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Designation		Assistant Professor				
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Educational Qualifications						
Degree		Institution			Year	
Ph.D.		Punjabi University, Patiala			2004	
NET with JRF		UGC, Delhi			1998	
M.A Punjabi (Hons.)		Punjabi University, Patiala			1998	
M.A. (Anthropological Linguistics and Punjabi Language)		Punjabi University, Patiala			2012	
Career Profile						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Assistant Professor in the Department of Punjabi, University of Delhi, Delhi since 24th January, 2014. ● Worked as Assistant Professor on Ad-hoc basis in the Department of Punjabi, University of Delhi, Delhi-07 from 24th July, 2013 to 3rd December, 2013. ● Worked as Assistant Professor on Ad-hoc basis in Department of Punjabi from 21st July, 2010 to 30th September, 2010 at Mata Sundri College for Women, University of Delhi, New Delhi-02. ● Worked as a lecturer in Punjabi on permanent basis (from 1st July, 2002 to 15th April, 2009) at Siri Guru Har Rai Sahib College for Women, Chabbewal, Distt.Hoshiarpur,Punjab. ● Worked as a lecturer in Punjabi on Temporary basis (from 9th August, 2001 to 8th March, 2002) at Siri Guru Har Rai Sahib College for Women, Chabbewal, Distt.Hoshiarpur, Punjab. 						
Administrative Assignments						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Member of Departmental Research Committee ● Member of UG Committee of Courses ● Member of M.Phil Committee 						

Areas of Interest / Specialization
Indian Poetics, Linguistics and Modern Punjabi Literature
Subjects Taught
Indian Poetics, Linguistics, Comparative Indian Literature, Sufi Poetry, Qissa and Vaar Poetry, Punjabi Prose, History of Punjabi Literature.
Research Guidance
Four students completed her M.Phil. under my supervision. Three students for M.Phil. and three for Ph.D. research work are enrolled under my supervision.
Publications Profile
<u>Books :</u> Bharti Kaav Shastar te Adhunik Kavita: Lokgeet Parkashan(Chandigarh/India)2006 Naarivaad te Naari-Kaav: TWENTYFIRST CENTURY PUBLICATIONS(Patiala/India)2013 Samkali Kaav-Muhaandra(Edited): TWENTYFIRST CENTURY PUBLICATIONS(Patiala/India)2013
Conference Organization/ Presentations (in the last three years)
<u>Presentations:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sixth Vishav Punjabi Sahit Conference(07-09 December,2016): Paper Title- Desh Vand bare niji Anubhav di birtantkari(Punjabi Swai-Jeevni de hawale naal) Organised by Punjabi Sahit Adhiyan Vibhag,Punjabi University,Patiala. • National Seminar (13-14 November,2017): Paper Title- Kartar Singh Duggal Di Swai-Jeevni vich Swai Pachhan Di Nirmankari Organised by Department of Punjabi, University of Delhi,Delhi-07.
Research Projects (Major Grants/Research Collaboration)
Awards and Distinctions
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Awarded University Medal in M.A. (Anthropological Linguistics & Punjabi Language) by Punjabi University, Patiala in 2012, for standing first in order of Merit • Awarded Excellent Performance Prize (1994-1995) in N.S.S. by Public College Samana,Distt. Patiala (Punjab) in 1996. • Awarded College Colour by Public College Samana, Distt. Patiala(Punjab) in 1996.
Association With Professional Bodies
Other Activities
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended a four week Orientation Programme organized by Academic Staff College, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla from 02-06-2014 to 28-06-2014. • Worked as Co-ordinator of a Seminar on the topic "Dialogue, Otherness and Ethics: Theoretical Perspective" held in the Department of Punjabi, University of Delhi, Delhi-07 on dated 25-26, feb.2015 • Worked as Co-ordinator of one day National Seminar on Challenges to Punjabi Folklore and Culture, held in the Department of Punjabi, University of Delhi, on 16th March,2016.