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Sireesha Telugu is an Assistant Professor in the Department of English, School of Humanities. Her areas of interest include Indian English Literature, American Literature, South Asian Diaspora and Literature, with special focus on Indian Migration. Earlier, she taught English and Managerial Communication at GITAM University, Hyderabad.

She worked for some time as a Junior Language Analyst in Interface Research Program, a Translator and Editor for Special Assistance Program, and as a Research Associate for a Project coordinated by the Ministry of Overseas Indian Affairs.

She currently serves as the Nodal Officer for Gender Equality Awareness Committee (GEAC), University of Hyderabad.

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#### Publications

- Sireesha, Telugu. *Diasporic Indian Women's Writing: Quest for Identity in their short stories*, Prestige Books: New Delhi. 2009.
- “Sociology of the Indian Diaspora.” *Indian Languages and Literatures in the Diaspora*. E-Module, 2014
- “Fragmented Modernity: Lesser Diasporas, the Nation and Traumatic Identity.” *RDWU Journal of Social Sciences and Humanities*, Vol: 3, December 2018

- “At Home, Away from Home: Literatures of the New Indian Diaspora.” *Diplomacy and Beyond Plus: A Journal of Foreign Policy and National Affairs*. January, 2019
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Lectures Delivered, National/International.

- Delivered a talk on “Indians Writing at *home* away from *home* - Diaspora and Indian Literature” in an Induction Course for the Post-Graduate Teachers, Jawahar Navodhayas, Hyderabad, October, 2013
- Resource Person for a Round-Table Conference on '*Intense Brain Storming*' aimed towards re-thinking '*Modern & Literary Modernity*', Centre for Multidisciplinary Development Research (CMDR) Dharwad, Karnataka, 14<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup> December, 2017
- Resource person at a Two-Day National Seminar on *Indian Modernities: Literature, Culture and Society*. Department of English, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi, Karnataka, 22<sup>nd</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2018
- Invited Guest Speaker on *English in India: The New Indian Novel*. Department of English, PR Govt College, Kakinada, 29th December, 2018
- Invited Speaker for a Tele-Conference on *Indian Diaspora and Novel* organized by Dr. B.R.Ambedkar Open University, Hyderabad. 13th January, 2019
- Invited Judge for *Jignasa* Student Projects, The Commissionerate of Collegiate Education, Telangana. 2nd February, 2019
- Syllabus Revision Committee, Department of English, CMS College, Kottayam, Kerala
- Invited Speaker for a UGC-Funded Two Day National Seminar on *Decolonisation of English Content in Higher Education*. Department of English, PR Government College, Kakinada 22nd-23rd February, 2019
- Invited to participate and present a paper at Dartmouth South-South Forum's First Workshop on “Home Lost”, at Dartmouth College, Hanover, New Hampshire, The United States of America. 12<sup>th</sup> August, 2019 – 16<sup>th</sup> August, 2019

- Invited as a resource person to deliver a talk on “Introduction to Moodle and OER’s” in a Workshop on MOOCS, E-Content Development and Open Educational Resources, Osmania University, Hyderabad, March, 2020.
  - Invited as a resource person to deliver a talk on “Introduction to OER- Finding Open Educational Resources (OER) - Building CC attribution” in online Short term Course on “Faculty MOOCs Online Courses & Open Educational Resources”, UGC-HRDC, MANUU, Hyderabad, December, 2020.
  - Invited as a resource person to deliver a talk on “Introduction to OER- Finding Open Educational Resources (OER) - Building CC attribution and Embedding OER in Moodle Page and Book Module”, for online workshop on “E-Content Development and Online Pedagogy”, UGC-HRDC, Osmania University, Hyderabad, January, 2021
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#### Forthcoming Publications

- “Traumatic Realism in Films about the Nepali Diaspora”, *English Studies*, IUP, Hyderabad.
- *Indian Literatures in Diaspora*. Ed. Routledge, London