillong, on 3rd December 2011, held at Women's College, Shillong
18. "Conflict Analysis: A Reflection of Society through Literature [A Study of Three Novels]" in a National Seminar on "Society and Literature: Interdisciplinary Transactions", organized by the Department of English, North Eastern Hill University (NEHU), Shillong, in collaboration with the ICSSR-NERC, Shillong, on March 18, 2010, held at ICSSR-NERC Conference Room, NEHU, Shillong
19. "Introspecting the Social Identity Movement" (Joint Paper) in a National Seminar on "Social Movement with Special Reference to North East India", organized by the Department of Anthropology, Dibrugarh University, Dibrugarh, on March 26, 2010, held at Dibrugarh University, Dibrugarh
20. "Shaping an Emerging Paradigm: Role of BRICs Hereafter" (Joint Paper) in a National Symposium on "Great Depression of 1930s and Present Global Economic Melt Down – Identifying the Commonalities and Lessons Thereof", organized by the Shillong College Academic Society and Shillong College, Shillong, on June 26, 2010, held at Shillong College, Shillong
21. "Filling Up the Spaces: Sustainability through Green Consumerism" in a National Conference on "Climate Change Potential Environmental Apocalypse: Human Ethics in Question", organized by the Synod College, Shillong, on October 7, 2010, held at Synod College, Shillong
22. "The Tripura Crisis and Dilemma [A General over-view of what might have gone wrong since 1947 in North East India with special reference to Tripura]" in a National Seminar on "Extremism in North-East India", organized by North-East India Council for Social Science Research, Shillong, on March 7, 2009, held at Raitong Building Conference Hall, Shillong

23. "Human Interventions: Effects on Forest and Wildlife in Meghalaya" in a National Seminar on "Man-Forest Interface: Scenario in North East India", organized by Women's College, Shillong, in collaboration with the Office of the PCCF, Department of Forest, Government of Meghalaya on July 9, 2009, held at Women's College, Shillong
24. "Information Technology – Its Feasibility in the Teaching of English Literature in the College Level" in a National Seminar on "Impact of Assessment and Accreditation of Educational Institutions of Higher Education in India", organized by IQAC, Shillong College, Shillong on June 18, 2008, held at Shillong College, Shillong
25. "Marketing Development, its Barriers and Motivation" in a National Seminar on "Capability of VSE Sector as an Engine of Growth and Regional Development", organized by Indian Council of Small Industries, Kolkata, and Sponsored by Planning Commission, Government of India, New Delhi, on June 30, 2007, held at K. L. Bajoria College, Shillong
26. "Population Growth and Its Impact on Nutritional Status of Children in North-East India" in a National Seminar on "Population, Environment and Sustainable Development in India with special reference to North-East", organized by the Centre for Adult and Continuing Education, North Eastern Hill University, Shillong, on July 12, 2007, held at Raitong Building Conference Hall, Shillong
27. "Influence of Gandhi in the Freedom Movement in Assam" in a National Seminar on "Freedom Struggle in North-East India", organized by North-East India Council for Social Science Research, Shillong, on December 7, 2007, held at Raitong Building Conference Hall, Shillong
28. "Roots of Insurgency in North-East" in a Brain Storming Session on "Roots of Insurgency in North-East", organized by North East Study Centre, Kolkata, on August 28, 2006, held at Women's College, Shillong.

Seminars Attended

1. Attended an International Seminar on "Border Trade in North East India: A Politico-Economic Perspective" organized by Women's College, Shillong, from 21st to 22nd October 2016, held at Women's College, Shillong
2. Attended a National Seminar on "Rural Development in North East India: Challenges and Opportunities" organized by Women's College, Shillong, Supported by Community and Rural Development, Government of Meghalaya, ICSSR (NERC), NABARD, Shillong and State Bank of India, Shillong, on 27th and 28th July 2012, held at Women's College, Shillong
3. Attended a National Seminar on "Democracy, Identity and Group Rights: Locating the Northeast Indian Experience in a Comparative Perspective" organized by IQAC, Women's College, Shillong in collaboration with IAS, Shimla and assisted by ICSSR-NERC, Shillong, on 22nd and 23rd December 2010, held at Women's College, Shillong
4. Attended a National Seminar on "Issues of Energy, Energy Security and Alternative Energies in North East India" organized by North East India

Council for Social Science Research, Shillong, on 5th and 6th June 2008, held at Raitong Building Conference Hall, Shillong

5. Attended an International Seminar on “Armed Conflict, Development and Governance” organized by Women’s College, Shillong, and Argue India, Shillong, on 1st and 2nd December 2006, held at Women’s College, Shillong
6. Attended a National Seminar on “Economic Development and Conflict” organized by North East India Council for Social Science Research, Shillong, on 9th December 2006, held at Raitong Building Conference Hall, Shillong.

