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3. Academic Qualification:
   - Ph.D (Applied Linguistics) (2004) (Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM)
   - M.A (TESL) (1998) (UKM)
   - Dip in Ed (English Language) (1991) (UKM)
   - B.A (Hons) (English Studies) (1990) (UKM) Second Class Upper Division

4. Brief Career History:

I have worked in UPM for 28 years; started as a Language Teacher in 1991; became a tutor in English Studies in 1996; completed Master in 1998 and PhD in 2004. I began work as a lecturer in Applied Linguistics in 2005 and was promoted to Associate Professor in 2010. I have been a senior editor for *The Asian ESP Journal* since 2014. Over the years, I

developed a specialization in Discourse Analysis, Language Learning and Teaching, Professional and Workplace Discourse and Communication, Political Discourse, Academic Discourse, Pragmatics and Culture.

5. Achievements/Awards:

- Excellent Service Award, UPM 2014, 2019
- Vice Chancellor Fellowship Award (Teaching Category) 2018 Finalist
- Certificate of Excellence in Service, UPM 2007-2013, 2015-2018

6. Courses Taught:

Undergraduate	Discourse Analysis, English for Specific Purposes, Language and Power
Postgraduate (Master)	Discourse Analysis, English for Specific Purposes: Theory and Practice, Genre Studies, Assessment in ESP, Methodology in ESP, Sociolinguistics, Language and Culture, Second Language Acquisition, Research Methodology
Postgraduate (PhD)	Qualitative Inquiry in Language Studies
Proficiency Courses	Academic Writing, Grammar in Context, Public Speaking, English for Academic Purposes

7. Field of Specialization: Applied Linguistics; English Language

8. Specific Areas of Specialization:

a. Professional and Workplace Discourse and Communication

Publications:

i. **Paramasivam, S.** & Subramaniam, S.K. (2018). Superior-subordinate request email in workplace communication of a Malaysian organization. *Journal of Intercultural Communication Research* 47(3): 161-187. DOI 10.1080/17475759.2018.1443969.

ii. **Paramasivam, S**. & Nursuhaila Osman. (2018). Syntactic features in Asian television football sport commentary. In Bahiyah Abdul Hamid, Fuzirah Hashim & Muhamad Subakir Mohd Yasin (eds.). *Interacting with Discourse: Foregrounding Socio-cultural Matters*. pp. 57-78. Bangi: Penerbit UKM.

iii. **Paramasivam, S** & Muhamad Izzat, R. (2016). Genre analysis of job application letters in Malaysia. *The Asian ESP Journal*. 12(2): 144-170.

iv. **Paramasivam, S**., & Nair-Venugopal, S. (2012). Indian collectivism revisited: Unpacking the Western gaze. In Nair-Venugopal, S. (ed.). *The Gaze of the West: Framings of the East.* pp. 156-169. London: Palgrave-MacMillan.

v. **Paramasivam, S.** (2011). Rapport management in air traffic control in Malaysian aviation discourse. Institutional Politeness in (South) East Asia. Special Issue of the *Journal of Asian Pacific Communication. 21(1),* 77-96.

vi. **Paramasivam, S.** (2008). Power and politeness in negotiation discourse. In Jacobson, R (ed.) *The Pulse of a Malaysian University: Ethno- and Sociolinguistic Issues and the TESOL Dimension*. pp. 37-68. New York: Peter Lang Publishing.

vii. **Paramasivam, S.** (2007). Malay cultural values and negotiation talk. In Pandian, A. and Kell, M. (eds). *Literacy: Diverse Perspectives and Pointers for Practice.* pp. 267-282. Serdang: UPM Press.

viii. **Paramasivam, S.** (2007). A discourse-oriented model for analysing power and politeness in negotiation interaction: A cross-linguistic perspective. *Journal of Universal Language. 8(1),* 91-127.

ix. **Paramasivam, S.** (2007). Managing disagreement while managing not to disagree: Polite disagreement in negotiation discourse. *Journal of Intercultural Communication Research. 36(2),* 91-116.

x. **Paramasivam, S** & Kaur, M. (2004). Power play in negotiation interaction. *Journal of Language and Linguistics. 23 (1),* 42-52.

