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Jan, 21,2021

## NOTICE

A series of lectures would be conducted for the post graduate students in English to hone the research skills of students and develop a structure methodology for conducting research.

The schedule for the research skill series is as follows:

Date	Time	Topic	Guest Speaker
1 <sup>st</sup> Feb' 2021	5pm -7 pm	Dynamics of research writing in English – Part I	Dr Dinesh Kumar Ket's Vaze College, Mulund, Mumbai
6 <sup>th</sup> Feb'2021	6-8pm	Post modernism: theory & Practice	Dr Seema C , S I E S, ION, Mumbai
8 <sup>th</sup> Feb' 2021	6-8pm	Disability studies Theory and Potential for Research	Dr Lakshmi Muthukumar, SIES, Sion
10 <sup>th</sup> Feb' 2021	6-8pm	Potential Research Areas: Gender Studies, Postcolonialism & Diaspora	Dr Paromita Chakrabati, HR College
11 <sup>th</sup> Feb' 2021	6-8pm	" Dynamics of Research writing in English-II"	Dr Dinesh Kumar Ket's Vaze College, Mulund, Mumbai

  
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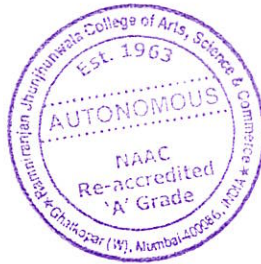
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## Research Skills Lecture 3

### Dr. Lakshmi Muthukumar, HOD, SIES College

Dr. Lakshmi Muthukumar is an Associate Professor who heads the Department of English at SIES College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Sion West. She has over 25 years of teaching experience and has published 30 research papers in various national and international journals. She has also authored a textbook for an Introductory course in English Literature for Undergraduate students published by the University of Mumbai. Her research interests include language studies and gender studies. She is a registered guide for Ph.D. in English and is currently guiding five research scholars for their doctoral degree. She has worked as a member of several syllabus revision committees for the University of Mumbai and is a member of the Board of Studies in English for SNTD University and several other autonomous institutions.

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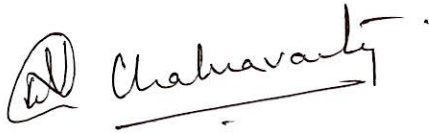
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## Report of Lecture by Dr Lakshmi Muthukumar on “Disability Studies: Theory & Potential for Research”

The third day of Research guidance session was held on 8<sup>th</sup> February 2021. Dr. Lakshmi Muthukumar, HoD, English, SIES College introduced the research area of Disability Studies. The lecture on “Disability Studies: Theory and Potential for Research” was initiated with an introduction to the Social Model of Disability by Union of Physically Impaired against Segregation. She outlined the innumerable ways through which the disabled became the oppressed group. A detailed insight was provided into Disability Discrimination Act of 1995 which connected the disabled groups with many institutions through control over media, infrastructural changes, public transportation and awareness. To make the session more interesting, students were split in teams of four. Separate break out rooms for teams were created on Zoom platform. The time limit given for discussion was five minutes. After the discussion each team was given a chance to explain the disabled character in the film or novel selected by them. Each team brought up many characters from different films and novels. This exercise gave students an exposure to a new area of research. Students were suggested to read books on Disability studies by Lennard J. Davis and Colin Cameron. The interactive session ended with a vote of thanks by the students. **23 students participated actively in the session.**

