17
YEARS
OF EXCELLENCE

ESTD. 2009

HS NITW

DEPARTMENT OF
HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY WARANGAL

Faculty Profiles · Estd. 2009

- English Language Education & English Language Teaching
- Literature & Cultural Studies
- Language History & Policy
- Health Humanities & Performance
- Economics & Development

Language · Literature · Society · Economy

Head: Prof. B. Spoorthi | humanities_hod@nitw.ac.in | +91 94901 64798 | www.nitw.ac.in

CONTENTS

01



OVERVIEW OF THE DEPARTMENT

Profile, milestones, programmes and the department at a glance.

02



RESEARCH SCHOLARS

Doctoral scholars, supervision, fellowships and research themes.

03



FACULTY

Faculty members, expertise, qualifications and accomplishments.

04



RESEARCH & PROJECTS

Research groups, sponsored projects, publications, patents and awards.

05



CULTURE & OUTREACH

Conferences, collaborations, HUMSS Society and alumni network.

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT

PROFILE

Established in 2009, the department offers **Under Graduate** courses (English communication and foreign-language offerings), **Post Graduate** programme (M.A. English Language & Literature)and **PhD programmes & courses**. Its teaching and research span across English language teaching, literature, interdisciplinary humanities, social sciences, economics, communication and emerging technology-related research. Syllabi were revised from 2020–21 in alignment with NEP 2020, and an M.A. in English (Language and Literature) was launched in July 2026.

AT A GLANCE

10 Faculty

44 PhD scholars

116 Publications (cumulative)

2 Patents (published)

14 Sponsored projects

24 Conference/Workshop/ FDP

HUMSS Society (est. 2024)

M.A. English (2026)

MAJOR MILESTONES

2009 — Department of Humanities & Social Sciences established

2018 — VIRLECS virtual lab for English communication skills launched; Faculty strength is five

2019 — National conference on teaching ESL & literature; AICTE FDPs on VR in education

2020–21 — Syllabi revised in alignment with NEP 2020

2021 — Coined 1st Pan-NIT HSS Research Conclave (8 January 2021)

2022 — Patent filed: translation-quality analysis by mean dependency distance

2023 — SPARC project on teacher education for inclusive education (₹38.15 L)

2024 — 2nd Pan-NIT HSSRC with 412 papers in 9 tracks

2025 — International conference 'Changemakers in Action' (Mozilla & USAID)

2026 — New ICSSR and A. S. Hornby Trust projects begin

JUL 2026 — M.A. English (Language & Literature) programme launched; Faculty strength doubled to ten

PROGRAMMES & COURSES

1 UNDERGRADUATE CORE — UG core

- English for Technical Communication
- Functional English I & II
- Language II: Communicative English
- Soft Skills

2 MINORS & ELECTIVES — UG electives

- Critical and Creative Thinking Skills
- Media and Language · Corporate Communication
- Globalization and World Englishes
- Psychology of Life and Career Transition
- Practical and Communicative Writing

3 LANGUAGES & VALUES — UG

- Foundation Course in German
- Sanskrit
- Professional Ethics · Gender Sensitization (MNC)

DEPARTMENT OF HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES

ESTD. 2009

17

YEARS OF EXCELLENCE

4 M.A. ENGLISH — July 2026

- Language and Literature programme
- History of English Literature · Indian Writing in English
- Fundamentals of Linguistics · Principles of ELT
- Second Language Acquisition · Introduction to Writing

5 PH.D. PROGRAMME — 44 scholars

- English language education, AI in education
- Literature and cultural studies
- Health humanities and performance studies
- Development economics

6 RESEARCH SKILLS — PG / PhD

- Research Writing and Publication Ethics
- English for Scientific Communication
- UGC-MMTTC faculty development programmes

