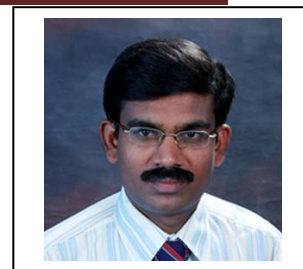


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Curriculum Vitae



Brief Profile:

Dr. R. Joseph Ponniah is an Associate Professor of English in the Department of Humanities at National Institute of Technology, Trichirappalli. He received his PhD in English from Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai. He is currently working on English Language Teaching, Second Language Acquisition,. His papers are widely published in peer-reviewed international journals, such as The International Journal of Foreign Language Teaching, The Atlantic Literary Review and The Modern Journal of Applied linguistics. He is a member of the editorial advisory board of the Iranian Journal of Language Studies.

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6. Field(s) of Specialization: Language and gene,
Reading, Second Language Acquisition (SLA)
7. Employment Profile

Job Title	Employer	From	To
Associate Professor	National Institute of Technology (NIT), Trichirappalli	Dec 2011	Till date
Assistant Professor	National Institute of Technology (NIT), Trichirappalli	Dec 2008	Dec 2011
Lecturer	Mepco Schlenk Engineering	June 2007	Nov 2008

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	College		
Lecturer	Kamaraj College of Engineering and Technology, Virudunagar	Dec 2005	April 2007
Lecturer	Sri Kaliswari College, Sivakasi	July 2001	Dec 2005
Lecturer	Saiva Bhanu Kshatriya College	July 1997	April 2001

8. Academic Qualifications (From Highest Degree to High School):

Examination	Board / University	Year	Division/ Grade	Subjects
Doctor of Philosophy	Madurai Kamaraj University	2007		English
M Phil	Bharathidasan University	1997		English
Master of Arts	Madurai Kamaraj University	1996		English

9. Academic/Administrative Responsibilities within the University

Position	Faculty/Department/Centre/Institution	From	To
Subject Coordinator	Department of Humanities	2009 and 2014 (2 semester)	
Estate welfare committee	Maintenance Department	2008	2010
Swimming pool committee member	Maintenance Department	2008	2012

10. Academic/Administrative Responsibilities outside the University

Position	Institution	From	To
Editorial Board member	Iranian Journal of Language Studies (IJLS), University of Zanjan, Iran		
Editorial Board Member	Journal of English Language Teaching, i Manager publications		
Editor	Journal of Language and Culture. Academic journals.org. ISSN:		

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	2141-6540		
Editor	International Journal of Psychology and Counseling, Academic Journal.org. ISSN: 2141-2499		

11. Awards, Associateships etc.

Year of Award	Name of the Award	Awarding Organization

12. Fellowships

Year of Award	Name of the Fellowship	Awarding Organization	From (Month/Year)	To (Month/Year)

13. Details of Academic Work

- (i) Curriculum Development
- (ii) Courses taught at Postgraduate and Undergraduate levels
- (iii) Projects guided at Postgraduate level
- (iv) Other contribution(s)

14. Details of Major R&D Projects

Title of Project	Funding Agency	Duration		Status
		From	To	Ongoing/ Completed

15. Number of PhDs guided

Name of the PhD Scholar	Title of PhD Thesis	Role(Supervisor/ Co-Supervisor)	Year of Award
J Priya	Academic Reading: A key ingredient for the	Supervisor	2016

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	development of academic writing		

16. Participation in Workshops/ Symposia/ Conferences/ Colloquia /Seminars/ Schools etc. (mentioning the role)

Date (s)	Title of Activity	Level of Event (International / National/ Local)	Role (Participant/ Speaker/ Chairperson , Paper presenter)	Event Organized by	Venue
17-18 Oct 2016	First language pleasure reading habit promotes second language reading and acquisition	International	Presenter	6 th International Conference on Social Sciences and Humanities (ICSSH) – Global research and development services	Hong Kong
2015	First Language (L1) Pleasure Reading Habit Promotes Second Language Reading	International	Presenter	Sathyabhama University	Chennai
2015	The More we Read the Better is our Language: A Comparison Between Avid Readers and Moderate Readers.	International	Presenter	Sathyabhama University	Chennai
2015	Acquired Knowledge of Grammar and its Role in Output Production: An Investigation with Adult ESL Students.	International	Presenter	Sathyabhama University	Chennai
18-20 July 2013	Acquisition Academic Language By Reading" in the International Conference	International	Presenter	Department of English and Foreign Languages Faculty of Engineering and	Chennai

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				Technology, SRM University	
18-19 Feb 2011	The Easiest way of Acquiring English as a Second Language No Grammar and no Drills	International	Presenter	Department of English, Anna University	Chennai
5-7 Augu st 2010	The Role of Grammar in English as a Second Language	International	Presenter	5th International Conference organized by the Department of English at Anna Adarsh College for Women	Chennai
5-6 Febru ary 2010	Comprehensible input as the crucial determining factor for language acquisition	National	Presenter	Anna University	Chennai
8-10 Feb 2008	Why do we learn and teach conscious rules of grammar? Insights and implications in International Conference on 'Learning to Teach: a Life-Long journey'	International	Presenter	English Language Teachers' Association of India	Chennai
Feb 9-10 2007	"Retrieving resources from the internet for ELT classes" in the International Conference organized by the English Language Teachers	International	Presenter	English Language Teachers' Association of India	Chennai
2005	"Man-Centered Religion in Cat's Cradle: Kurt Vonnegut" in Role of the Institution of Higher Education in Promoting Harmonious Society	National	Presenter	Saiva Bhanu Kshatriya College,	Aruppukot tai