b. <u>Language Learning and Teaching</u>

Publications:

i. Meganathan, P, Yap, N.T., **Paramasivam, S**. & Jalaluddin, I. (2020). Reading preference and reactions towards different types of post-reading activities among Tamil primary school students. *Journal of Language and Communication*. 7(2): 697-716.

ii. Taly, B.C & **Paramasivam, S**. (2020). Speaking anxiety among postgraduate international students in the academic context of a university in Malaysia. *International Journal of Linguistics*. 12(1): 198-219.

iii. Meganathan, P.M, Yap, N.T., **Paramasivam, S**. & Jalaluddin, I. (2019). Incidental and intentional learning of vocabulary among young ESL learners. *3L: The Southeast Asian Journal of English Language Studies*. 25(4): 51-67.

iv. Hasan, H & **Paramasivam, S**. (2016). Language learning strategies across proficiency levels among EFL pre-university students. *Journal of Applied Linguistics and Language Research*. 3(4): 135-148.

v.   Letchumanan, K., Tan, B.H., **Paramasivam, S**., Sabariah, M.R. & Muthusamy, P. (2015). Incidental learning of vocabulary through computer-based and paper-based games by secondary school ESL learners. *Pertanika Journal of Social Science and Humanities. 23(3),* 725-740.

vi.   Jalaluddin, I., **Paramasivam, S**., Husain, S. & Abu Bakar, R. (2015). The consistency between writing self-efficacy and writing performance. *Journal of Language Teaching and Research. 6(3),* 545-552.

vii.   Veerappan, V., Hui S.W., Siew P.W. & **Paramasivam, S**. (2014). Mobile assisted teaching and learning in an institute of higher education. *International Review of Social Sciences and Humanities. 8(1),* 68-79.

viii.   Ramakrishna Pillai, A.D. & **Paramasivam, S**. (2014). Miscue analysis of oral reading among non-proficient Malaysian ESL learners. *Journal of English Language and Literature. 2(2),* 179-185.

ix.   Enjavinezhad, M. & **Paramasivam, S**. (2014). Interlanguage syntax of L2 Persian speakers: The case of resumptive pronouns in English relative clauses. *International Journal of Education and Research. 2(10),* 277-288.

x.   **Paramasivam, S**. (2013). Materials development for speaking skills in aviation English for Malaysian air traffic controllers: Theory and Practice. *The Journal of Teaching English for Specific and Academic Purposes 1(2),* 97-122.

xi.   Diao Zhiping & **Paramasivam, S**. (2013). Anxiety of speaking English in class among international students in a Malaysian university. *International Journal of Education and Research 1(11),* 1-16.

xii.   **Paramasivam, S**. (2009). Language transfer as a communication strategy and a language learning strategy in a Malaysian classroom for English as a second language. *The Asian EFL Journal. 11(1),* 192-229.

xiii.   **Paramasivam, S**. (1991). The use of oral interaction strategies in the management of conversation by a group of ESL students. *Journal On TESL* , 51-63.

xiv.   **Paramasivam, S**., Tan, H., Yap, N.G. and Hasliza Aris. (1996). *English for the Agricultural Sciences: Developing Speaking Skills*. Serdang: UPM Press.

xv.   Yap, N.T., **Paramasivam, S**, Tan, H. and Hasliza Aris. (1996). *English for the Agricultural Sciences: Developing Writing Skills*. Serdang: UPM Press.

c. Leadership and Political Discourse
Publications:
i. Varma, S.B., **Paramasivam, S.** & Nimehchisalem, V. (2020). Strategies and leadership values in Obama's apology discourse. *Open Linguistics.* 6, 463-481. https://doi.org/10.1515/opli-2020-0026

ii. Enjavinezhad, M & **Paramasivam, S**. (2020). The role of Wahhabi discourse in the Syrian uprising. *Shanlax International Journal of Arts, Science and Humanities.* 7(4): 42-53.

iii. Ramanathan, R, **Paramasivam, S** & Tan Bee Hoon. (2020). Discursive strategies and speech acts in political discourse of Najib and Modi. *Shanlax International Journal of Education.* 8(3): 34-44.