DOCTORAL RESEARCH COMMUNITY

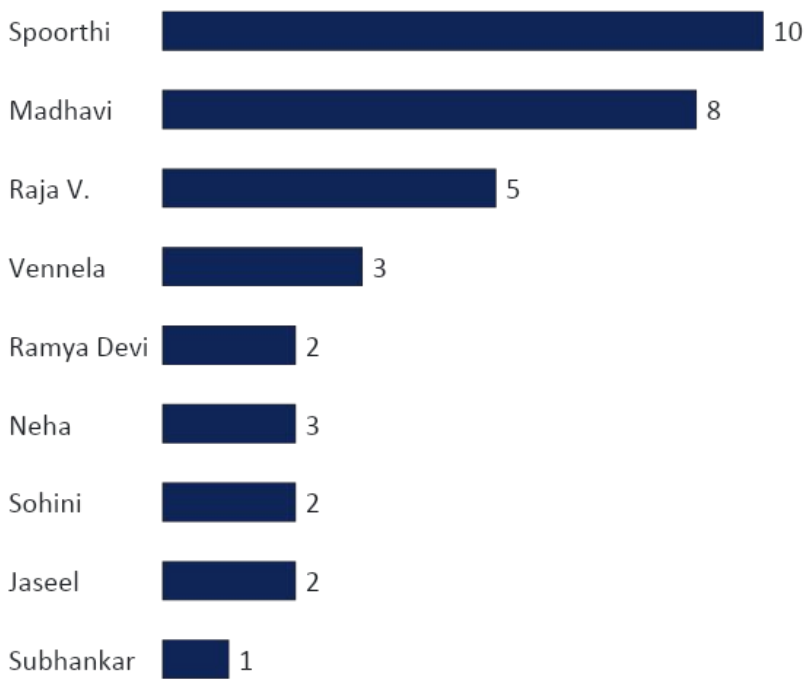
34
PhD scholars (current)

10
PhDs awarded (since 2017)

1
Postdoctoral fellow (ICSSR)

2026
First M.A. English batch

CURRENT PHD SCHOLARS BY SUPERVISOR



SCHOLAR FELLOWSHIPS & GRANTS

Prashanth Jannu: India AI Research Fellowship, MeitY — up to five years with ₹2 L/yr research grant

K. S. Ahima: Charles Wallace India Trust Short Research Grant (£1,900)

Garima Sukhwal: LingComm 2026 Grant (USD 300)

DOCTORAL RESEARCH THEMES

AI for employability | Translanguaging | Design thinking & ELT | Critical visual literacy | Gerontology | Holocaust literature | Animal studies | Posthumanism | Indigenous studies | Ritual & performance | Precarity | Trauma & resilience

FACULTY



Prof. B. Spoorthi

Associate Professor & Head

Ph.D. (EFLU, Hyderabad)

HOD

Specializations

Educational technology; AI for language education; virtual labs; TBLT; AR/VR; CLIL; social-emotional learning



Prof. Madhavi Reddy Kesari

Professor

Ph.D. (Osmania University)

Specializations

Reading & writing pedagogy; task-based ESP; reflective teaching practices; academic writing; multiple intelligences & visual literacies



Prof. M. Raja Vishwanathan

Associate Professor

Ph.D. (Osmania University)

Specializations

Bilingualism; academic writing; genre analysis; critical pedagogy; cultural politics of language teaching; English literatures



Prof. R. Vennela

Assistant Professor

Ph.D. (University of Hyderabad)

Specializations

History of ELT in India; bilingual education; language policy; translation; lexicography; sociolinguistics



Prof. Ramya Devi Bommanaboina

Assistant Professor

Ph.D. (IIT Bhubaneswar)

Specializations

English language education; AI-enabled education & learning; capacity building & inclusive teacher education; education & skilling

FACULTY STRENGTH

10	1	2	7
Faculty	Professor	Associate Professors	Assistant Professors

FACULTY



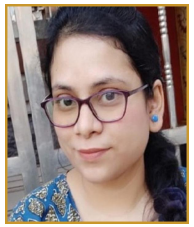
Prof. Neha Hejaz

Assistant Professor

Ph.D. (IIT (ISM) Dhanbad)

Specializations

English literature; medical & health humanities; narrative medicine; art therapy



Prof. Sohini Bera

Assistant Professor

Ph.D. (IIT (ISM) Dhanbad)

Specializations

Graphic novels; comics; posthumanism; tribal & folk art



Prof. Jaseel Parambil

Assistant Professor

Ph.D. (IIT Roorkee)

Specializations

Precarity studies; Philosophy of Critique; World Literatures; AI & Hermeneutics; Gender Studies; Crisis and Renewal of the Humanities



Prof. Subhankar Dutta

Assistant Professor

Ph.D. (IIT Bombay)

Specializations

Performance studies; communication; postcolonial studies



Prof. Sunil Khosla

Assistant Professor (Economics)

Ph.D. (NIT Surathkal)

Specializations

Development, agricultural, health & environmental economics

WHERE OUR FACULTY EARNED THEIR PH.D.

