

## Dr G Raja Kumar

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Date of Birth: 22 March 1978

**Career Objective:** Pursuing a teaching profession where I could use my communication and problem solving skills to contribute to the growth of the organization and take the organization forward in all its endeavours of supporting students' professional development.

### ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS:

2009-2024 PhD from Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur  
2011-2012 B.Ed. from Vishwa Jyothi College of Education, Gudlavalleru, with 69%  
2004-2005 M.Phil. from Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai.  
2000-2002 Completed MA Literature (English) in Nagarjuna University, Guntur, with 61.2%  
1996-1999 BA Literature (English) from Andhra Loyola College (Autonomous), Vijayawada, with 66.2%  
1992-1993 SSC from Bishop Grassi High School, Vijayawada with 60%

### ACADEMIC REWARDS/ACHIEVEMENTS:

- Two Gold Medals during Post-Graduation at Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur.
- Appointed as the Speaking Examiners for Cambridge PET approved by CELA, UK, 2016.

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

2025-till date Seshadri Rao Gudlavalleru Engineering College, Gudlavalleru. Head & Associate Professor of English (from 1 May 2025)  
2024-2025 Seshadri Rao Gudlavalleru Engineering College, Gudlavalleru. Head & Assistant Professor of English (till 30 April 2025)  
2022-2024 Seshadri Rao Gudlavalleru Engineering College, Gudlavalleru. Head (i/c) & Assistant Professor of English  
2009-2021 Gudlavalleru Engineering College, Gudlavalleru. Assistant Professor, of English  
2006-2009 Bomma Institute of Technology & Science, Bomma Insitute of Informatics, MAX College of Pharmacy & Khammam College of Pharmacy, Khammam as an Asst. Professor in Humanities & Science  
2003-2006 Sri Raja Rajeswari Engineering College, Khammam, Assistant Professor in Humanities & Science  
2002-2003 Faculty in AANM & VVRSR School & Polytechnic, Gudlavalleru

**PROJECTS GUIDED:** “Teaching of English to the Speakers of Other Languages: The Importance of Listening and Speaking Skills” an M.Phil thesis by Mr Adam. SK, Kavitha Engineering College, Khammam Registered under Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai in 2011

**SPECIALIZATION:**

- Common Wealth Literature & Indian Literature

**RESEARCH PAPERS / BOOKS:**

**BOOKS PUBLISHED IN PUBLICATIONS:**

- Vocabulary Builder for Students of Engineering and Technology (ISBN 978-93-84361-18-1) A Book by Maruthi Publications
- Assistant Editor, “25 Years of Seshadri Rao Gudlavalleru Engineering College” (A book on college history)
- Member, Advisory Committee, “Seshadri Rao Gudlavalleru Engineering College – A Silver Jubilee Portrait”(A Coffee-table book)

**PAPERS PUBLISHED IN JOURNALS:**

- Mr G Raja Kumar: “Application of ICT Tools to Enhance Cognitive Skills of Teenage Orphans”, The Criterion: An International Journal in English, 15(4), 414-423, ISSN: 0976-8165, 2024.
- An article published in Research Journal of English (RJOE) “Developing Communication Skills through Short Stories” Vol. 2 Special Issue, ISSN : 2456- 2696, 2017
- “Cross-Cultural communication and Factors that may Impede Communication at an Interview”, Veda’s Journal of English Language and Literature (JOELL): Pg no: 133-136, Volume.3, Spl. Issue 2, 2016, ISSN: 2349-9753.
- “Exploitation of Women in Amitav Ghosh’s Sea of Poppies”, Human Rights International Research Journal, Vol-1, Issue-1, pp: 99-102, March 2013
- “Amitav Ghosh’s Flair Towards Women”, Human Rights International Research Journal, Vol-1, Issue-1, pp: 93-98, March 2013

**FACULTY ENABLEMENT PROGRAM:**

- 5-Day Faculty Development Program on ELT-Innovative Approaches and Methods, ANITS, Visakhapatnam, during 18-24 April 2024
- 4-Day CEP (Continuing Education Programme) Short Term Course on Effective Communication and Presentation Skills, IIT Patna, Bihar, during 21-24 May 2019
- 1-Week FDP on Soft Skills and Personality Development, JNTUA College of Engineering, Ananthapuram, during 10-14 December 2018

