



Faculty Details Proforma

Title	Dr.	First Name	Deepshikha	Last Name	Mahanta Bortamuly	Photograph
Designation	Associate Professor					
Address	Daulat Ram College, 4 Patel Marg, DU					
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Educational Qualification						
Degree	Institution					Year
PhD	Central Institute of English and Foreign Languages (Currently EFLU)					2004
UGC NET	UGC					2000
PGDTE	Central Institute of English and Foreign Languages (Currently EFLU)					1999-2000
MA (English)	Gauhati University					1998
Career Profile						
Have been actively engaged in teaching for more than two decades						
Administrative Assignments						
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Teacher- in-Charge of the Department of English for the years 2011-12, 2013-14, 2014-15 (one semester), 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017-18 (one semester), 2019-20, 2021-22, 2022-23 (more than a semester), 2023-24Nodal Officer, North East Cell, 2014-15, 2015-16, 2024-25Admission-in-Charge for the Department in 2011-12, 2013-14, 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017-18, 2019-20, 2021-22Convener, College Magazine 2007-08, Member 2014-15, Convener 2015-16Convener, English Literary Society/Association, 2008-09, 2010-11, 2012-13, 2014-15, 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017-18, 2019-20, 2021-22, 2022-23Convener, SPICMACAY, Daulat Ram College Chapter, 2008-09, 2010-11, 2017-18Member, Student Advisory Board 2019-20, 2020-21Member, Placement Cell, 2020-21Member, Teaching Programme Committee, 2011-12, 2013-14, 2014-15, 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017-18Member, Time Table Committee, 2011-12, 2013-14, 2014-15, 2015-16, 2016-17, 2021-22Member, Discipline Committee, 2010-11, 2012-13, 2014-15, 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017-18						

- Member, Prize Committee, 2011-12, 2013-14, 2014-15, 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017-18, 2019-20, 2021-22

Areas of Interest / Specialization

Discourse Analysis, Assamese Language and Literature, Postcolonialism, Renaissance, Modernism, Literary Theory, Mass Communication, Digital Humanities, Folklore

Subjects Taught (in the last three years)

Various papers of English Hon. and BAP

Research Guidance

Supervising PhD

Publications Profile (in the last three years)

Indicatives publications:

- Mahanta Bortamuly, Deepshikha. Contemporary World versus Cultural Practices: Exploring the Inextricable Intertwining of Songs and Narration in Assamese Folktales. WE - Multidisciplinary and Multilingual Peer-Reviewed Research Journal. Faculty of Arts, University of Delhi. ISSN 2583-2298. 2022.
- ---. "Exploring the Significance of Bezbaroa's Burhi Aair Sadhu, Focusing on Innocence as Projected in Bezbaroa and Shakespeare", in *The Mirror*, Vol 8, 2021. Indexed in the International Institute of Organised Research. ISSN 2348-9596. pp. 172-180. Print. 2021
- "Foucault aru satyar bipad" ("Foucault and the Problems of Truth"), in Pranjit Bora, ed. *Sahitya: Drishtikon aru Bichar*, pp.96-101. Department of Assamese, Dibrugarh University, Centre for Advanced Studies, under UGC. ISBN: 978-81-947995-9-7. Print. April, 2021.

Conference Organization / Presentation (in the last three years)

1. Invited Speaker talk on "Hybridity, Interculturation and Folklore", Department of Folklore Research, Gauhati University, 29th September 2023.
2. Distinguished Speaker talk on "Folklore: Is it a Dying or a Resurgent World?", Asiatic Society for Social Science Research, 4th December 2022.
3. Invited Speaker talk on "Literature, Identity and the Notion of the North East", Hansraj College, University of Delhi, 11th November 2022.

Organised:

1. As the Convener, organised a Talk on "G20 Presidency and Its Global Impact" as part of "Amrit Kaal Vimarsh: Viksit Bharat @2047", in collaboration with the Indian Council of Social Science Research, Delhi. Held on 11th October 2023, Conference Hall, DRC.

2. As the TIC of the English department and Co-convenor, organised a Two Day International Conference on “Modernism, India and the Colonial Gaze”, in collaboration with the Indian Council of Social Science Research, Delhi, on 1st-2nd February 2024, DRC.
3. As the TIC of the English Department and Convener, organised a “Two Day Workshop on Editing and Publishing”. Held under the aegis of IQAC, on 5th and 6th October, 2023, Conference Hall, DRC.
4. As the TIC of the English department and Convener of ELA, organised The Inaugural Lecture of the English Department Distinguished Lecture Series. Topic: “Memory, Truth and Reconciliation: Partition in Private and Public Spaces”. Held on 22nd February 2023, Conference Hall, DRC.
5. As the TIC of the department and Convener of ELA, organised the Second Lecture of the English Department Distinguished Lecture Series. Topic: THE (DIS)ENCHANTMENTS OF POSTCOLONIALISM. Held on 22nd March 2023, Conference Hall, DRC.
6. As the TIC of the department and Convener of ELA, organised a Talk titled: “Why do Students Struggle to ‘Read’ in the English Classroom?”, on 11th August, 2021.
7. Organized an Invited Talk. titled: “Memory, Storytelling and Interrupted Embodiment: Reading *Heart of Darkness* and *Mrs. Dalloway*”, held on 29th September, 2021
8. Organised a talk on: “Bodies, Spaces and Representations: Interrogating Intersectional Identities in African American Literature”. Held on 23rd October 2021.
9. Organized a talk on Children’s Literature, titled “Children’s Literature: Beyond Didactic Teaching”. Held on 10th November 2021.
10. Jointly Convened with Lt. Dr. Suparna Jain Thakur an Inter-departmental Skill Development Programme on Gender Studies, organised by the departments of English and Psychology. Held from 20th-28th December, 2021, DRC.

Research Projects (Major Grants/Research Collaboration)

Awards and Distinctions

Association with Professional Bodies

Reviewer for Journal of Language, Literature and Culture, Australasian Universities Language and Literature Association (AULLA) Routledge and Taylor & Francis

Other Activities (in last three years)

One week Faculty Development Program on “Communication, Creative Writing and Personality Development”, jointly organised by GADTLC, SGTB Khalsa College, DU under Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching (PMMMNMTT), 27th October-3rd November 2022