- IIT Bombay
- IIT Roorkee
- IIT Bhubaneswar
- IIT (ISM) Dhanbad
- NIT Surathkal
- Univ. of Hyderabad
- EFLU Hyderabad
- Osmania University

FACULTY PROFILE



Prof. B. Spoorthi

Associate Professor & Head

Ph.D. English Language Education, EFLU (2016)

spoorthi.b@nitw.ac.in

18
Journal papers & Book Chapters

16
Conferences & workshops organised

10 + 1
PhD: ongoing + awarded

₹43 L
4 sponsored projects

RESEARCH AREAS

- AI for English language teaching
- AI for skill development
- Content & Language Integrated Learning
- Social-emotional learning
- Task-based language teaching
- Virtual labs for language education

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- Expert nominee, MSDE committee on AR/VR in vocational education and training
- Mozilla Foundation & USAID grant (USD 25,000); Mozilla TAGS 2.0 grant (USD 10,000)
- Chapter in the Casebook on AI and Gender Empowerment, India AI Impact Summit 2026
- Patent filed on translation-quality analysis using mean dependency distance
- Former L&D Manager at ADP, Genpact, NIIT and HSBC

SPONSORED PROJECTS

- CLILuminating Changemakers — Mozilla Foundation & USAID · ₹21 L · PI
- AIVLES: AI Virtual Lab for Employability Skills — ICSSR · ₹2 L · PI
- VIRLECS: Virtual Lab for English Communication Skills — NITW · ₹2 L · PI
- TAGS 2.0 (Human Scale AI Community Incubator)-Mozilla Foundation-9.7 L-PI
- ATAL FDPS-AICTE-6.52 L

COURSES TAUGHT

English for Technical Communication · English for Scientific Communication .Critical and Creative Thinking Skills · Soft Skills · Professional Ethics · Gender Sensitization

FACULTY PROFILE



Prof. Madhavi Reddy Kesari

Professor

- Ph.D., Osmania University (2010)
- M.Phil. ELT (2002) & PGDTE (2000), EFLU
- M.A. English & B.Ed., Osmania University

madhavik24@nitw.ac.in

25
Journal papers

25
Conference papers, chapters & textbooks

8 + 6
PhD: ongoing + awarded

₹50.3 L
4 sponsored projects

RESEARCH AREAS

- Task-based ESP course design
- Teaching reading and writing
- English language teaching
- Learner strategies and methods
- Reflective teaching & CPD
- Multiple intelligences & visual literacies

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- More than 26 years of teaching and research; eight authored books
- Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam Lifetime Achievement Award (2018)
- Distinguished Woman in HSS (2019); Best Performer Faculty Member (2021)
- Chaired the Reading & Writing Education session, LICE 2017, University of Cambridge
- Mentor to an ICSSR-funded postdoctoral fellow (2023–2026)

SPONSORED PROJECTS

- Teacher Education Practices for Inclusive Education — SPARC · ₹38.15 L · Co-PI
- Effective Use of Multilingualism in Classrooms, Telangana — British Council · ₹8.10 L · PI
- Two capacity-building projects for women — NCW · ₹4.05 L · Co-PI

COURSES TAUGHT

Introduction to Second Language Acquisition (PG) · Business Communication (PG) · English for Technical Communication · English for Technical Communication· Globalization and World Englishes

FACULTY PROFILE



Prof. M. Raja Vishwanathan

Associate Professor

- Ph.D., Osmania University (2011)
- Master of Science, University of Hyderabad (2000)

vishwanathan@nitw.ac.in

12 Journal papers

2 Book chapters

5 + 3 PhD: ongoing + awarded

14 Publications on NITW ERP

RESEARCH AREAS

- Bilingual & multilingual education
- Academic reading and writing
- Genre analysis
- Critical pedagogy
- Cultural politics in language teaching
- American, British, Indian & Commonwealth literatures

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- Former Head of the Department
- Taught on the International Training Programme at CIEFL / EFLU, Hyderabad
- Long-running series of papers on critical pedagogy and ESL in Fortell
- Three PhDs awarded in American literature and English language teaching

