

Curriculum Vitae

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PhD Topic: Language, Culture, Identity and Religion: A Study of Contemporary Naga Society

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Teaching Experience:

1. | 2012 | Teacher, Western International School, Phnom Penh, Cambodia (September–December 2012).
2. | 2013 | Assistant teacher, Center for Linguistics, JNU. New Delhi.
3. | 2014 | Assistant teacher, Center for Linguistics, JNU. New Delhi.
4. | 2018 | Guest faculty, Amity University, Noida. 30th July, 2018 to 15th November, 2018.

Field Assistant:

1. | 2016 | Centre for North East Studies & Policy Research, Jamia Millia Islamia.
2. | 2018 | Central Institute of Indian Languages, Mysuru.

Publications:

1. “Folklore and Memory: With special reference to Ao Naga Community”, Lokaratna, Volume VIII, April 2015 – ISSN: 2347-6427.
2. “Fixity and Fluidity in the Context of the Naga Community”, in Kattookaran, Thomas Paul and Paul Jose, P. (Eds.), Proceedings of the International Conference on Humanities and Social Sciences (ICHUSS-I), Thrissur: Book Media, 2016- ISBN-9789385105432.

3. “Mother Tongue and Identity: With Reference to Ao Community” at the 4th International Conference on North-East India on the theme Reframing India’s Northeast: People, Power, and Perspectives organized by Sikkim University, Gangtok from 24-26 November 2016.
4. “Language and Identity: With Reference to Naga Women Writers”, Asian Women vol. 35 no. 4 (December 2019). doi: <https://doi.org/10.14431/aw.2019.12.35.4.91>

Paper Presentation:

1. “Language and Identity: The Emergence of Pidgin Languages in Nagaland” at the International Conference on Management and Allied Sciences (ICMAS-1) organized by Department of Commerce, Prajyoti Niketan College, Thrissur District from 25-26 October 2018.
2. “Mother Tongue and Identity: The Formation of Ao Community Through Language” at the International Conference on Language, Power and Identity in Asia Creating and Crossing Language Boundaries organized by the National Museum of Antiquities Leiden, the Netherlands, from 14-16 March 2016.
3. “Fixity and Fluidity in the Context of the Naga Community”, in the International Conference on Humanities and Social Sciences (ICHUSS-I) organized by Research Department of Commerce, St Thomas’ College, Trissur from 28-29 January 2016.
4. “Language and Community: Nagamese Pidgin in the Context of Naga Identity Formation” at the Two Day National Conference on Current Trends in Linguistic – With Special Reference to Kashmiri Language and Linguistics organized by the Department of Linguistics, University of Kashmir, Srinagar in collaboration with Central Institute of Indian Languages (CIIL), Mysore from 12-13 August 2015.
5. “Language, Community & Culture: Transitions in Ao-Naga Community” at the International Conference on Reimagining India’s North East: Narratives, Networks and Negotiations organized by the Centre for North East Studies and Policy Research, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi from 4-6 February 2015.
6. “Religion, Community and Identity: With Special Reference to Ao Naga Community” at the 10th International Conference on Humanities and Social Sciences (ICHUSO) 2014 organized by Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, Khon Kaen University, Khon Kaen Province, Thailand from 20-21 November 2014.
7. “Folklore and Memory: With special reference to Ao Naga Community” at the International Conference on Folklore: Reinventing Past Through Folk Traditions, organized by the Centre for Russian Studies, SLL & CS, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, from 23-25 October 2013.

Workshop:

1. Five day Training Programme on Writing Linguistic Reports on Minor and Tribal Languages organized by Central Institute of Indian Languages, Department of Higher Education, Mysuru from 09-13 October 2017.

2. Third Students' Conference of Linguistics in India (SCONLI – 3) and workshop organized by the Centre for Linguistics, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi from 19-20 February 2009 and 21 February 2009.