Workshops Attended / Participated

1. Attended the 2nd Digital ICFAI Workshop on IT Initiatives organized by the CIT Department at Hyderabad from 18th to 19th July 2024
2. Attended an Regional Workshop on “Creation and Promotion of Online Teaching Resources: A National Initiative” organized by the National Institute of Technology, Meghalaya, on 5th June 2017, held at National Institute of Technology Meghalaya, Shillong
3. Attended a Workshop on “Case Study Methodology” organized by the IBS Case Research Centre, Hyderabad, in association with ICFAI University Meghalaya, from 22nd to 24th June 2015, held at ICFAI University Meghalaya, Shillong
4. Attended a Workshop on “Information Technology and Its Applicability in Other Areas” organized by the ICFAI University Meghalaya, Shillong Campus, on 26th May 2015, held at the Don Bosco Youth Centre Conference Hall, Shillong
5. Attended a National Workshop on “Data Analysis: Tools and Methods” organized by the English and Foreign Languages University, Shillong Campus, in Collaboration with the Central Institute of Indian Languages, Mysore, on 7th and 8th August 2014, held at the English and Foreign Languages University, Shillong Campus
6. Attended a Training in Disaster Management Session organized by the ICFAI University Meghalaya, Shillong Campus, in Collaboration with the Meghalaya Administrative Training Institute, Shillong, on 16th and 17th June 2014, held at the ICFAI University Meghalaya, Shillong Campus
7. Attended a Workshop on “Positive Discrimination” organized by Women’s College, Shilong, Sponsored by UGC, on 25th and 26th November 2011, held at Women’s College, Shillong
8. Attended a Workshop on “Disaster Preparedness in Meghalaya” organized by National Disaster Management Authority, Government of India, on 10th and 11th June 2008, held at Lady Keane College, Shillong.

Webinars Attended

1. Attended a National Webinar on “Unleashing Innovation in Curriculum Designing with Outcome-Based Education” organised by Inpods India Private Limited on 4th January 2024
2. Attend a National Webinar on "Reference Management Tools" organised by Central Library, Assam Don Bosco Univeristy in collaboration with Library and Information Science Professional Association on 28th August 2021

3. Attend a Webinar on " To Be, To Become & To Adopt Appropriate Technology for Teachers & Learners: A Wild Goose Chase!" jointly organized by English Language Teachers' Association of India, Visakhapatnam Chapter, and GITAM School of Gandhian Studies, Visakhapatnam, AP, India on 21st August 2021
4. Attend a Webinar on "Theatre in the English Language Classroom" organised by the English Language Teachers Association of India on 8th August 2021
5. Attend a Webinar on "Empowering Teachers to Integrate Technology: Challenges and Solutions" organised by the English Language Teachers Association of India on 1st August 2021
6. Attend a Webinar on "The Glove and the Mirror: Metaphors to Explore Shakespeare" organised by the English Language Teachers Association of India on 25th July 2021
7. Attended a National Webinar on "The Impact of Covid 19: Reflections on Pandemics and Epidemics in Literature" organised by the Department of English, Sankerdev College, Shillong on 6th March 2021
8. Attended a Webinar on "Mainland Northeast: Re-centring the Centre" organised by the Department of English and Communication, Martin Luther Christian University, Shillong on 9th October 2020
9. Attended a National Webinar on "Tribal Literature and Philosophy of North East India" organized by Poorvangan and ICSSR, NERC, Shillong on 2nd and 3rd October 2020
10. Attended a Webinar on "Using Songs and Music in the Language Classroom" organised by the English Language Teachers' Association of India (ELTAI), Chennai on 27th September 2020
11. Attended a Webinar on "Swami Vivekananda's Ideas on Art" organised by Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda Cultural Centre, Shillong on 9th August 2020
12. Attended a Webtalk on "The Quill: A webtalk on Poetry and Translation" organised by the Northeast Writers' Forum, Guwahati on 4th August 2020
13. Attended a Webinar on "Peace Building in India: Role of Northeast Women" organised by the UGC-Women's Studies Centre, Mizoram University on 30th July 2020