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- Performative Authorship in Exquisite Cadavers — Humanities & Social Sciences Communications (2026)
- Yeva Skalietska's Diary as Testimony and Trauma — Life Writing (2025)
- Reflective Teaching, Teacher Education & Professional Development — Springer (2022)

COURSES TAUGHT

Psychology of Life and Career Transition · Soft Skills · Corporate Communication · Research Writing and Publication Ethics · German · English for Technical Communication

FACULTY PROFILE



Prof. R. Vennela

Assistant Professor

- Ph.D. English Language Studies, UoH (2018)
- M.Phil. Comparative Literature, UoH (2012)
- M.A. English, UoH (2011)

rvennela@nitw.ac.in

5 Journal papers

11 Conference presentations

3 PhD scholars

₹51.23 L 6 sponsored projects

RESEARCH AREAS

- History of English language teaching in India
- Bilingual education
- Language planning and policy
- Gender and language
- Lexicography
- Translation

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- Martin Burr Grant (2026); Commonwealth Split Site PhD Fellowship (2017)
- Salmon Verburg Bursary, Henry Sweet Colloquium, University of Cambridge
- English–Telugu Bilingual Pedagogic Dictionary: student & teacher books (2026)
- Papers in Language & History and Current Issues in Language Planning
- MVOICE Case study brief: Maternity and Childcare Leave Experiences in Indian HEIs

SPONSORED PROJECTS

- Traces of Practice: English teaching in colonial contexts — A. S. Hornby Trust · ₹12.79 L · Co-PI
- Maternity & Childcare Leave Policies in Indian HEIs — ICSSR · ₹8.66 L · PI
- Textbooks and bilingual picture dictionary (3 projects) — A. S. Hornby Trust · ₹23.16 L
- Research Seed Grant-NITW-1.62 L-PI

COURSES TAUGHT

Fundamentals of Linguistics (PG) · Research Writing and Publication Ethics· Globalization and World Englishes · Functional English I · English for Technical Communication

FACULTY PROFILE



Prof. Ramya Devi Bommanaboina

Assistant Professor

- Ph.D., Indian Institute of Technology Bhubaneswar (2023)
- 7+ years of teaching & training: NITW, SOA, ANITS

ramyadevi@nitw.ac.in

10 Journal papers

1 Patent published

2 PhD scholars

₹13 L 2 sponsored projects

RESEARCH AREAS

- AI-enabled education and learning
- Capacity building & inclusive teacher education
- Education and skilling
- English language education
- Academic writing pedagogy
- Second language acquisition

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- Patent 202641030157A on the linguistic proficiency and readiness of pre-service teachers
- Coordinator, UGC-MMTTC 12-day Refresher Course on AI for Pedagogical Excellence (2025)
- Resource person for eight FDPs and invited talks on AI for academic writing and teaching
- Presentations in Spain and Greece; Scholar Prashanth Jannu holds the India AI Research Fellowship (MeitY)

SPONSORED PROJECTS

- Writing Support Framework for NITW Academic & Employability Needs — NITW · ₹5 L · PI
- Academic Writing Skills of Entry-Level Engineering Students, Odisha — ICSSR · ₹8 L · PI

COURSES TAUGHT

Principles of ELT (PG) · Functional English I · Globalization and World Englishes · Practical and Communicative Writing · Communicative English · English for Technical Communication

FACULTY PROFILE



Prof. Neha Hejaz

Assistant Professor

- Ph.D. English, IIT (ISM) Dhanbad (2023)
- M.A. English, Banaras Hindu University (2017)
- B.A. English (Hons.), BHU (2015)

nehah@nitw.ac.in

4 Journal papers

1 Book chapter

3 PhD scholars

5 Publications on NITW ERP

RESEARCH AREAS

- Medical and health humanities
- Narrative medicine
- Art therapy & creative art therapies
- Critical health humanities
- Mental health studies
- English literature & textual analysis

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- Research at the meeting point of literature, mental health and healing
- Publications in Medical Humanities and the Journal of Poetry Therapy
- Book chapter on William Styron's Darkness Visible (2023)
- Supervising doctoral work in health humanities and posthumanism

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- Healing through Music in Ian McEwan's On Chesil Beach — Medical Humanities (2024)
- Scriptotherapy in Ian McEwan's Atonement — Journal of Poetry Therapy (2023)
- The Therapeutic Power of Poetry in McEwan — Journal of Poetry Therapy (2023)

