### Dr. J. Amalaveenus

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### **Professional Summary**

Dedicated academic professional with specialization in Gender Studies, possessing extensive experience in research, teaching, and publication. Expertise in literary analysis, postcolonial literature, queer studies, and psychoanalytic literary criticism.

### Education

- Ph.D. in English Literature
- M.Phil. in English
- M.A. in English
- B.Ed. in English

## Areas of Specialization

- Gender Studies
- Postcolonial Literature
- Queer Theory
- Psychoanalytic Literary Criticism
- Cultural Studies

#### **Research Publications**

# **International Publications**

# Scopus

- Graphic Narratives on Overcoming Eating Disorders and Body Image Reconciliation in Nadia Shivack's Inside Out (2025)
- "The Influence of Freudian Psychoanalysis on Sarah Schulman's Novel Empathy" -Journal of Positive School Psychology, E-ISSN: 2712 7564, http://journalppw.com vol. 6, no. 4, 2022, pp. 3554 – 3559.

 "Portrayal of Queer Lives in Language and Literature: A Critical Study of Sarah Schulman'sNovel Rat Bohemia", Journal of Language and Linguistics Studies, ISSN: 1305-578X, vol. 17, no. 3, 2021, pp. 2291-2295.

# Web of Science

- Repression of Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder Through Graphic Narratives in Ian William's The Bad Doctor (2025)
- Falsity of Fixity: Querying Queerness in Devdutt Pattanaik's The Man Who Was a Woman (2022)
- "Homophobia Hails 'Home'phobia: A Queer and Pure Interrogation into Sarah Schulman's Novel The Child", International Journal of Early Childhood Special Education (INT-JECS) ISSN: 1308-5581, vol. 14, Issue 04, 2022, pp. 2828 – 2831.
- "Psychological Resonances in Sarah Schulman's Novel After Delores", International Journal of Early Childhood Special Education (INT-JECSE), ISSN: 1308-5581, vol. 14, Issue 05, 2022, pp. 4404 – 4407.

# • UGC Care Group A Journal

"Rat Analogy as an Apt Analogy for the Analysis of Queer Lives: An Analogical Reading of Sarah Schulman's Novel Rat Bohemia", Journal of Interdisciplinary Cycle Research, ISSN: 0022-1945, vol. XI, Issue. XII, December 2019, pp. 41-44.

- UGC Care List
- "Gendered Linguistics: A Gymnastics to Make the Queer Non-Existent", Journal of English Language Teaching, ISSN: 0973-5208, vol. 65, no. 2, March-April 2023, pp. 13-19.
- "Deconstructing the Determinacy: Indeterminacy of Gender and the Dilemma of Bisexuality in Sarah Schulman's Novel People In Trouble", Education and Society, ISSN: 2278-6864, vol. 46, no. 03, April - June 2023, pp. 1-7.
- "'Either Or' or 'Neither Nor': Bi (Bye) Sexuality and Gender Trouble In People In Trouble By Sarah Schulman", Madhya Bharti, Humanities and Social Sciences, ISSN: 0974 - 0066, vol. 82, no 6, December 2022, pp. 224 – 227, (UGC-CARE List Group I).

# **National Publications**

- Authored significant studies in literature and critical theory, including:
  - Nurture the Nature for Future: An Ecological Analysis of Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni's The Forest of Enchantments (2024)
  - Understanding the Struggle between Self-Consciousness and Cultural Worldview in Julian Barnes' The Sense of an Ending (2021)

#### **Books Published**

• English Through Prose (2021)

• Multidisciplinary Research in Contemporary Era (2023)

### Conferences, Seminars & Workshops Attended

- Attended and presented papers at various national and international conferences, including:
  - International Conference on Canadian Studies (2016)
  - Workshop on Literature of the Marginalized (2018)
  - FDP on Designing Tasks for Communicative Classrooms (2022)

#### **Resource Person & Guest Lectures**

- Delivered lectures on topics such as:
  - *Queer Theory* (2019)
  - *Reinterpreting Shakespeare* at National Seminar (2015)

#### **Research Guidance**

#### Ph.D. Scholars Supervised

- Successfully guided 6 Ph.D. scholars in English Literature
- Currently guiding 3

#### **M.Phil. Scholars Supervised**

• Mentored students on topics like gender discrimination, postcolonial perspectives, and psychoanalytical readings of literature.

#### **Research Projects**

- Entangled Queer Life: A Study of LGBTs in the Novels of Sarah Schulman
  - Funded by St. Joseph's College (2019-2020)
  - o Grant Amount: ₹16,000

#### Awards & Recognitions

• Best Paper Published Award (2016)

#### **Professional Skills**

• Academic Research & Publication

- Literary Analysis & Criticism
- Curriculum Development
- Seminar & Conference Coordination
- Student Mentorship & Research Supervision

### **Contact Information**

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