Lectures Attended

1. Attended an International Lecture Series on "English Literature and Theory" organised by the All India Forum for English Students, Scholars and Trainers (AIFEST), Guwahati from 3rd August to 7th August 2020
2. Attended the Third Pundit Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar National Endowment Lecture organized by Women's College, Shillong, delivered by Prof. Pabitra Sarkar, noted Scholar, Indira Gandhi Prize for National Integration Awardee and Former Vice Chancellor of Rabindra Bharati University, West Bengal, on the theme "My Teachers: Narratives on How and What We Learn" on 1st December 2011, held at Women's College, Shillong
3. Attended the Second Pundit Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar National Endowment Lecture organized by Women's College, Shillong, delivered by Prof. K. N. Panikkar, noted Historian and Chairman, Kerala Council of

Historical Research and Vice Chairman, Kerala State Higher Education Council, on the theme "Culture, Globalization and Politics" on 25th November 2010, held at Women's College, Shillong

4. Attended the First Pundit Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar National Endowment Lecture organised by Women's College Shillong, delivered by Prof. Marmar Mukhopadhyay, Director, Educational Technology and Management Academy, New Delhi, on the theme "Cultivating the Genius" on 16th December 2009, held at Women's College, Shillong
5. Attended the 3rd B. M. Pugh Memorial Lecture organised by Women's College Shillong, delivered by Shri Ratan Thyam on the theme "Theatre and Theatre Artists of North East India" on 8th March 2008, held at Women's College, Shillong
6. Attended a lecture delivered by Prof. Mark J. Rozell, Professor of Public Policy, George Mason University, the U.S.A., at Women's College, Shillong, on the theme, "2008 Election: The Candidates, Platform and Leading Issues" on 10th August 2008

**FDP's/Refresher
Course Attended**

1. Participated in a Two Day Online International Faculty Development Program on "Empowering Educators: Strategies for Multicultural Communication and Modern Teaching" organized by Woxen University, Hyderabad, held on 25th and 26th July 2024
2. Participated in a One Week Online Faculty Development Program on "New Vistas in English Studies" organised by the Department of Language Studies, Presidency University, Bengaluru, held from 20th to 26th September 2021
3. Participated in an Eight Day Online Faculty Development Program on "Reading: Back to Basics" conducted by the English Language Teachers' Association of India (ELTAI) in association with Sri Ramakrishna Engineering College, Coimbatore held from 23rd-28th & 30th-31st August 2021
4. Participated in a Three Day Online Faculty Development Program on "Learn, Unlearn and Relearn the collaborative, creative and critical thinking in the classroom" organised by G. L. Bajaj Group of Institutions, Mathura held from 17th to 16th December 2020
5. Participated in a Five-Day Online Faculty Development Program on "Rethinking Critical Theory and Praxis in the Humanities and Social Sciences" organised by the IQAC Tetso College, Dimapur from 13th July 2020 to 17th July 2020
6. Participated in a Faculty Development Programme conducted by the ICFAI University Tripura, Agartala, from 31st May 2010 to 5th June 2010

**Organized
Seminars/Webinars,
etc.**

1. Have been Convener of the Third N. J. Yasaswy Memorial Lecture, organised by the ICFAI University Meghalaya, Shillong Campus, on October 8, 2022
2. Have been Coordinator of an International Webinar on 'Migration: The Politics of Exclusion' organised by the Department of English, ICFAI University Meghalaya on 15th November 2022
3. Have been Convener of N. J. Yasaswy Memorial Lecture, organised by the ICFAI University Meghalaya, Shillong Campus, on October 8, 2022

4. Have been Coordinator of a Webinar on *'Re-connecting Literature and Nature: Locating their Relevance in a Pandemic stricken World'* organised by the Department of English, ICFAI University Meghalaya on 31st July 2021
5. Have been Coordinator of an International Web-Talk on *'The relevance of Gandhi in the present socio-politico-economic scenario of India'* organised by the ICFAI University Meghalaya to celebrate the 151st Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi on 2nd October 2020
6. Have been Member of the organizing committee of a Conclave on *'Inspiring the Generation-Y Talent'*, organised by ICFAI University Meghalaya, Shillong Campus, on 22nd November 2018
7. Have been Coordinator of a Panel Discussion on *'Society for All': Is Egalitarianism Possible?* on the occasion of National Social Justice Day, organized by the ICFAI University Meghalaya, Shillong Campus, on September 25, 2014
8. Have been Convener of the First and Second N. J. Yasaswy Memorial Lecture, organised by the ICFAI University Meghalaya, Shillong Campus, on October 8, 2012 and October 8, 2013 respectively.