COURSES TAUGHT

History of English Literature I: Chaucer to Shakespeare (PG) · Psychology of Life and Career Transition · Critical and Creative Thinking Skills · Functional English I & II · Media and Language

FACULTY PROFILE



Prof. Sohini Bera

Assistant Professor

- Ph.D., IIT (ISM) Dhanbad (2023)
- MHRD doctoral scholarship (2017–2022)

sohini@nitw.ac.in

4 Journal papers

1 Conference paper

2 PhD scholars

₹3.77 L 1 seed-grant project

RESEARCH AREAS

- Graphic novels and comics
- Posthumanism
- Tribal and folk art
- Postcolonial ecocriticism
- History and Partition literature

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- MHRD Scholarship for doctoral research at IIT (ISM) Dhanbad (2017–2022)
- UGC PG Merit Scholarship for first position in B.A. English
- Two papers in the Journal of Graphic Novels and Comics
- Presenter, International Graphic Novel and Comics Conference (2026)

PROJECT & SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- Digital Repository of Visual Narratives — NITW Seed Grant · ₹3.77 L · PI (ongoing)
- 'The Taboo' as a Microhistory of Partition — Critique: Studies in Contemporary Fiction (2024)
- The Emergency in Vishwajyoti Ghosh's Delhi Calm — J. of Graphic Novels and Comics (2022)

COURSES TAUGHT

Indian Writing in English (PG) · English for Technical Communication · Soft Skills

FACULTY PROFILE



Prof. Jaseel Parambil

Assistant Professor

- Ph.D., IIT Roorkee (2019–2024)
- M.A. English Literature, EFLU (2017–2019)
- B.A., Farook College, Univ. of Calicut

jaseel@nitw.ac.in

6 Journal papers

4 Book chapters

2 PhD scholars

₹15.9 L 2 sponsored projects

RESEARCH AREAS

- Precarity studies
- Philosophy of critique
- World literatures
- Crisis and Renewal of the Humanities
- AI, hermeneutics and culture
- Gender studies

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- Membership in the ACLA and ICLA
- Papers at ACLA, the ICLA Congress (Tbilisi), Purdue, LSU and Warwick
- Publications in Japan Forum, Women's Studies and Critique
- Coordinator, FDP on Interdisciplinary Literary Studies (September 2026)

SPONSORED PROJECTS

- AI and the Anxiety of Influence in Indian Academic Writing — ICSSR · ₹12 L · PI (ongoing)
- Thinking as Action: Generative AI and Critical Thinking — NITW Seed Grant · ₹3.88 L · PI

COURSES TAUGHT

Critical and Creative Thinking Skills · Media and Language · English for Technical Communication

FACULTY PROFILE



Prof. Subhankar Dutta

Assistant Professor

- Ph.D. English, IIT Bombay (2019–2024)
- M.A. English Literature, BHU (2016–2018)
- Certificate, Columbia University (2021)

subhankar@nitw.ac.in

6 Journal papers

7 Book chapters

1 PhD scholar

₹12.5 L 2 sponsored projects

RESEARCH AREAS

- Performance studies
- South Asian rituals
- Religion and ethnography
- Trance and movement studies
- AI, embodiment and theatre
- Communication & postcolonial studies

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- Naik & Rastogi Award for Best PhD Dissertation, IIT Bombay (2025)
- Visiting Scholar, University of Exeter (2024); RGS ‘Researcher in Spotlight’
- Publications in EPW, Asian Ethnicity and Visual Ethnography
- Wrote and directed ‘The Permanent Border’, IIT Bombay (2023)

SPONSORED PROJECTS

- Gajan in Bengal and Khai Poda in Odisha: a comparative study — ICSSR · ₹9 L · PI (ongoing)
- Performance Pedagogy for Technical Communication — NITW Seed Grant · ₹3.50 L · PI

COURSES TAUGHT

Introduction to Writing (PG) · English for Technical Communication · Integrated Self Management

FACULTY PROFILE



Prof. Sunil Khosla

Assistant Professor (Economics)

- Ph.D. Economics, NIT Karnataka, Surathkal (2015–2019)
- MA in Economics, Pondicherry University

sunilkhosla@nitw.ac.in

16 Journal papers

1 Book chapter

1 PhD scholar ongoing

₹8 L ICSSR Project-1

RESEARCH AREAS

- Development & agricultural economics
- Health & environmental economics
- Poverty and vulnerability
- Food security & financial inclusion
- Impact evaluation
- Applied econometrics