iv. Varma, S.B., **Paramasivam, S.** & Nimehchisalem, V. (2019). Linguistic construction of a winning apology. *Research in Applied Linguistics*. 10(1):3-31. DOI: 10.22055/rals.2019.14177

v. Varma, S.B. & **Paramasivam, S.** (2018). Thematic analysis of leadership values in apologies. *Journal of English Language and Literature* 9(3): 914-925.

vi. Ramanathan, R, Tan, B.H. & **Paramasivam, S**. (2018). Metaphors in political tweets during national elections. *Pertanika Journal of Social Science and Humanities. 26(2)*: 929-944.

vii. Ramanathan, R, Tan, B.H. & **Paramasivam, S**. (2017). Lexis in political ideas on Twitter. *International Journal of Applied Linguistics and English Literature.* 6(7): 342-352.

viii. Ali, A.F. & **Paramasivam, S**. (2016). Ideologies in Mandela's No Easy Walk to Freedom. *International Journal of Applied Linguistics and English Literature*. 5(5): 49-61.

ix. Ali, A.F., **Paramasivam, S**., Tan, B.H. & Ahmad, Z. (2016). Persuasive strategies in Mandela's *No Easy Walk to Freedom*. *International Journal of Applied Linguistics and English Literature*. 5(1): 192-208.

x. Alkhirbash, A., **Paramasivam, S**. & Ahmad, Z. (2014). Aspects of persuasive language in selected speeches of Mahathir Mohamad. *Journal of Language and Communication. 1(1),* 41-57.

d. Pragmatics and Culture

i. Masjedi, N & **Paramasivam, S.** (2018). Complaint and politeness strategies used by Iranian speakers of English. *International Journal of Applied Linguistics and English Literature* 7(3): 38-49. DOI 10.7575/aiac.ijalel.v.7n.3p.38

ii. Zhiping, D., **Paramasivam, S.** & Jalaluddin, I. (2015). Influence of ancient Chinese *li* culture on modern Chinese politeness principles. *Journal of Language and Communication. 2(1),* 15-26.

iii. Ariff Imran, A.Y. & **Paramasivam, S.** (2015). Linguistic sexism and gender stereotypes in the writing of selected Malay male university students. *Journal of Language and Communication. 2(2),* 207-222.

iv. Baudin, N. & **Paramasivam, S.** (2014). Swearing in English among a group of female Malaysian teenagers. *International Journal of Contemporary Applied Sciences. 1(3),* 14-25.

v. Tun Nur Hamizah & **Paramasivam, S.** (2013). Apology strategies by Malay learners of English in a Malaysian university *International Journal of Education and Research 1(10),* 139-152.

vi. Najafabadi, S.A. & **Paramasivam, S**. (2012). Iranian EFL learners' interlanguage request modifications: Use of external and internal supportive moves. *Theory and Practice in Language Studies. 7(2),* 1387-1396.

vii. Zurina, M.N. & **Paramasivam, S.** (2012). Code-switching in *Gol & Gincu. Procedia. 66*, 169-175.

e. Academic Writing and Discourse

i. Paydari, S & **Paramasivam, S**. (2019). Rhetorical move analysis in Political Science research article abstracts in English in Iranian journals. *Journal of Language and Communication*. 6(1): 87-102.

ii. Jalaluddin, I & **Paramasivam, S.** (2015). Differences in correlation between writing self-efficacy and writing performance: implications for addressing diversity among learners. *Sylwan. 159(4),* 261-277.

iii. Jalaluddin, I., **Paramasivam, S**., Husain, S. & Abu Bakar, R. (2015). The consistency between writing self-efficacy and writing performance. *Journal of Language Teaching and Research. 6(3),* 545-552.

9.   Research Grants: 12

	Project No.	Project Title	Role	Year	Source	Status
1	FBMK/0602/JBI06	The construction of physicality in a Malaysian internet chat room	Project Leader	2006	Faculty Research Fund, UPM	COMPLETED
2	SPLB 5315905	Politeness and disagreement in Malay – Japanese business negotiations	Project Leader	2007	Pensyarah Lantikan Baru, UPM (New Lecturer Research Grant, UPM)	COMPLETED
3	FBMK/0701/JBI08	A discourse analysis of the features of radiotelephony communication between air-traffic controllers and pilots in the context of Malaysian aviation	Project Leader	2007	Faculty Research Fund, UPM	COMPLETED

