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EDUCATIONAL SUMMARY:

Qualification	Institution	Year	Results/Details
HSLC	St. Mary's Convent	1981	Division- 1st
Pre-University	Cotton College	1983	Division- 1st Rank- 3rd in the State State highest marks in English & Logic
BA (English Honours)	Cotton College	1985	Division- 1st Class 1st Rank- 1st in the Gauhati University Medal- Gold
MA (1988 held in 1990)	Gauhati University	1990	Division- 2nd Class
PhD	Gauhati University	2013	Department- English Language Teaching (ELT) Topic- Reading as a Remediation at the Tertiary Level: A Learner Centered Study

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS:

JAWAHARLAL NEHRU MEMORIAL AWARD FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE 1985

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

TEACHING OF LITERATURE HAS BEEN A CHALLENGE OVER THE LAST FEW DECADES. READING AND WRITING SKILLS ARE DIMINISHING WITH THE ADVENT OF TECHNOLOGY IN THE LIVES OF THE STUDENTS. WITH THE CHANGING TIMES, IT HAS BECOME IMPORTANT TO KEEP PACE WITH THE CHANGING SCENARIO YET HOLD ON TO THE OLD TRADITIONAL TEACHING METHODOLOGY TOO.

INNOVATIVE TEACHING METHODOLOGY INTERESTS ME WHERE I AM SUCCESSFULLY EXPERIMENTING WITH USING LEARNER CENTRIC TEACHING WITH TEACHERS STAYING OFF CENTRE AND THE LEARNERS ARE FACILITATED TO TAKE CENTRE STAGE.

ENGLISH AS A SUBJECT AND ENGLISH AS A LANGUAGE ARE TO BE UNDERSTOOD SEPARATELY BEFORE THEY ARE BLENDED TOGETHER AND TEACHING TAKES PLACE. I AM CONSTANTLY RESEARCHING WAYS TO USE INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGY TO GUIDE AND MOTIVATE LEARNERS TO LEARN BETTER AND FASTER.

FURTHER RESEARCH IS NEEDED IN THIS AREA BUT MY MASTERS IN ENGLISH LITERATURE AND PHD IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE HAVE PAVED THE WAY TO KEEP THIS METHODOLOGY GOING.

I AM LOOKING FORWARD TO EXPERIMENTING FURTHER SINCE MY STUDENTS HAVE SHOWN REMARKABLE IMPROVEMENT WITH THIS METHODOLOGY- BOTH IN BEING MOTIVATED AS WELL AS IN THEIR RESULTS.

PUBLICATIONS:

- **PROCEEDINGS OF INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON EMPOWERING THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE CLASSROOM**

TOPIC: UNDERSTANDING SYLLABUS DESIGN AT THE TERTIARY LEVEL

ISBN: 978-93-81583-84-5

- **PROCEEDINGS OF NATIONAL SEMINAR ON TOURISM AND DEVELOPMENT OF ASSAM**

TOPIC: EXPLORING THE PROSPETS OF CULINARY TOURISM IN ASSAM- A CASE STUDY

ISBN: 978-81-927071-0-5

- **CO- EDITOR FOR THE RESEARCH JOURNAL ‘PANORAMA’**

ISBN: 978-81-927071-1-2

YEAR: 2014

- **ARTICLE PUBLISHED IN ‘PANORAMA’**

TOPIC: ‘READING ENGLISH: THE ESSENCE OF COMMUNICATION- A CASE STUDY’

ISBN: 978-81-927071-1-2

YEAR: 2014

- **MRP UNDER UGC**

YEAR- 2013- COMPLETED

TITLE: A COMPARATIVE STUDY OF ENGLISH READING DISABILITY AMONG VERNACULAR AND ENGLISH MEDIUM STUDENTS IN HS SEGMENT IN COLLEGES OF BAIHATA CHARIALI AND NORTH GAUHATI

PAPERS PRESENTED AND CONFERENCE/WORKSHOPS/ORIENTATION/ REFRESHER COURSES ATTENDED:

- GAU UNIV- 2003
 - GAU UNIV- 2005
 - GAU UNIV- 2010
 - NORTH EAST HILL UNIV- 2013
- } 4 REFRESHER COURSES
- GAU UNIV- 2009- ORIENTATION COURSE

