

Faculty Profile

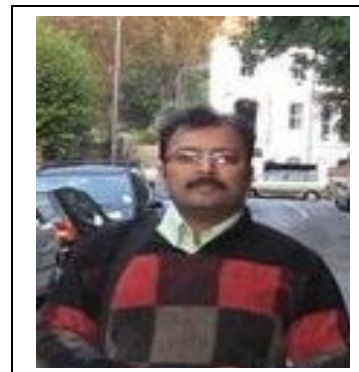
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Educational Qualifications: M.A. in English, University of Pune (1997), Ph.D. in English, MJP Rohilkhand University (2010), Postgraduate Certificate in the Teaching of English (PGCTE), EFL University (2007), Postgraduate Diploma in the Teaching of English (PGDTE), EFL University (2008), Certificate in TESOL, Trinity College London (2009)

Areas of Interest: English Language Education, World Englishes, Stylistics, Indian Writing in English, Translation Studies

Work Experience:

Name of the Organization	Designation	Period		Nature of Post (permanent/temporary/ Ad-hoc/ contractual etc.)
		From	To	
Swami Shukdevanand College, Shahjahanpur, UP (UP Higher Education Service Commission)	Lecturer in English	12-12-2000	23-01-2006	Permanent
Assam University, Silchar	Assistant Professor (Stage III at present)	25-01-2006	till date	Permanent

Awards and Honours:

Award Details	Awarding Agency	Year	Remark (if any)
Awarded Scholarship to do the Trinity-moderated 'ICT in the Classroom' course	The Consultants-E	2008	
Awarded Associateship of the Inter-University Centre of the Indian Institute of Advanced Study (IIAS),	Indian Institute of Advanced Study (IIAS),	2012	

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Awarded Scholarship to do a 10-week online course titled 'Methodology for TESOL' offered by the University of Maryland, Baltimore County, USA	Regional English Language Office (RELO), US Embassy, New Delhi	2013	

Projects:

Project Title	Awarding Agency	Period	Amount Sanctioned	Ongoing/ Completed
A Study of the English Teachers' Beliefs about and Practices in Grammar Pedagogy in the Higher Secondary Schools and Junior Colleges of the Cachar District of Assam	UGC, New Delhi	2009-2011	1.28 lacs	Completed
The Effects of Washback of English Language Testing on Teaching and Learning English at the Undergraduate Level in Colleges under Assam University	CIIL, Mysore	2010-2011	.99 lacs	Completed

Publications in Peer Reviewed Journals/Book Chapters:

Authors	Title of the Paper/Chapter	Name of the Journal/Book	Journal/Book details	ISSN/ISBN
Anindya Syam Choudhury	Task-based Language Teaching: The Pedagogy of Learner-Centredness	The Journal of English Language Teaching (India)	2009, XLVII (1), pp. 3-7.	0973-5208
Anindya Syam Choudhury	Teaching Vocabulary in the ESL/EFL Classroom:	The Modern Journal of Applied Linguistics	2010, 2 (4), pp. 306-316	0974-8741

	Central Pedagogical Issues			
Z.N. Patil & Anindya Syam Choudhury	Using newspapers in the English classroom	Innovations in English Language Teaching: Voices from the Indian Classroom (Book)	Orient Blackswan, 2012, pp. 67-83	978-8125044772
Anindya Syam Choudhury	World Englishes and the ELT Classroom: An Exploration of the Central Issues	Aspects of ELLT: Essays on Theory, Practice and Experimentation in English Language and Literature Teaching in India and Elsewhere (Book)	The EFL University Press, 2013, pp. 39-51	978-8190686921
Anindya Syam Choudhury	English as a Lingua Franca: Creating a 'Model' out of a 'Muddle'?	Language in India (Journal)	2015, 15 (6), pp. 1-8	1930-2940

Books Authored/Edited Books:

Authors	Title of the Book	ISBN	Publisher Details	Authored/Edited
D. Purkayastha, D. Das, A. Syam Choudhury, J. Chakrabarty, & S. Chakraborty (Eds.)	Brookside Musings: A Selection of Poems and Short Stories	978-8125035305	Orient Blackswan, 2008	Edited
Z. N. Patil, A. Syam Choudhury & S. P. Patil (Eds.)	Innovations in English Language Teaching: Voices from the Indian	978-8125044772	Orient Blackswan, 2012	Edited

	Classroom			
N. Roy, A. Syam Choudhury, A. & S Roychoudhury (Eds.)	Higher Education in India: Different and Differing Perspectives	978-81-908202-3-3	Assam University, 2012	Edited

Presentations Made/Lectures Delivered in National/International Conference/Workshop/Symposium:

Presenter	Title of the Paper	Name of the Program and Organizer	Date
Anindya Syam Choudhury	Rethinking Pronunciation Teaching in the Indian English Classroom	The 2nd Cebu International TESOL Conference held at Cebu, The Philippines/ Asian EFL Journal in association with Cebu Hub for English Learning Experience and hosted by University of Southern Philippines, Cebu	12-13 August, 2011
Anindya Syam Choudhury	Revolutionizing TESOL: The Emergence of New Englishes and a Case for the Teaching of Intercultural Competence	NileTESOL/AUC International Conference XVII held at Cairo, Egypt/ The School of Continuing Education, The American University in Cairo	28-29 January, 2013
Anindya Syam Choudhury	Ways of Using Authentic Materials in the English Language Classroom	The 4th International Black Sea ELT Conference held at Bolu, Turkey/ Abant Izzet Baysal University, Bolu, Turkey	10-11 October, 2013
Anindya Syam Choudhury	Hybridity in Indian Englishes: The Negotiation between Global and Local Identities	12th Asia TEFL International Conference held at Borneo Convention Centre, Kuching, Sarawak, Malaysia/ Asia TEFL	28-30 August, 2014
Anindya Syam Choudhury	English in the Linguistic Ecology of India: Sustaining Multilingualism and	13th Asia TEFL International Conference held at th International Youth Cultural Centre, Nanjing, China/ Asia TEFL & Nanjing University	06-08 November, 2015

	Democratising Social Practices		
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Details of Ph.D degree awarded (Under the supervision of the faculty):

Name of the Scholar	Title of the Thesis	Year of award	Remark (if any)
Anupam Dutta	An Investigation into the Constraints in and Opportunities of Implementing Task-Based Language Teaching Methodology for Teaching English at the Higher Secondary Level in Assam: A Needs Analysis Approach	2016	Department of English, Assam University, Silchar