4	FBMK/0701/JBI09	Speech acts for achieving persuasion in Mahathir's speeches	Project Leader	2007	Faculty Research Fund, UPM	COMPLETED
5	06-02-07-0413RU	The discourse of buying and selling unit trusts in Malaysian business communication	Project Leader	2008	Research Uni Grant Scheme, (UPM (RUGS) (4)	COMPLETED
6	06-02-07-0378RU	Masalah interaksi dan cara pelajar berbilang kaum mengatasinya dalam konteks pembelajaran bahasa di sekolah wawasan	Project Member	2008	Research Uni Grant Scheme, (UPM RUGS (4)	COMPLETED
7	06-02-07-0404RU	Pembelajaran bahasa yang menumbuhkan sikap wirausahawan	Project Member	2008	Research Uni Grant Scheme, (UPM RUGS(4)	COMPLETED
8	UKM-GUP-JKKBG-08-01-001	Eastern perspectives of Western discourses of the East	Invited Research Fellow (UKM)	2009	(UKM Research Grant) UKM-GUP	COMPLETED
9	06-01-09-0793RU	A comparative study on language shift in mother tongue of Chinese and Indian community, Malaysia	Project Member	2009	Research Uni Grant Scheme, (UPM RUGS (3)	COMPLETED
10	GP-IPS/2014/9438724	Persuasive discourse in political speeches of Nelson Mandela	Project Leader	2014-2016	Putra Grant, UPM (GP-IPS)	COMPLETED
11	GP-IPS/2015/9450700	Twitterature of bilingual political leader: Language, ideologies and identities	Project Leader	2015-2017	Putra Grant, UPM (GP-IPS)	COMPLETED
12	GP/2017/9581300	Leadership in the discourse of apology	Project Leader	2017-2019	Putra Grant, UPM (GP)	COMPLETED
13		Videoconferencing and social networking as innovation for group learning in higher education	Project Leader	2020	Putra Grant, UPM (GP BERIMPAK)	SUBMITTED / UNDER REVIEW

10. Industrial and Community Engagement

    a.   Test Developer and Rater of Aviation English for Air Traffic Controllers (Project UPM-Dept of Civil Aviation, Malaysia) (UPM-DCA) from 1.6.2007 – 31.12.2008

    b.   Test Developer and Rater of Aviation English for Pilots (Project UPM-English Language Test for Pilots) (UPM-ELTP) from 1.6.2008 – 28.2.2018

c. Training Module Coordinator of Aviation English for Air Traffic Controllers (Project UPM-Dept of Civil Aviation, Malaysia) (UPM-DCA) from 1.6.2007 – 31.12.2008

d. Trainer Aviation English for Air Traffic Controllers (Project UPM-Dept of Civil Aviation, Malaysia) (UPM-DCA) from 1.6.2007 – 31.12.2008

e. Trainer Aviation English for Pilots (Project UPM-English Language Test for Pilots) (UPM-ELTP) from 1.6.2008 – 28.2.2018

f. Impact Study Assessment of Microcredit Loans to Women-in-Need in Selangor conducted for NGOs (TECH Outreach and Women of Will) from 2014-2018

g. Instructor for "Extension Programme with Form 5 Students" at a Malaysian secondary school (Sekolah Menengah Kebangsaan Kompleks KLIA, Nilai, Negeri Sembilan) 10-24 April 2019

11. Selected Conference Presentations

Title of Conference/Seminar	Status of Participation	Venue and Date of conference/seminar	Title of presentation
International Putra Innocreative Poster Competition: International Putra Innocreative Carnival In Teaching And Learning (PICTL) 2020	Poster Presenter (Winner of Silver Medal)	22-27 October 2020 Online (Centre for Academic Development (CADe), Universiti Putra Malaysia)	Communicating and learning through *Whatsapp* as a tool for online synchronous group discussion
International Putra Innocreative Poster Competition: International Putra Innocreative Carnival In Teaching And Learning (PICTL) 2020	Poster Presenter (Winner of Bronze Medal)	22-27 October 2020 Online (Centre for Academic Development (CADe), Universiti Putra Malaysia)	Question-Response in online synchronous videoconferencing classroom
Colloquium on Information Flux and Its Impact on Societal Resilience: A Cause of Conflict or Concord	Resource Person & Paper Presenter	22-23 August 2020 Online (Indian Institute of Information Technology (IIITA), Allahabad, India)	ICT and Group Learning