INTERNATIONAL/NATIONAL SEMINARS/CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS ATTENDED/WITH PRESENTATIONS/ AS RESOURCE PERSONS:

NATIONAL SEMINARS/CONFERENCES:

- NATIONAL SEMINAR ON 'POST MODERN FICTION'
GAUHATI UNIVERSITY
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH
YEAR: 2000
- UGC SEMINAR
'TRADITION AND 20TH CENTURY ASSAMESE LITERATURE'
KRB GIRLS' COLLEGE
YEAR: 2000
- NATIONAL SEMINAR ON 'INDIAN ENGLISH LITERATURE AND CREATIVE WRITING'
YEAR: 2000
VENUE: B.BOROOAH COLLEGE
PAPER PRESENTED: 'A STUDY OF UPAMANYU CHATTERJEE'S – ENGLISH AUGUST, AN INDIAN STORY'
- NATIONAL SEMINAR
'INDO-ANGLIAN LITERATURE'
B.BOROOAH COLLEGE
YEAR: 2002
PAPER PRESENTED: 'OPPOSING VIEWS OF INDIAN AND WESTERN CRITICS ON INDIAN WRITERS WRITING IN ENGLISH- A STUDY'
- UGC NATIONAL SEMINAR ON 'NATIONAL INTEGRITY AND THE NORTH-EAST'
YEAR: 2002
KRB GIRLS' COLLEGE
- 8TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE ON 'INDIAN WRITING IN ENGLISH: CREATIVE AND CRITICAL DIMENSIONS'
YEAR: 2003

POEM PRESENTED: 'THOUGHTS'

ARUNACHAL UNIVERSITY

- NATIONAL SEMINAR ON 'INDIAN WRITING IN ENGLISH'

YEAR: 2003

GAUHATI COMMERCE COLLEGE

- NATIONAL SEMINAR ON 'LANGUAGE PEDAGOGY'

YEAR: 2008

PAPER PRESENTED: 'PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF LANGUAGE TEACHERS'

GAUHATI UNIVERSITY

- NATIONAL SEMINAR(UGC) ON 'CURRENT TRENDS IN THE TEACHING OF ENGLISH IN INDIA AT THE HS AND DEGREE LEVEL: PROBLEMS AND PROSPECTS'

YEAR: 2010

PAPER PRESENTED: 'PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF LANGUAGE TEACHERS: A REVIEW'

NALBARI COMMERCE COLLEGE

- NATIONAL ELT CONFERENCE FOR TEACHERS OF ENGLISH AT THE UNDERGRAD LEVEL: 'MEETING UNDERGRAD STUDENTS' ENGLISH NEEDS: EXPLORING CURRENT PEDAGOGICAL PRACTICES'

YEAR: 2012

PAPER PRESENTED: 'EFFECTIVE METHODOLOGY FOR THE LANGUAGE CLASSROOM'

GAUHATI UNIVERSITY

- NATIONAL SEMINAR ON 'SOCIAL EXCLUSIONS AND INCLUSIVE DEVELOPMENT'

YEAR: 2011

PAPER PRESENTED: 'SOCIAL EXCLUSIONS: ISSUES AND CHALLENGES'

NORTH GAUHATI COLLEGE

- NATIONAL SEMINAR ON ‘TOURISM AND DEVELOPMENT OF ASSAM’

KRB GIRLS’ COLLEGE

YEAR- 2013

PAPER PRESENTED: ‘EXPLORING THE PROSPECTS OF CULINARY TOURISM IN ASSAM’

- PROFESSIONAL SEMINAR ON ‘YOUTH DEVELOPMENT IN THE CONTEXT OF A GLOBAL AND DIVERSE SOCIETY’

YEAR: 2015

SONAPUR COLLEGE

INTERNATIONAL SEMINARS/CONFERENCES:

- 7TH INTERNATIONAL AND 43RD ANNUAL ELTAI CONFERENCE: ‘THE ENGLISH CLASSROOM-EXPERIMENTS AND EXPERIENCES’

YEAR: 2012

PAPER PRESENTED: ‘MIXED ABILITY CLASSES-TEACHING READING-A LEARNERS’ PERSPECTIVE’

