

AAMINA AKHTAR

EDUCATION

- 2019-2024** **Doctor of Philosophy: English Literature**
*Maulana Azad National Urdu University-
Gachibowli, Hyderabad*
- 01/ 2019** **NET: English Literature**
(NTA) University Grants Commission
- 07/ 2018** **SET: English Literature**
University of Kashmir-Srinagar, Kashmir
- 2015-2018** **Master Of Arts: English Literature**
University of Kashmir-Srinagar, Kashmir
- 2012-2015** **Graduation: Bachelor of Arts**
*Government Degree College Bemina-
Srinagar, Kashmir*

WORK EXPERIENCE

Current Designation:
Assistant Professor of English (Contractual), Kupwara Campus,
University of Kashmir, Srinagar, J & K

Guest Faculty - 11/2024 - 02/2025
(Kupwara Campus, University of Kashmir, Srinagar, J & K)

Lecturer – 10/2023 – 03/2024
(HSS, Kralpora, Kupwara)

Teacher– 01/2021 - 01/2022
(Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Gachibowli, Hyderabad)

BOOK CHAPTER

Aamina Akhtar. “When the People Change the Palace
can't Hold: A Critical Analysis of *The Power* by
Naomi Alderman. Nova Spatium Sapientiae, Saran.S.

PUBLICATIONS

- **Dr. Aamina Akhtar.** “Playing to Survive: Examining the Role of Brutal Games in Dystopian Corporate Societies in the Movies Rollerball and the Running Man”. International Journal of English Language, Education and Literature Studies (IJEEL). Volume-04, Issue-02.
- **Aamina Akhtar.** “The Dark Side of Illness: Jose Saramago's Critique of Human Nature in *Blindness*”. Journal for Research Scholars and Professionals of English Language Teaching, Vol-7, Issue-36.
- **Aamina Akhtar.** “Memory and Identity in Dystopian Fiction: A Comparative Study of *The Memory Police* and *The Maze Runner*”. Research Journal of English Language and Literature.Vol-11.Issue-2.
- **Aamina Akhtar.** “Cultural Crossroads and Subaltern Realities in Diasporic Discourse: Exploring the Sense of Belonging in Lahiri and Mistry's Narratives”. International Journal of English Literature and Social Sciences. Vol-9. Issue-1.



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SKILLS

Teaching and Supervision

Excellent Communication

Multitasking

Research and Analysis

Creativity

Writing/Editing

Mentoring/Advising

Active Listening

Organization and Time Management

INTERESTS

Reading, Writing, Traveling
Movies, Music, Nature

LANGUAGES

ENGLISH, URDU
& KASHMIRI

CONFERENCE PAPER PRESENTATIONS

- “Navigating Cultures and Subaltern Realities in Diasporic Discourse: Exploring the Sense of Belonging in Lahiri and Mistry's Narratives” presented in the National Conference Organised by Center for Comparative Literature, University of Hyderabad, 24-25 Jan, 2024.
- “Memory and Identity in Dystopian Fiction: A Comparative Study of *The Memory Police* and *The Maze Runner*” presented in the International Conference Organized by Central University of Kerala, 13-15 March 2023.
- “When the People Change the Palace can't Hold: A Critical Analysis of *The Power* by Naomi Alderman” presented in the International Conference Organised by VIT, Chennai on 19-20 March 2021

CERTIFICATIONS

- Attended One week Online National Level FDP on “Mastering The Stage: Advanced Presentation Techniques” organized by Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Khalsa College, Sri Anandpur Sahib, Punjab in collaboration with Nucleus of Learning and Development, Gujarat from 22 to 28 April 2024.
- Participated in the One week Online National Level FDP on “Empowering Academics Through AI Tools” organized by Career Development Cell (CDC), Gokul University, Siddhpur, Gujarat from 26 February to 3 March 2024.
- Participated in the One week Online National Level FDP ON “Echoes of Her Story: Women's Autobiographical Narratives” organized by Career Development Cell (CDC), Gokul Global University, Siddhpur, Gujarat from 5 to 11 February 2024.
- Attended the Extramural Lecture by Nobel Laureate in Physics Sir Anthony James Legget organized by Bharata Mata College, Thrikkakara on 19 January 2024.
- Attended Seven Day Online FDP on “Research Writing: Problems and Pedagogies” organized by Sandip University, Nashik, Maharashtra on 16-23 January 2024.
- Attended Centenary Memorial Special Lecture by Prof. Slavoj Zizek organized by St Berchmans College, 17 March 2023.
- Attended International Seminar on “Religion and Gender: Belief, Practices and Beyond” organized by Center for Study and Research (CSR), New Delhi, 2022.
- Attended National E-Conference on “Contemporary Trends in Literature” organized by Munger University (Bihar), 2020.
- Attended one day National Webinar on “Nature's Ire as Catastrophe Reflected in Literature” organized by Palamuru University, Mahabubnagar, Telengana, 2020.
- Attended National e-Workshop on Designing e-Content for English Language and Literature organized by Arts, Commerce, and Science College, Lanja, 2020.

CERTIFICATIONS

- Attended National Level Online Seminar on “Critical Appreciation of a Poem” organized by RKSD (PG) College, Kaithal, Haryana, 2020.
- Attended National Webinar on “Contemporary Reflections on Critical Theories and Aesthetics” organized by Higher Education and Research Society, Mumbai, 2020.
- Participated as a volunteer in Two-Day National Seminar on “Teaching English Language and Literature to Urdu Speakers” from 20th to 21st February, 2020 organised by the Centre for Professional Development of Urdu Medium Teachers, MANUU, Hyderabad.
- Participated in the STRIDE Research Methodology Workshop organised by the UGC - STRIDE Task Group 2020, MANUU, Hyderabad from 17th August to 21st August, 2020.
- Attended National Webinar on “Strengthening the 'You' in You” organized by APCian Alumnae Association and Student Council of A.P.C. Mahalaxmi College for Women, Thoothukudi on 16th & 17th July 2020.
- Participated in “E-Quiz on Literary Criticism” conducted by the Post Graduate Department of English, Government Arts College (A), Salem from 07/07/2020 to 09/07/2020.
- Participated in online Student Development Program on “Soft Skills Enhancement for Education and Career Success” organised by Computer Science Department of St. Francis De Sales College, Nagpur from 6th to 8th July, 2020.
- Attended Webinar on “Academic Publishing and Enhancing Research Effectiveness” organised by Dr. Zakir Husain Library, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi on June 09, 2020.
- Participated in Five Day Online Workshop on “Creative Thinking and Academic Writing” organised by Office of Dean, Research and Consultancy and Centre for Professional Development of Urdu Medium Teachers (CPDUMT), MANUU, Hyderabad from 01 to 05 March 2021.
- Participated in the 6- Day Skill Development Workshop on Translation (Indian Languages) organised by the National Translation Mission, CIIL, Mysuru in collaboration with the Department of English, MANUU, Hyderabad from 22 to 27 May 2023.
- Volunteered in the International Conference on “Translating Cultures: Exploring the Intersections of Language and Literature” organised by the Department of English, MANUU, Hyderabad and the National Translation Mysuru in Hyderabad on 25 and 26 May 2023.