IATEFL ESPSIG Online Open Forum 2020	Paper Presenter	27 June 2020 Online (International Association of Teaching English as a Foreign Language (IATEFL), Faversham, U.K.)	Communicating and learning through *WhatsApp* group discussion
The 2nd International Conference on Humanities (ICH 2019)	Paper Presenter	30-31 October 2019 School of Humanities, Universiti Sains Malaysia, Penang, Malaysia	Linguistic construction of a winning apology
UKLA 55th International Conference 2019: Literacy and Play for All: Improvisation, possibility and imagination	Paper Presenter	12 -14 July 2019 Sheffied Hallam University, UK	*Whatsapp* as a tool for content learning and development of social interaction skills in group discussions
The International Conference on Creative Teaching, Assessment and Research in the English Language (ICCTAR 2019)	Paper Presenter	26-28 June 2019 Hotel Equatorial, Melaka, Malaysia	Teaching polite requests using speech act analytical framework
BETT Asia Leadership Summit	Chair of Higher Education Stream	12-13 March 2019 Mandarin Oriental Hotel, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	Building a change culture to deliver 21st century learning
Forum for Ethical Review Committees in Asia and the Western Pacific Region (FERCAP)	Paper Presenter	18-21 Nov 2018 Chang Gung Memorial Hospital, Taiwan	Performance indicators after FERCAP recognition
CAES International Conference Faces of English 2: Teaching and Researching Academic and Professional English	Paper Presenter	1-3 June 2017 Centre for Applied English Studies, The University of Hong Kong	Genre analysis of job application letters in Malaysia
4th Linguistic Impoliteness, Aggression and Rudeness Conference	Paper Presenter	12-14 July 2016 Manchester Metropolitan University, Manchester, UK	Leadership discourse in request emails in workplace communication of a Malaysian organization

9th Malaysia International Conference on Languages, Literatures and Cultures (MICOLLAC 2016)	Paper Presenter	16-18 August 2016 Rainbow Paradise Resort, Penang, Malaysia	Propaganda in Mohammad Al-Arefe's manipulative discourse: The presentation of ingroup and outgroup
International Conference on Language and Literature: Retropects and Prospects	Keynote Speaker / Resource Person	4-5 Feb 2016 Bishop Heber College, Tiruchirappalli, Tamilnadu, India	Prospects of Classroom Discourse Analysis
3rd International Conference on English Language Teaching (ICELT) 2013	Paper presenter	18-20 November 2013 Equatorial Hotel Melaka Malaysia	Materials development for speaking skills in aviation English for Malaysian air traffic controllers: Theory and Practice
University of Malaya Conference on Discourse and Society 2012	Paper presenter	27 – 29 June 2012 Intercontinental Hotel, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	Rapport management in air traffic control in Malaysian aviation discourse
European Conference for Academic Disciplines	Paper presenter	28 Nov- 3 Dec 2010 Gottenheim, Germany	An Eastern perspective to the Western discourse on individualism and collectivism of the globalised workplace
10th International Civil Aviation English Association Forum	Invited Speaker	23-24 Nov 2010 Grand Dorsett Subang Hotel, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	Training materials for developing speaking skills in pilots and air traffic controllers: A Malaysian experience
International Symposium The Gaze of the West: Framings of the East	Paper presenter	19-20 August 2009 Equatorial Hotel, Bangi, Selangor, Malaysia	The Occidental Gaze of the Globalised Workplace
7th International Conference on New Directions in the Humanities	Paper presenter	2-5 June 2009 Friendship Hotel, Beijing, China	Under scrutiny: Western frames of the East

Asia Pacific Airline Training Symposium (APATS) 2008	Paper presenter	16-17 Sept 2008 Shangri-La Hotel, Bangkok, Thailand	Oral communication in air traffic control
East Meets West: Advances in Politeness Research	Paper presenter	2-4 July 2008 Hotel Benczur, Budapest, Hungary.	A discourse-oriented model for analysing power and politeness in negotiation interaction
Discourse Communication and the Enterprise (DICOEN) IV	Paper presenter	10-12 Sept 2007 School of English Studies, University of Nottingham, U.K	Politeness and disagreement in Malay-Japanese business negotiations
International Conference on Literacy	Paper presenter	25-27 July 2007 Georgetown Hotel, Penang, Malaysia	Malay cultural values and negotiation talk