- FEP-Soft skills, IEG-JKC & Globarena Technologies Pvt. Ltd. from 10 November 2008 to 14 November 2008

#### **LIST OF WORKSHOPS ORGANIZED:**

- A workshop on “Enhancing Pedagogical Skills through Video-mediated Reflective Microteaching – Phase IV” from 25 April to August 2023
- 16-hour workshop on “Academic Reflection Skills” during 7 June 2022 to 2 August 2022
- 9-day virtual FDP on “Research Writing Skills” till 15 July 2021. This is a follow-up to the ELT Centre’s on-site workshop on ‘Writing for Scholarly Publication’ (4 & 7 December 2020).
- 2-day workshop on “Writing for Scholarly Publications” on 4 & 7 December 2020
- 2-day workshop on “Enhancing Pedagogical Skills through Video-mediated Reflective Microteaching – Phase III” on 03 & 06 June 2020
- 4-day Webinar on “Strategies for Effective Assessing and Teaching” from 13 July 2020 to 16 July 2020
- Online workshop on “Teaching and Testing Using Google Classroom” on 12 May 2020 using Zoom App (Resource person)
- 1-day workshop on “Exploring Classroom Processes”, Gudlavalleru Engineering College, 1 August 2019.
- 1-day workshop on “Enhancing Pedagogical Skills through Video-mediated Reflective Microteaching-Phase II” on 2 May 2019
- 3-day workshop on “Enhancing Pedagogical Skills through Video-mediated Reflective Microteaching” on 26 June, 3 July & 5 July 2018
- 1-day workshop on “Task-Based Language Teaching” on 16 July 2016.
- 1-day workshop on “Transition+ Peer Mentoring” on 15 October 2015. (One of the Resource Persons in the workshop)
- 1-day workshop on “Transition+ Peer Mentoring” on 16 December 2014.
- 2-Day workshop on “Continuing Professional Development for ESL Teachers: A Reflective Model” on 24-25 January 2014

#### **LIST OF WORKSHOPS/CONFERENCES/SEMINARS ATTENDED:**

- A workshop on “Enhancing Pedagogical Skills through Video-mediated Reflective Microteaching – Phase IV” from 25 April to August 2023
- A workshop on “Peer corrective feedback (PCF) in ESL writing” on 28 February and 7 March 2023.
- A workshop on “Developing Critical Reading Comprehension” in August 2022.
- A 5-hour workshop on ‘ELT Textbook Selection and Evaluation’ on 8, 15 & 22 November 2022.

- A 16-hour workshop on “Academic Reflection Skills” during 7 June 2022 to 2 August 2022
- A 9-day virtual FDP on “Research Writing Skills” till 15 July 2021. This is a follow-up to the ELT Centre’s on-site workshop on ‘Writing for Scholarly Publication’ (4 & 7 December 2020).
- A 2-day workshop on “Writing for Scholarly Publications” on 4 & 7 December 2020
- A 2-day workshop on “Enhancing Pedagogical Skills through Video-mediated Reflective Microteaching – Phase III” on 03 & 06 June 2020)
- A 1-day workshop on “Exploring Classroom Processes”, Gudlavalleru Engineering College, 1 August 2019.
- A 1-day workshop on “Enhancing Pedagogical Skills through Video-mediated Reflective Microteaching-Phase II”, Gudlavalleru Engineering College, 2 May 2019
- A 3-day workshop on “Enhancing Pedagogical Skills through Video-mediated Reflective Microteaching”, Gudlavalleru Engineering College, 26 June, 3 July & 5 July 2018
- A 10-day workshop on Communication Skills conducted by British Council in Collaboration with APSCHE, Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education, in June, 2017.
- A 2-day workshop on “Implementing the Revised English Syllabus” on 26-27 June 2017.
- A 1-day workshop on Task-Based Language Teaching on 16 July 2016 at Gudlavalleru Engineering College, Gudlavalleru.
- A 2-day workshop on “The ELT Curriculum: Design, Innovation and Management” on 5-6 September 2014 at Gudlavalleru Engineering College, Gudlavalleru.
- Making English Classes Learner-Centered, JNTUK University College of Engineering, Vizianagaram on 10-11 March 2014
- A National Level 1-day workshop on “Challenges in Teaching at Engineering Colleges & Counselling Strategies for Engineering Graduates, Armita Sai Institute of Science & Technology, Paritala on 8 September 2012
- “Course in English Language Teaching RESEARCH METHODOLOGY”, Andhra Loyola College, Vijayawada on 20-21 February 2010
- “Challenges Behind Technical English Teaching”, St. Stanley College of Engg. & Tech., Medak on 10 August 2007
- “How to Use Language Lab Effectively, ETNL-CLLT”, Swarnabharathi Institute of Science & Technology, Khammam on 29 July 2006
- “English Language Communication Skills Laboratory”, JNTU, Kukatpally, Hyderabad on 12- 13 September 2005

