

Preservation and Maintenance has emerged as one of the most convenient and useful means of language and cultural repository in the current milieu. The cultural practices and language system of Indigenous communities and its various literary studies need attention to be protected and preserved, with the equally emerging trend of economic colonization. Having known that it is not easy but yet challenging enough for any community to restore their traditional and existing socio-cultural aspects in relation to current trends and changes; the focus is thus on promoting language, use, history, literature and culture in the light of contemporary and emerging trends which can help future generation and interested researches to access, and learn the traditional knowledge, their cultural heritage and literature in all paradigm and essence.

AREA OF INTEREST

Scopes for Literature

- Gender and Women Studies
- British Literature
- Indian Writing in English
- Post-Colonial Literature
- Literary Theories
- Canadian Literature
- American Literature
- Australian Literature
- African Literature
- Commonwealth Literature
- Diasporic Writings
- Eco-Conscious Literature
- Literature of the Marginalised
- Trans-national Literature
- North-East Writing in English
- Literature and Socio-Political Issues
- Cultural Studies in Literature
- Intercultural and Cross-Cultural Discourses

Scopes for Language and Cultural Heritage

- Language Documentation
- Language Preservation and Revitalization
- Endangered Languages
- Sociolinguistics
- Pragmatics
- Semantics
- Morphology
- Ethnolinguistics
- Applied Linguistics
- Language and Power
- Language and the New Media
- Second Language Acquisition
- Stylistics
- Discourse Analysis in Language
- Philosophy of Language
- Language, Cultural and Heritage
- Language Contact and Language Change

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The Department of English was established in the year 2016. It envisages itself to become one of the foremost canters for liberal arts studies in North East India. It aims to provide an updated and contemporary learning process which will immerse students in the world of literary, linguistic and cultural studies, allowing them to find their roots in the past and forge the way for the future. The Department also takes efforts to be an inclusive space which makes students from diverse backgrounds feel at home and develop their confidence and communication skills through dedicated skill enhancement programmes.

ABOUT THE SEMINAR

The seminar will focus on presenting Changes and perseveration in linguistic, literary studies and cultural studies in the present day. The studies in the field of literature, linguistics and culture have broken the boundaries of the disciplines and have become increasingly interdisciplinary. Such research often sees the co-habitation, coordination and correlation of multiple theoretical and methodological paradigms. It also aims to look at how language, literature and culture are interwoven and correlates to each other. Literature is the fusion of culture and language without which no coherent communication can be attained in a potential society. The Historical heritage of language and its current trends; Literature and related studies such as Cultural Studies; the bridge in Cultural Anthropology and Linguistics Studies show how the outlook of humanities and social sciences is continuously getting shaped and evolving as per the current trends and directives.



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