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- Grants: JASSO Scholarship Program, Kumamoto University, Japan.
- Chaired session for ICSSR conference at MNIT Jaipur
- Delivered guest lecture in NIAM Rajasthan
- Written newspaper article
- Received the research excellence award from VIT-AP University for three consecutive years

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- Regenerative Agriculture and Multidimensional Poverty — *Scientific Reports* (2025)
- Women's Empowerment and SDG 1: Financial Inclusion — *Sustainable Development* (2026)
- Financial Inclusion and Household Food Insecurity — *J. of Public Affairs* (2025)

Courses planning

Impact evaluation, engineering economics, data analytics: business decision-making & research methods in social science/economics

RESEARCH GROUPS

Interdisciplinary research across language, literature, society and the economy

ENGLISH LANGUAGE EDUCATION

Spoorthi · Madhavi · Ramya Devi · Raja V.

CLIL, TBLT and ESP; academic writing; multiple intelligences; teacher education; virtual labs

LANGUAGE HISTORY & POLICY

Vennela · Raja V.

History of ELT in India; bilingual & multilingual education; language policy; lexicography; translation

LITERATURE & CULTURAL STUDIES

Jaseel · Sohini · Neha · Raja V. Subhankar Dutta

Precarity; graphic narratives; posthumanism; Partition; world and Indian literatures

HSS RESEARCH ECOSYSTEM

HEALTH HUMANITIES & PERFORMANCE

Neha · Subhankar

Narrative medicine; art therapy; performance studies; South Asian ritual and ethnography

ECONOMICS & DEVELOPMENT

Sunil Khosla

Poverty and vulnerability; food security; financial inclusion; impact evaluation; agriculture

AI, EDUCATION & SOCIETY

Spoorthi · Ramya Devi · Jaseel · Subhankar

AI-enabled learning; AI readiness; gender-responsive AI; AI & hermeneutics; AI and embodiment

SPONSORED PROJECTS

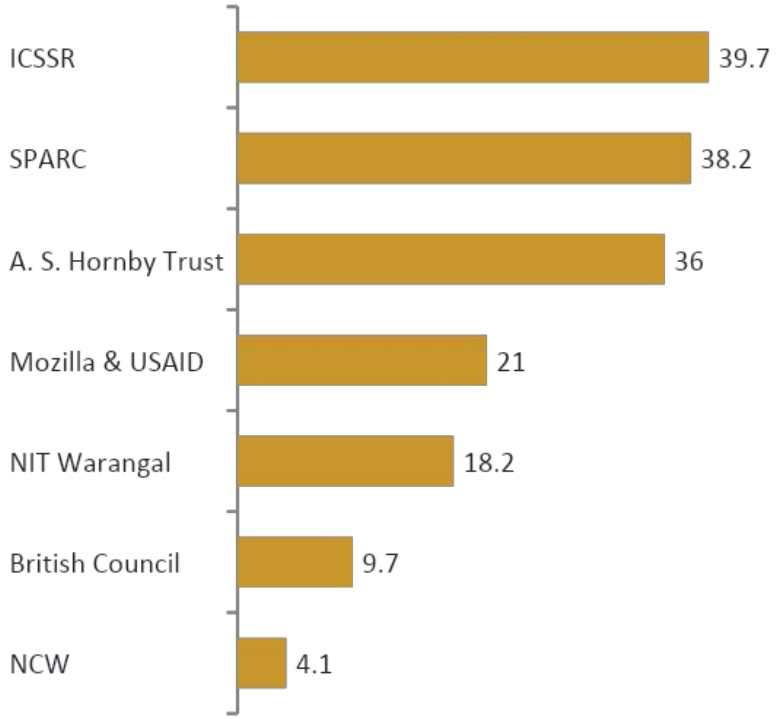
20
Projects in faculty profiles

₹1.67 Cr
Combined grant value (PI & Co-PI)

3
Ongoing in 2026

7
Funding bodies

GRANT VALUE BY FUNDING BODY (₹ LAKH)

