



**Department of English
School of English and Foreign Languages
Bharathidasan University
Tiruchirappalli - 620 024**

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**RUSA SPONSORED TWO-DAY WORKSHOP
ON
“BEYOND THE TEXT: NEXT GEN-ENGLISH
THROUGH ACADEMIC AND TECHNICAL
WRITING AND TRANSLATION SKILLS FOR
EMPLOYABILITY”**

(BECH-RUSA 2.0)

**Venue: Tagore Conference Hall,
Department of English,
Bharathidasan University
Date: 27 & 28 October 2025**



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Who can attend?
UG & PG Students
PhD Scholars of English

Registration
Interested participants from
various colleges and
universities can spot
register on 27 October 2023.

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About the Workshop

In the contemporary academic and professional ecosystem, English proficiency has evolved beyond a linguistic competence into a transformative skill for global engagement, employability, and innovation. Despite their strong grounding in literary and theoretical knowledge, English literature students, particularly at the undergraduate, postgraduate, and research levels, often face challenges in transforming their academic learning into market-ready skills. This gap limits their participation in research dissemination, academic publishing, professional communication, and emerging entrepreneurial avenues such as content creation, digital education, and consulting. Besides, the interdisciplinary academic field of translation is gaining momentum in global job markets. Recognising these demands, the Department of English, Bharathidasan University, designed a Two-Day workshop to strengthen participants' competencies by focusing on academic English and translation. The initiative is conceptualised with the support and guidance of RUSA, aligning with its objectives of enhancing employability, fostering academic excellence, and nurturing innovation.

The programme features distinguished academicians and professionals who will share their expertise through interactive lectures, discussions, and hands-on exercises. Participants will engage with sessions that enhance academic writing, translation proficiency, and the use of English as a tool for both creative and professional advancement.

The workshop follows a multi-modal, skill-integrated approach that combines lectures, practice-based activities, peer review, and expert feedback. Each session builds on the previous one, allowing participants to move from conceptual understanding to applied practice. Certificates of participation, endorsed by Bharathidasan University and RUSA, will be awarded to attendees who complete the full programme.



About the University

Bharathidasan University, established in 1982 and named after the visionary Tamil poet Bharathidasan, is a premier institution of higher education located in Tiruchirappalli, Tamil Nadu. The University is committed to promoting knowledge through interdisciplinary teaching, research, and extension activities that promote social transformation and sustainable development. Guided by its motto, “We will create a brave new world,” the University continues to empower students to meet global challenges through critical thinking, creativity, and social responsibility.

About the Department

The Department of English at Bharathidasan University is a leading centre for literary and cultural studies, committed to excellence in teaching, research, and professional development. Established with a vision to promote critical inquiry and creative expression, the Department offers postgraduate and PhD programmes that integrate classical and contemporary perspectives in English Studies. Faculty members actively engage in interdisciplinary research encompassing literature, language, cultural theory, and digital humanities. Through national and international collaborations, conferences, and skill-based initiatives, the Department continues to nurture scholars, educators, and professionals equipped to meet global academic and industry demands.

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

INAUGURATION

27 Oct. 2025, 10:00 AM

Welcome Address	Dr. T. Priya Assistant Professor Centre for French School of English and Foreign Languages Bharathidasan University
Presidential Address	Dr. V. Rajesh Kannan Member, Vice-Chancellor Committee Professor & Head Department of Microbiology Bharathidasan University
Special Address	Dr. R. Balasubramani Director - Research Professor Department of Library and Information Science Bharathidasan University
Introducing the Workshop	Dr. M. Angkayarkan Vinayakaservi Convenor, Associate Professor & Head, Department of English Bharathidasan University

Technical Sessions

Day 1: 27 Oct. 2025

Session 1 11.30 AM to 01:00 PM	Dr. N. Vijayasundari Public Speaker Associate Professor Department of Tamil Urumu Dhanalakshmi College, Pappakuruchi Village, Kattur, Tiruchirappalli - 620 019 Title: "Languages in Dialogue"
Session 2 2:00 to 05:00 PM	Dr. Anu Kuriakose Assistant Professor English Studies Humanities and Social sciences National Institute of Technology, Tiruchirappalli - 620 015 Title: "Writing with a Purpose: Introduction to an Academic Writer's Skill Sets"

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Technical Sessions

Day 2: 28 Oct. 2025

Session 3 10:00 AM to 01:00 PM	Dr. R. Azhagarasan Retired Professor and Head Department of English University of Madras, Chennai - 600 005 Title: "Literary Translations"
Session 4 02:00 to 03:30 PM	Dr. V. Ramakrishnan Assistant Professor Department of English Patrician College of Arts and Science Chennai - 600 020 Title: "Technical Translation"

VALEDICTION

28 Oct. 2025, 03:30 PM

Welcome Address	Dr. D. Laura Dameris Chellajothi Associate Professor Department of English School of English and Foreign Languages Bharathidasan University
Presidential Address	Dr. R. Kalidasan Registrar (Full Time Additional In-Charge) Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli - 620 024 Tamil Nadu
Special Address	Dr. J. Chandrakala Assistant Professor of Tamil Convenor, Bharathiar Chair Department of Tamil Bharathidasan University
Valedictory Address	Dr. Prince Gideon Kubendran Amos Associate Dean (Research & Consultancy) National Institute of Technology, Tiruchirappalli - 620 015
Event Report & Vote of Thanks	Dr.M. Angkayarkan Vinayakaselvi Convenor, Associate Professor & Head, Department of English Bharathidasan University