





MARGINALITY AND SOCIAL INCLUSION:

BRIDGING THE GAPS IN MULTICULTURAL LANDSCAPES

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Dear Sir/Madam, Greetings!

We cordially invite you to the Bodhi Hybrid International Conference on "MARGINALITY AND SOCIAL INCLUSION: BRIDGING THE GAPS IN MULTICULTURAL LANDSCAPES" on 01st August 2025 to be held in Sri Parasakthi College for Women, Courtallam, Tamil Nadu.

Sincerely,
Organizing Committee

ABOUT THE PARASAKTHI COLLEGE FOR WOMEN

Sri Parasakthi College for Women (Autonomous) was established in1964. This College is a Government Aided College affiliated to Manononmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli, under the Management of Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowment Board, Government of Tamil Nadu. This is the first and the only rural Women's College which earned autonomous status in our Country in the year 1978. The institution at present has 11 U.G. courses, 4 P.G. courses in the aided stream and 7U.G. courses, 7 P.G. courses in the self-finance mode. In addition, the institution has 6 Research Centre sunder Autonomy. The college has been empowered with academic excellence and is an important Centre of women's higher education in the Southern part of our country. The College was instituted with the sole objective of promoting women's education. The College is situated on the lap of sylvan settings and surrounded by silver cascades, is a source of knowledge with high aims and ideas as the loadstar in its path of progress. With the high performance and meritorious service, the college has been Reaccredited with 'A' Grade by NAAC in the IV Cycle.

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT

The Department of English of Sri Parasakthi College for Women, Courtallam has been established in 1964, offering Part - II English to other major students and in 1971 it started offering UG Course in English under Aided stream. PG Course in English (Self finance) has been started in 2009. UG Course in English (self-finance) is also offered from 2011 onwards to fulfil the needs of many hundreds of applicants for the course. The department has established a Computer Aided Language Lab with software installed to train the students in language learning. The Scholarly publications of articles in journals and books, academic and research achievements by our staff members, a favourable environment with fine library facilities attract the stakeholders. The Department has 2 approved Research Guides of Manonmaniam Sundaranar University. The Department got upgraded and recognised as Research

Centre in English by the MS University in January 2018. Through MoUs, students are given opportunities to pursue their courses with special training in Soft Skills. The Department has established the Literary Clubs 'Meraki', 'Chick Lits', 'Being me', 'Miraclit Fraternity' and 'Tweedle', and has created a platform for students of English Literary Association to showcase their literary inquisitiveness, creativity, co-curricular and extra-curricular talents. SPC-English Research Forum is an initiative of our department started in 2022 to coordinate the academic and research initiatives of the students, research scholars and faculty and to facilitate knowledge exchange and strengthen research activities. The Department has recently launched English Brite Communication Club, a dynamic Platform dedicated to enhance the Communication Skills and foster a student community, to become an articulate and confident speakers.

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ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

In today's increasingly diverse societies, marginality and social exclusion pose significant challenges to building inclusive and equitable communities. This conference aims to explore the complex relationships between marginality, social inclusion, and multiculturalism, with a focus on bridging the gaps that exist between different social groups

AIM

The aim of this conference is to provide a platform for scholars, researchers, and practitioners to share their knowledge, experiences, and perspectives on marginality and social inclusion in multicultural landscapes.

OBJECTIVES

- 1. To examine the complex relationships between marginality, social inclusion, and multiculturalism.
- 2. To identify strategies for bridging the gaps between different social groups.
- 3. To promote dialogue and collaboration among scholars, researchers, and practitioners.

OUTCOMES

- 1. A deeper understanding of the complex issues surrounding marginality and social inclusion.
- 2. The development of strategies for promoting social inclusion and bridging the gaps between different social groups.
- 3. A network of scholars, researchers, and practitioners working together to address issues of marginality and social inclusion

SUBTHEMES

- 1. Marginality in Literature and Culture
- 2. Social Inclusion in Education
- 3. Multiculturalism and Identity Politics
- 4. Intersectionality and Marginality
- 5. Queer Perspectives on Marginality
- 6. Disability and Social Inclusion
- 7. Class and Economic Marginality
- 8. Caste and Social Exclusion (Dalit Literature and Experiences)
- 9. Refugee and Migrant Experiences
- 10. Language and Marginality
- 11. Representation and Marginalized Voices
- 12. Digital Marginality and Social Media
- 13. Urban Marginality and Spatial Exclusion
- 14. Rural Marginality and Development
- $15. \ \ Environmental \ Justice \ and \ Marginalized \ Communities$
- 16. Health Disparities and Marginalized Populations
- 17. Mental Health and Marginality
- 18. Policy and Advocacy for Marginalized Groups
- 19. Activism and Social Movements
- 20. Postcolonial Perspectives on Marginality
- 21. Transnational Identities and Marginality
- 22. Cultural Hybridity and Marginality
- 23. Resistance and Resilience in Marginalized Communities
- $24. \ \ Feminist \, Perspectives \, on \, Marginality \, and \, Social \, Inclusion \,$
- 25. Children's Literature and Marginalized Voices
- 26. War Literature and Trauma
- $27. \ \ Aging and \ Marginality: Experiences of Older \ Adults$
- 28. Dalit Literature and Identity Politics
- 29. Black Literature and the Experiences of Marginality
- 30. Marginality in Postcolonial Literature

- 31. Representing Marginality in Film and Media
- 32. Marginalized Women's Voices in Literature
- 33. Disability Representation in Literature and Media
- 34. Divorce and Marginality: Experiences of Individuals and Families
- 35. Single Parenthood and Social Inclusion
- 36. Family Dynamics and Marginality: Impact of Divorce and Incarceration
- 37. Empowerment and Capacity Building
- 38. Social Protection and Marginalized Populations
- 39. Challenging Marginality: Strategies for Social Justice and Equality

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