  
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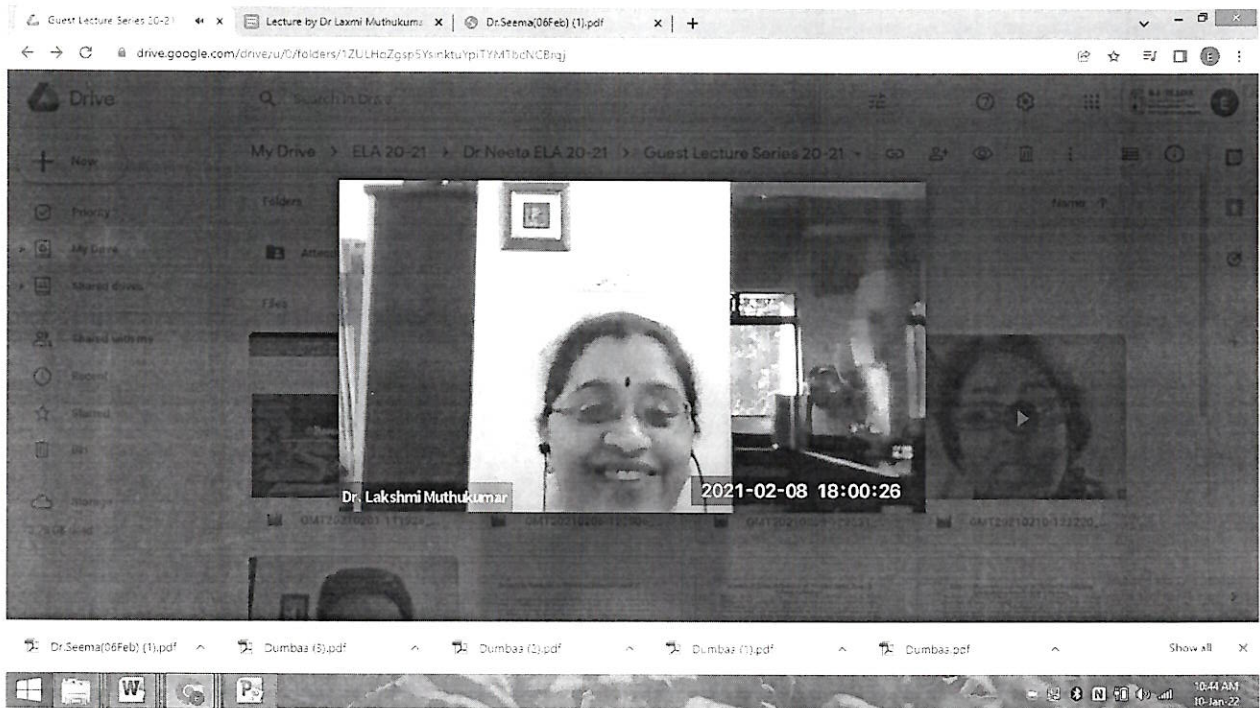
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## Snap Shot



Dr. Lakshmi Muthukumar

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## Lecture series for research skill development List of Participants- Dr. Lakshmi Muthukumar Day 3 08/02/2021 M A ENGLISH

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3	5	DSILVA DALE J AVERIL
4	7	EBSIBA PANDI
5	8	GUJARAL VARUNA VINOD
6	9	GUPTA SEEMA ASHOK
7	10	JENSHI ARVIND
8	11	JOSHI KOMAL
9	12	KALLARKAL GIFTIN G WILSON
10	17	KHAN SOMAIYA ASLAM
11	18	MEMON BUSHRA FATEH
12	19	MUSLEMI NIDA FATEMA AHMED
13	20	NAIR KRISHNEDU
14	21	NESSIE EDWARD RAVIKUMAR
15	23	PALAV SONALI PRAMOD
16	28	PEREIRA ANGELA AUGUSTINE
17	29	CHITTE ROHINI
15	31	SAYYED SUMAIYA NADIMUDDIN
16	34	SIDDIQUE ERAM SULTANA ANIS AHMED
17	35	SIDDIQUI SHAGUFTA SHAKIR HUSAIN
19	36	TATE MAYURI BHIMRAO
20	37	BERNARD TERESA SAMUEL
21	38	THAKAR HITIKSHA KRISHNAKANT
22	39	TREESA REJI
23	40	VADAKKAN DIANA MARY IGNATIUS





  
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