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Date of Joining: 01st July 2008
Areas of Interest: Post-colonial Literature, Cultural Studies

ORIENTATION/REFRESHER COURSES:

- Attended a UGC-Sponsored ***Refresher Course*** in English at the UGC-Academic Staff College, NEHU, Shillong from 18th March, 2013 to 07th April, 2013.
- Attended a UGC-Sponsored ***Orientation Course*** at the UGC-Academic Staff College, NEHU, Shillong from 16th Feb, 2011 to 15th Mar, 2011.

SEMINARS, WORKSHOPS, ETC.:

- Participated in Faculty Development Program on "***Role of Swayam in Higher Education: Planning and Designing an Outcome Based Learning MOOCs***" from 16th-19th October 2023, organized by the IQAC, St. Edmund's College, Shillong.
- Participated in an awareness program on "***Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace Act***" on 21st July, 2023 organized by the Internal Complaints Committee, St. Edmund's College in collaboration with District Legal Services Authorities and IQAC, St. Edmund's College
- Participated a 7 days faculty development Programme on ***Mentoring Skills for Millennial Educators*** organised by IQAC St. Edmunds College Shillong in collaboration with Centre for Professional Excellence and Lifelong Learning, Kristu Jayanti College, Bengaluru from 4-14 March 2023.
- Participated in a seminar on ***180th Anniversary of the Khasi Written Language & Literature***, organized by the Department of Khasi, St. Edmund's College, held on 09th Dec, 2022.
- Attended a webinar on ***Covid 19: Through the Eyes of a Frontliner***, delivered by Dr. Meban Aibor Kharkongor, Nodal Officer, H Gordon Roberts Hospital, Shillong, organised by Department of English, St. Edmund's College, held on July 01, 2021.
- Attended a webinar on ***Staying Fit in times of Corona Era: An Expert's Insights***, organised by Department of Computer Application, St. Edmund's College, held on June 29, 2021.
- Attended a webinar on ***Ka Thymmei U Thomas Jones bad u Synniang jong u sha ka Jaidbynriew***, delivered by Prof. (Dr.) D R L Nonglait, Professor of Khasi, NEHU, organised by Khasi Authors' Society, held on June 22, 2021.
- Attended a webinar on ***The Integration of Employability Skills into English Language Programme***, organised by the School of English, Kumaraguru College of Liberal Arts and Science, Coimbatore, TN, held on June 24, 2021.
- Attended a National webinar on ***Safety and Security of Women***, delivered by Shri Noor Ain Khan, District Judge, Shillong & Member, Meghalaya State Legal Services Authority, organised by IQAC, St. Edmund's College, held on April 10, 2021.
- Attended a webinar on ***Constructing the Identity of Women: Termsula Ao and Mona Zote***, organised by Department of English & IQAC, Women's College, held on July 24, 2020.

- Attended a **Workshop** on *Achieving Academic Excellence: Strategies and Efficacy*, organised by the IQAC, St. Edmund's College, held on April 23, 2018.
- Delivered two **Guest lectures** on *The Victorian Poets* at Synod College, Shillong in August, 2017.
- Attended a **Workshop** on *Higher Education: Reshaping the Learning Space*, organised by the IQAC, St. Edmund's College, held on August 19, 2017.
- **Resource Person** at a *Christian Writers' Workshop* organised by The Church of God (Ecclesia) on February 19, 2016.
- Attended an *International Seminar on Social Interactions and Cultural Milieus* organised by Lady Keane College on 7th & 8th August, 2015.
- Participated in the *National Writers' Meet* organised by the Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi & NEEPCO Ltd, Shillong, held on November 27th-28th, 2014 at St. Edmund's College, Shillong.
- Presented a paper titled "*Place-Sites of Belief*" at the *International Interim Conference of the International Society for Folk Narrative Research*, held in NEHU from 22nd Feb to 25th Feb, 2011.
- Attended a three-day Seminar on *Developing Intellectual Capital Skills for the Learning Economy*, organised by St. Edmund's College, Shillong from 31st Jan to 2nd Feb, 2011.
- Attended a three-day National Seminar and Workshop on "*Translation, Transmission and Cultural Transactions*" organised by the Departments of English & Linguistics, NEHU, Shillong from 18th to 20th November, 2010.
- Participated in a one-day *Workshop on Creative Tasks for the Communicative Classroom*, organised by the Department of English, Synod College, Shillong on 07th July, 2010.

PUBLICATIONS AND RELATED ACTIVITIES.

- Translated two Khasi short stories to English for publication under the ANWESHA Children's books project.
- Contributor in *Time's inscriptions: NEHU Anthology of Short Stories*, Orient Longman, New Delhi, 2010.

MEMBERSHIP IN ACADEMIC BODIES:

- Member, Syllabus Committee for English under NEP FYUG, NEHU

ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- One of the Chief Coordinators, **Edblazon** since 2022
- Convener, Events Management Committee, SEC.
- Convener, Centenary Celebrations Events Management Committee, SEC.
- Project Coordinator, staging of Wuthering Heights (annual Department play)
- Member, **IQAC**, St. Edmund's College, Shillong
 - **2020 onwards** – (Criterion V – Student Support and Progression)
 - **2015-2019** - (Convener of Criterion VII – Innovation & Best Practices).
- Member, Editorial Team, **The Edmundian** 2017.
- Editor, **The Edmundian** 2011.
- Course Coordinator of UGC Sponsored Short-term *Career Oriented Course on Communicative Skills*, Department of English, St. Edmund's College from the year 2012 till 2015.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:

- Quizmaster at various Inter-College/Inter-School Quiz competitions organised by various Colleges/Schools/Governmental departments and agencies.
- Part of Judges' panel in various literary competitions in different schools and institutions.
- Actively involved in various committees of the College.

OTHER ACTIVITIES:

- Question-paper setter, Examiner and Scrutiniser for UG Examinations under NEHU.
- Question-paper setter and Examiner for various Competitive Examinations conducted by different Govt. Departments and Agencies.