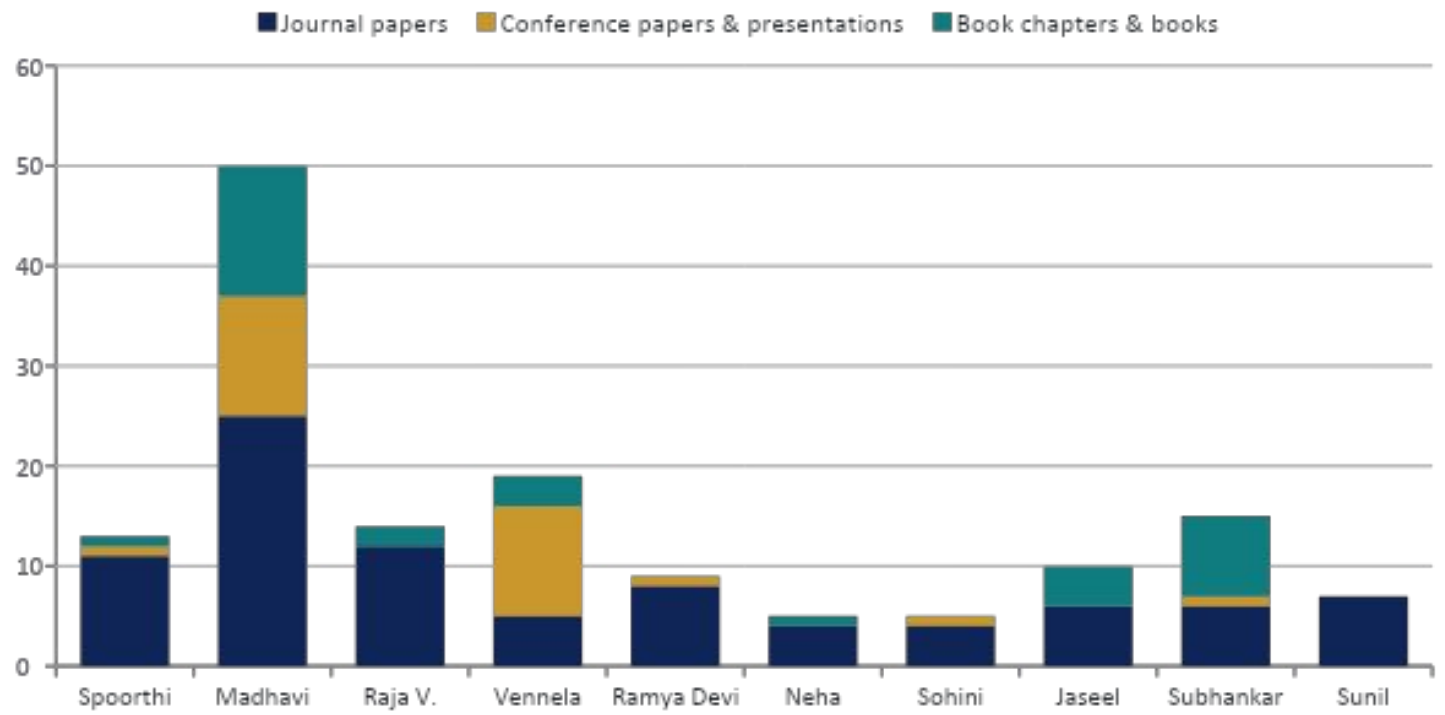


FLAGSHIP PROJECTS

1. **Teacher Education Practices for Inclusive Education**
   SPARC · ₹38.15 L · Madhavi (Co-PI)
2. **CLILuminating Changemakers**
   Mozilla Foundation & USAID · ₹21 L · Spoorthi
3. **Traces of Practice: English teaching in colonial contexts**
   A. S. Hornby Trust, UK · ₹12.79 L · Vennela (Co-PI)
4. **AI and the Anxiety of Influence in Indian Academic Writing**
   ICSSR · ₹12 L · Jaseel
5. **Gajan and Khai Poda: performative traditions**
   ICSSR · ₹9 L · Subhankar

PUBLICATIONS & PATENTS

PUBLICATION PROFILE BY FACULTY MEMBER (AS LISTED IN PROFILES)



88 Journal papers

32 Chapters & books

2 Patents published

PATENTS

- Analysis of translation quality based on mean dependency distance (202241027470 A) — Spoorthi
- Improving linguistic proficiency and psychological readiness of pre-service teachers (202641030157A) — Ramya Devi

SELECTED JOURNALS

Humanities & Social Sciences Communications · Medical Humanities · Scientific Reports · Sustainable Development · Economic & Political Weekly · Language & History · Current Issues in Language Planning · Critique · Japan Forum · Life Writing · Journal of Graphic Novels and Comics

AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS

Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam Lifetime Achievement Award

Madhavi Reddy Kesari · 2018

Distinguished Woman in HSS; Best Performer Faculty Member

Madhavi Reddy Kesari · 2019 & 2021

Expert nominee: AR/VR in vocational education (MSDE)

B. Spoorthi

Naik & Rastogi Award for Best PhD Dissertation, IIT Bombay

Subhankar Dutta · 2025

Martin Burr Grant; Commonwealth Split Site PhD Fellowship

R. Vennela · 2026 & 2017

Invited speaker, ICSSR–JSPS India–Japan bilateral seminar

Jaseel Parambil · 2026

GRANTS FROM GLOBAL FUNDERS

USD 25,000	**USD 10,000**	**₹12.79 L**	**₹8.10 L**
Mozilla Foundation & USAID	Mozilla TAGS 2.0	A. S. Hornby Trust, UK	British Council

CONFERENCES & TRAINING

20	10	5	3000
Conferences	Workshops	FDPs	Participants

2021
First Pan-NIT conclave

CONFERENCES

- ‘Changemakers in Action’ ICCA 2025 (Mozilla & USAID)
- ‘Imagining Futures’ interdisciplinary conference, 2025
- Women-in-academia series: WEIMSHE 2020, ICWEST 2021, IcWILL, WIN 2023
- National Conference on Teaching ESL & Literature, 2019
- Pan-NIT HSS Research Conclaves, 2021 & 2024

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT

- UGC-MMTTC Refresher Course on AI for Pedagogical Excellence, 2025
- FDP on AI in Education: Pedagogy, Literacy, Ethics (2026)
- STTP on Indian Knowledge Systems in Higher Education (2026)
- FDP on OER-enabled MOOCs, UGC-MMTTC (2025)
- AICTE / ISTE FDPs on VR in Education and Education 4.0

COMMUNITY & SKILLING

- AI4Sure workshop for SHG women, NTR District, 2025
- Skill Development Programme for girls, Hitachi Energy, 2026
- Empowering ELT Changemakers with AI (PM-RUSA), 2025
- The English Classroom in the Digital Age workshop, 2025
- Technical Communication Skills workshop (TEQIP-II), 2019

ACADEMIC & GLOBAL COLLABORATIONS

NATIONAL AGENCIES & PARTNERS

- ICSSR
- SPARC
- UGC-MMTTC
- AICTE
- National Commission for Women
- Ministry of Skill Development (MSDE)
- MeitY — India AI fellowship
- Govt. of AP, NTR District
- Hitachi Energy
- PM-RUSA · TEQIP-II

INTERNATIONAL ACADEMIC PARTNERS

- Penn State University, USA
- King’s College London, UK
- University of Warwick, UK
- Nottingham Trent University, UK
- Freie Universität Berlin, Germany
- Vilnius University, Lithuania
- University of Rome Tor Vergata, Italy
- University of Hyogo, Japan

8 International universities

6 Countries

4 International funders

10+ National partners

HUMSS SOCIETY & ALUMNI

HUMSS SOCIETY · SINCE 2024

A micro-culture of humanistic inquiry within a technical institute.

- **Book reviews**
- **Poetry sessions**
- **Annual letter-writing**
- **Scholarly panels**

DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI NETWORK

Dr. Doreswamy
Assistant Professor, IISER Tirupati

Dr. Jaipal
Associate Professor, VNIT Nagpur

Dr. Lalitha Devi Bommanaboina
Assistant Professor, S R University, Telangana

Dr. Sufiya Naheed
Principal, State Tribal Welfare College for Women, Telangana

Dr. Vijayakumar Neerudu
Assistant Professor, IIIT Basara

Dr. Jismy K. Joseph
Assistant Professor, KL University

Dr. Kavya Rayala
Assistant Professor, HARI, Hyderabad, Telangana

Dr. Ravi Prakash Jalli

HS NITW

THANK YOU

Department of Humanities and Social Sciences

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY WARANGAL

Language · Literature · Society · Economy

10	34	20	8
Faculty	PhD scholars	Sponsored projects	Global Footprint

Head: Prof. B. Spoorthi | humanities_hod@nitw.ac.in | +91 94901 64798 | www.nitw.ac.in