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17. Workshops/ Symposia/ Conferences/ Colloquia/Seminars Organized (as Chairman/ Organizing Secretary/ Convenor / Co-Convenor)

Title of Activity	Level of Event (International/ National/ Local)	Date (s)	Role	Venue
Conference on Reading Skills and Strategies	National	5th October 2013	Chairperson	Seshasayee Institute of Technology, Tiruchirappalli
Learning to Learn : Way to Language Mastery by ELTAI	International	5 th August, 2010	Chairperson	Anna Adarsh College for Women
Technology enabled language learning	National	5 th February, 2010	Chairperson	Anna University, Chennai

18. Invited Talks delivered

Topic	Date	Inviting Organization
Empowering Communication Skills in English	2013	Department of English, University College of Engineering Villupuram and Centre For Faculty Development, Anna University, Chennai
Employment in Today's Job Market	March 06, 2013	MAR College of Engineering, Trichy
The importance of Comprehensible Input for Acquiring English as a Second Language	17 th March 2010	Periyar Polytechnic College at Tanjore
Acquisition of Language Competence for Effective Communication	17 th February 2010	Periyar Polytechnic College at Tanjore
How to make a literary text comprehensible	1 st April, 2009	Bishop Heber College, Trichirappalli
Stress and Intonation in English Language	December 2007	Sri Kaliswari College

19. Membership of Learned Societies

Type of Membership (Ordinary Member/ Honorary Member / Life Member)	Organization	Membership No. with date
Life Membership	ISTE	2007

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20. Academic Foreign Visits

Country	Duration of Visit	Programme

21. Publications

(A) Refereed Research Journals:

Author(s)	Title of Paper	Journal	Volume (No.)	Page numbers	Year	Impact Factor of the Journal (Optional)
Ponniah, R. J.	Pleasure reading and the acquisition of second language by adult ESL learners	The International Journal of Foreign Language Teaching	9 issue 1	16-22	2014	
Ponniah, R. J.	Free reading: A powerful tool for acquiring a second language	Journal on English Language Teaching	3 issue 1	10-14	2013	
Ponniah, R. J.	The effectiveness of comprehension hypothesis: A review on the current research on incidental vocabulary acquisition	Journal on English Language Teaching	1 issue 2	1-4	2011	
Ponniah, R. J.	Incidental acquisition of vocabulary by reading	The Reading Matrix	11 issue 2	135-139	2011	
Ponniah, R. J.	Insights into second language acquisition theory and different approaches to language teaching	Educational Psychology	3 issue 4	14-18	2010	
Ponniah,	Form-focused	Modern Journal	1 issue 6	382-	2009	

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R. J.	instruction and the learning experience of adult ESL students	of Applied Linguistics		391		
Ponniah, R. J.	The role of grammar: An insight into the skill-building and the output hypotheses	Modern Journal of Applied Linguistics	1 issue 5	275-285	2009	
Ponniah, R. J.	An experimental inquiry into the application of rules of grammar	Iranian Journal of Language studies	3 issue 3	359-366	2009	
Ponniah, R. J.	What do we need to acquire a second language?	Modern Journal of Applied Linguistics	1 issue 3	112-121	2009	
Ponniah, R. J.	The expanded output hypothesis	The International Journal of Foreign Language Teaching	4 issue 2	2-3	2008	
Ponniah, R. J.	Acquisition of grammar through comprehensible input versus explicit instruction	Iranian Journal of Language studies	2 issue 2	249-255	2008	
Ponniah, R. J.	Free voluntary reading and the acquisition of grammar by adult ESL students	The International Journal of Foreign Language Teaching	4 issue 1	20-22	2008	
Ponniah, R. J.	A note on the application of rules of grammar	The International Journal of Foreign Language Teaching	3 issue 2	36-37	2007	

(B) Conferences/Workshops/Symposia Proceedings

Author(s)	Title of Abstract/ Paper	Title of the Proceedings	Page numbers	Conference Theme	Venue	Year
Mary Jennifer J & Ponniah, R.J	Pleasure Reading : A Cure For Readicide.	Accepted for Publication in the Proceedings	Reference Code: 14112			2014

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	(Accepted for Publication in the Proceedings of IEEE (SCI Journal))	of IEEE (SCI Journal)				
Senthil Babu M K & Ponniah, R.J	Validating the Power of Accepted for Publication in the Proceedings of IEEE (SCI Journal Reading Through An Experiment.	Accepted for Publication in the Proceedings of IEEE (SCI Journal)	Reference Code: TILT 14109			2014
Priya J & Ponniah, R.J	Acquisition of Grammar and its Role in output production.	Accepted for Publication in the Proceedings of IEEE (SCI Journal)	Reference Code: TILT 14108			2014
Ponniah, R.J	First Language (L1) Pleasure Reading Habit Promotes Second Language (L2) reading	Accepted for Publication in the Proceedings of IEEE (SCI Journal)	Reference Code: TILT 14107			2014
Ponniah, R.J & J Priya	Acquisition of Academic Language by Reading	8th International & 44th Annual ELTAI Conference on 21st Century Learners' - Learning Styles & Strategies.				2013
Frederick.S & Ponniah, R.J.	Acquisition of vocabulary by reading and listening	National Conference on Enhancement and			SRM University, Chennai	2010

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(C) Books & Monographs

Author(s)	Title of Book/Monograph	Name of Publishers	Year of Publication	ISSN/ISBN Number
Dr. R. Joseph Ponniah	The idea and practice of reading	Springer	2017 (forthcoming)	