VELLAMAL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, CHENNAI

- THIRD ASIAN CONFERENCE ON LITERATURE AND LIBRARIANSHIP: LIBRASIA2013

YEAR: 2013

PAPER PRESENTED: ‘CONSTRUCTING THE ‘WOMEN’: DECODING THE POLITICS OF GENDER IN THE ASSAMESE FOLKTALES’

RAMADA OSAKA, OSAKA CITY, JAPAN

- INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON ‘EMPOWERING THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE CLASSROOM’

YEAR: 2013

PAPER PRESENTED: ‘UNDERSTANDING SYLLABUS DESIGN AT THE TERTIARY LEVEL WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO READING SKILL DEVELOPMENT- A STUDY’

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

JAIPUR

- INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON ENGLISH: 'FROM CLASSES TO MASSES'

YEAR: 2014

PAPER PRESENTED: 'TEACHING ENGLISH IN NON-ENGLISH MEDIUM CLASSES- A CASE STUDY IN A FEW COLLEGES IN GUWAHATI, ASSAM'

VIVEKANANDA GLOBAL UNIVERSITY, JAIPUR

- 10TH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE (ELTAI)

YEAR: 2015

'LEARNING AND TEACHING ENGLISH IN INDIA: SETTING STANDARDS'

PAPER PRESENTED: 'READING ENGLISH-THE ESSENCE OF COMMUNICATION: A STUDY'

RAJ KUMAR GOEL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY FOR WOMEN

GHAZIABAD

WORKHOPS/ TALKS:

- TALK ON 'POSTMODERNISM'

DELIVERED BY: DR. GOVINDA PRASAD SARMA (GU)

YEAR: 2003

B. BOROAH COLLEGE, GAUHATI

- TALK ON 'FEMINISM IN COMPARATIVE LITERATURE'

DELIVERED BY: DR. GOVINDA PRASAD SARMA (GU)

YEAR: 2004

GAUHATI COMMERCE COLLEGE

- WORKSHOP ON 'BUSINESS COMMUNICATION'

CONDUCTED BY: MR. SANTIKAM HAZARIKA & DR. ANITA TAMULI (GU)

YEAR: 2004

GAUHATI COMMERCE COLLEGE

- TALK ON: 'THE TEACHING OF ENGLISH AT THE SCHOOL LEVEL- PROBLEMS AND SOLUTIONS'

DELIVERED BY: DR. P.S. MISRA

YEAR: 2005

GORESWAR COLLEGE, ASSAM

- 2 DAY WORKSHOP ON 'DEVELOPING CRITICAL LITERACY AND COMMUNICATIVE SKILLS IN ENGLISH'

YEAR: 2006

ELTI, DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, GOVT. OF ASSAM, KAHILIPARA

- NATIONAL WORKSHOP ON LANGUAGE PEDAGOGY

YEAR: 2008

CENTRAL INSTITUTE OF INDIAN LANGUAGES, MYSORE

HELD IN GAUHATI UNIVERSITY

- SENSITIZATION WORKSHOP ON CAPACITY BUILDING OF WOMEN MANAGERS IN HIGHER EDUCATION (UGC)

DURATION: 5DAYS

YEAR: 2008

WOMEN STUDIES RESEARCH CENTRE, GAUHATI UNIVERSITY

- UGC NATIONAL WORKSHOP ON 'POLICIES AND PROBLEMS OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN ASSAM'

YEAR: 2010

HANDIQUE GIRLS' COLLEGE, GUWAHATI

- UGC NATIONAL WORKSHOP ON 'ROAD SAFETY: A COMPREHENSIVE VIEW OF ALL ITS STAKEHOLDERS IN GREATER PUBLIC INTEREST'

YEAR: 2011

PASHIM GUWAHATI MAHAVIDYALAYA, DHARAPUR, ASSAM

- TWO DAY INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON ‘TEACHER TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT’

YEAR: 2011

CONDUCTED BY PROFESSOR ROD BOLITHO, NORWICH INSTITUTE OF LANGUAGE EDUCATION, UK

HELD IN GAUHATI UNIVERSITY

- UGC WORKSHOP ON ‘CAREER COUNSELING’