Membership in Academic Bodies

1. Honorary Member of the Academic Council of ICFAI University Meghalaya since March 2018 to March 2021 and from November 2021 to November 2024
2. Honorary Member of the Academic Council of ICFAI University Mizoram from June 2017 to June 2020 and from October 2021 to October 2024
3. Honorary Member of the Board of Studies of ICFAI University Meghalaya from 1st February 2024 to 31st January 2027

Membership in Professional Bodies

1. Life Member of the Comparative Literature Association of India (CLAI), Delhi, India
2. Life Member of the Indian Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies (IACLALS), New Delhi, India
3. Long Term Member of The English Language Teachers Association of India (ELT@I), India
4. Life Member of the Council for Teacher Education Foundation (CTEF), Meghalaya Chapter, India

Guest Lectures Delivered

1. Delivered a Guest Lecture on Communication Skills organized by the Department of English Language Education, Shillong College, Shillong, on 14th and 15th March 2024
2. Delivered a Guest Lecture on Data Analysis for Qualitative and Quantitative Research Studies organized by the Department of English Language Education, EFL University, Regional Campus Shillong, on 5th November 2023
3. Delivered a Guest Lecture on Research Methodology: Sampling and Basics of Statistics organized by the Department of English Language Education, EFL University, Regional Campus Shillong, on 8th and 9th April 2022

4. Delivered a Guest Lecture on Modernism and Literary History organized by the Department of English, GLA University, Mathura on 25th January 2022
5. Delivered a Guest Lecture on Public Relations and Corporate Communication organised by Department of Mass Communication, Punjabi University, Patiala on 3rd and 4th December 2020
6. Delivered lectures on Basics of Phonetics and Soft Skills as a Resource Person in a Short Term Course on Communication Skills under RUSA Scheme organized by the Department of English, Women's College, Shillong, held from 12th March 2018 to 20th March 2018, at Women's College, Shillong
7. Delivered lectures on Basics of Communication Skills as a Resource Person in a Short Term Course on Communication Skills under RUSA Scheme organized by the Department of English, Women's College, Shillong, held from 31st July 2017 to 5th August 2017, at Women's College, Shillong
8. Have been a Resource Person for an Awareness Program on Drug and Alcohol Use, through Neighbourhood Youth Parliament organised by the Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan, under the Ministry of Skill Development, Entrepreneurship and Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India, held on 13th March 2015 at the Malki Durbar Hall, Shillong
9. Have been a Resource Person for training aspirants to compete in the Civil Services Examination under the Integrated UGC – Sponsored Service Entry Level Coaching Classes held from 2nd July 2012 onwards at Women's College, Shillong
10. Have been a Resource Person for IGNOU's DCE Programme from 20th May 2012 to 2nd June 2012
11. Delivered a Lecture on "Measures to be Adopted to Tap New Products left Un-explored and which can fetch Foreign Exchange for the Country" at a Workshop on "Handicraft Sourcing Show" sponsored by the Office of the Development Commissioner (Handicrafts), Ministry of Textiles, Government of India, implemented by the Meghalaya Handloom and Handicrafts Development Corporation Ltd., Shillong, held at ICFAI University Meghalaya, Shillong Campus, on 7th February 2012
12. Delivered a Lecture on "The Relevance of Communication Skills in the New Diverse Workplace" at Women's College, Shillong, organized by the Department of English, Women's College, Shillong, on 13th August 2011
13. Have been a Resource Person for Certificate in Primary Education (CPE) sponsored by the Government of Meghalaya in collaboration with the Indira Gandhi National Open University, Shillong, in May 2008 and October 2008.

Other Details in relation to academics, if any

1. Have been the Honorary Member, Editorial Board, of the *World Journal of Arts, Languages and Social Sciences* published by the Research, Review and Publications Journals (RRP Journals), from May 2012 to May 2014