### **PAPER PRESENTATIONS:**

- “Cross-Cultural communication and Factors that may Impede Communication at an Interview”, at National Conference on Communication Skills for Professional Excellence at PVP. Siddhartha Institute of Technology, Vijayawada on 30 March 2016.
- “Developing Speaking Skills of Engineering Students using Community Language Learning”, National Conference on New Directions in English Language and Literature, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur on 13-14 February 2015
- “Peer Mentoring-An Innovative Approach in English Classroom” at International Interdisciplinary conference at Vignan University, Vadlamudi on 05-06 February 2015.
- National Conference on “Communication Skills for Academic Excellence and Career Development”, presented a paper on Communication Barriers, PVP Siddhartha Institute of Technology, Vijayawada on 28 March 2014
- International Conference on Post Colonial Voices in South Asian Literatures & Cinema, presented a paper on “The Problematics of Realism and Naturalism in Amitav Ghosh’s Selected Novels”, Garden City College, Bangalore on 7-8 February 2014
- International Conference on Women Empowerment-2013, presented a paper on “Amitav Ghosh’s Flair Towards Women”, International Multidisciplinary Research Foundation, Vijayawada on 8-9 March 2013
- International Conference on Women Empowerment-2013, presented a paper on “Exploitation of Women in Amitav Ghosh’s Sea of Poppies”, International Multidisciplinary Research Foundation, Vijayawada on 8-9 March 2013
- National Seminar – Globalization in English Studies, presented a paper on “The Revelation of the Suppression in Amitav Ghosh’s Sea of Poppies”, Krishna University on 6-7 February 2013
- International Conference on World Women Writers in English, presented a paper on “Interracial Conflicts Antinovels of Diaspora Women Writers between continents”, Sarah Tuchker College, Tirunelveli on 30 March 2012
- International Seminar on Applied Linguistics, presented a paper on “Efficacy of Multimedia in Language Teaching”, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur during 15-18 December 2010

### **ONLINE WEBINARS ATTENDED:**

- 1-Week International Faculty Development Programme on “Enhancing Digital Proficiency: A Platform for Refining the Research and Teaching Skills”, Adikavi Nannaya University, Rajamahendravaram, from 12 August 2020 to 16 August 2020
- 3-day National Level Webinar on “Intellectual Property Rights & Patents – A View”, IQAC, Gudlavalleru Engineering College during 10 – 12 August 2020
- 1-day Webinar on “The Importance of Pronunciation and Functional English in Communication”, Vignan Institute of Technology & Science, Hyderabad on 22 July 2020

- 4-day Webinar on “Strategies for Effective Assessing and Teaching” from 13 July 2020 to 16 July 2020
- Webinar on “Impact of COVID in Engineering Education & Way Forward”, ISTE, Gudlavalleru Engineering College on 9 June 2020
- 5-day National Level Webinar – FDP on The Use of ICT in Support of Language Teaching and Learning”, St Joseph’s Degree & PG College, Hyderabad, in collaboration with Centre for Digital Educational Technology, Osmania University, Hyderabad from 18 May 2020 to 22 May 2020
- 5-day online course on “ Communication Skills for Professionals”, AVS College of Arts & Science, Salem, from 13 April 2020 to 17 April 2020

**GUEST LECTURES DELIVERED:**

- Acted as a Resource Person for a Teacher Orientation Programme on “How to avoid common pitfalls in Classroom English – (A Remedial Program) at AANM & VVRSR (EM) High School, Gudlavalleru on 20 March 2023

**Date:**

**Place:**

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