YEAR: 2011

ARYA VIDYAPEETH COLLEGE

GUWAHATI

- UGC WORKSHOP ON ‘ INNOVATIVE TEACHING METHODOLOGY IN HIGHER EDUCATION’

YEAR: 2011

DAKSHIN KAMRUP COLLEGE, MIRZA, ASSAM

- UGC WORKSHOP ON ‘TEACHING METHODOLOGY IN SEMESTER SYSTEM’

YEAR: 2012

KC DAS COMMERCE COLLEGE, GUWAHATI

- INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON ‘INTEGRATING ENGLISH LANGUAGE SKILLS IN THE ENGLISH CLASSROOM’

CONDUCTED BY: JOSEPH DWAILEEBE, EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

YEAR: 2012

SONAPUR COLLEGE, ASSAM

- NATIONAL ELT WORKSHOP ON ‘GOOD PRACTICES IN THE LANGUAGE CLASSROOM’

CONDUCTED BY: CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY PRESS

YEAR: 2012

GAUHATI UNIVERSITY

- WORKSHOP ON 'BANKING AWARENESS'

CONDUCTED BY: RESERVE BANK OF INDIA

YEAR: 2012

KRB GIRLS' COLLEGE, ASSAM

- INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON 'INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN FOR DISTANCE LEARNING MATERIALS'

CONDUCTED BY: PROF. KRIHNAPILLAI MURUGAN, COMMONWEALTH OF LEARNING, CANADA

DATE: 2013

GAUHATI UNIVERSITY

- NATIONAL WORKSHOP ON 'PERCEPTIONS OF CPD AND AGENCY OF ELT PRACTITIONERS'

YEAR: 2016

GAUHATI UNIVERSITY

AS RESOURCE PERSON IN WORKSHOPS:

- WORKSHOP ON 'MOTIVATING UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS TO ACQUIRE READING AND WRITING SKILLS IN ENGLISH'

YEAR: 2018

RESOURCE PERSON: DR. BORNALI BHUYAN, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

ORGANISED BY TEZPUR UNIVERSITY AND NORTH GAUHATI COLLEGE

- WORKSHOP ON 'INNOVATION AND REJUVENATION OF TEACHING IN HIGHER EDUCATION'

RESOURCE PERSON: DR. BORNALI BHUYAN, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

YEAR: 2019

ORGANISED BY TEZPUR UNIVERSITY AND SUREN DAS COLLEGE, HAJO

- WORKSHOP ON ‘LANGUAGE SKILLS IN THE ENGLISH CLASSROOM’
RESOURCE PERSON: DR. BORNALI BHUYAN, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR
YEAR: 2019
ORGANISED BY DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH, SONAPUR COLLEGE AND
ELTAI

ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES

WITHIN THE COLLEGE

- LIBRARY SECRETARY- 2006-2007
- MEMBER- COLLEGE DRAMA SOCIETY
- MEMBER- CAREER COUNSELING AND GUIDANCE CELL
- ORGANISING MEMBER- STUDENTS’ SEMINARS AND PROJECT PRESENTATIONS
- IN-CHARGE- STUDENTS’ WALL MAGAZINE
- CO-ORDINATOR- STUDENTS’ GYM AND PHYSICAL FITNESS CENTRE
- MEMBER- SPOKEN ENGLISH AND PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT COURSE
- MEMBER- TUTORIAL CLASSES

DUTIES ASSIGNED OUTSIDE THE COLLEGE:

- PAPER SETTER: GAUHATI UNIVERSITY FOR MAJOR PAPER
- MEMBER: GAUHATI UNIVERSITY SYLLABUS COMMITTEE
- VISITING LECTURER: GAUHATI UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE FOR BALLB, ENGLISH LANGUAGE CLASSES
- EXTERNAL EXAMINER
- HEAD EXAMINER

PERSONAL INFORMATION

DATE OF BIRTH: 24/4/1964 (OFFICIALLY 1963)

NATIONALITY: INDIAN

SEX: FEMALE

MARITAL STATUS: MARRIED

RELIGION: HINDU

LANGUAGES SPOKEN: ASSAMESE, ENGLISH, HINDI, BENGALI