12. Selected Invitations as Officer / Guest Speaker

a.   Guest Speaker on *Research Ethics Involving Human Subjects* at Dept of English, Faculty of Modern Languages and Communication, Universiti Putra Malaysia. 2 & 6 March 2020.

b.   Guest Speaker on *Institutional Discourse and Discourse Analysis* at Postgraduate Seminar in Applied Linguistics Lecture Series, Faculty of Modern Languages and Communication, Universiti Putra Malaysia. 13 May 2019.

c.   Guest Speaker on *Research Ethics Involving Human Subjects* at Faculty of Economics and Management, Universiti Putra Malaysia. 28 March 2019.

d.   External Assessor for Doctor of Philosophy in English at Lincoln University College, Petaling Jaya, Selangor, Malaysia 15.10.2018 - 14.10.2021.

e.   External Assessor for Bachelor of Arts English Studies Program at Tunku Abdul Rahman University College, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia 15 Sept 2018 – 15 Sept 2019.

f.   Debate Adjudicator in World Scholar's Cup. Uni Kebangsaan Malaysia. 19-20 June 2018

g.   Guest Speaker on *Discourse Analysis: A Qualitative Research Method* for Postgraduate Students. Multimedia University, Cyberjaya, Selangor, Malaysia   1 October 2015

h.   Guest Speaker on *Discourse Analysis* for Postgraduate Students. Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia, Bangi, Selangor, Malaysia   30 October 2015

i.   Language Trainer *English for Aviation for Air Traffic Controllers* at Malaysian Aviation Academy, Sepang, Selangor, Malaysia 1-5 Feb 2010

j.   Language Trainer *English for Aviation for Air Traffic Controllers* at Malaysian Aviation Academy, Subang, Selangor, Malaysia 26-30 October 2009

k. Language Trainer *English for Aviation for Air Traffic Controllers* at Malaysian Aviation Academy, Subang, Selangor, Malaysia 29-30 June 2009

l. Invited Officer as Module Writer for Distance Learning Program *Introduction to Discourse Analysis,* Centre for External Education, Universiti Putra Malaysia 14 August 2008

m. Guest Speaker on *Approaches to Discourse* for Postgraduate Students. Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia, Bangi, Selangor, Malaysia   26 February 2005.

n. Invited Officer as Team-Writer of *Book Project UPM/Warwick University Academic Link. English Language Proficiency. ODA/British Council.* 1992-1994.

13. Administrative Duties in UPM

Duties	Time Period
External Assessor for Doctor of Philosophy in English at Lincoln University College, Petaling Jaya	15.10.2018 - 14.10.2021
External Assessor for Bachelor of Arts English Studies Program at Tunku Abdul Rahman University College, Kuala Lumpur	15.9.2018 – 15.9.2019
Committee Member of University Ethics for Research involving Humans	1.6.2015 - 30.9.2023
Committee Member of Post Approval Subcommittee for Ethical Review of Research involving Humans	2.9.2015 - 30.9.2021
Head of Social Science Subcommittee for Ethical Review of Research involving Humans	1.10.2018 - 30.9.2020
Committee Member of Thesis Title Review Committee	1.7.2014 - 30.6.2020
Head of Layperson Reviewer Subcommittee for Ethical Review of Research involving Humans	9.1.2017 - 1.6.2018
Committee Member of Self-Assessment Report Preparation for Postgraduate Program Across Departments	7.2.2013 - 6.2.2015
Committee Member of Postgraduate Student Admission (English Language)	21.9. 2011 - 30.6.2012
Coordinator of Graduate Program (English Language)	1.7.2010 - 30.6.2012

14. Membership in International Bodies

    a. Member Secretary of *TECH Outreach* Malaysia (NGO)

    b. Member of International Association of Teaching English as a Foreign Language (IATEFL) English for Specific Purposes Special Interest Group (ESPSIG)

    c. Member of United Kingdom Literacy Association (UKLA)

    d. Member of Primary English Teachers Association Australia (PETAA)

    e. Member of *Malaysian Association of Applied Linguistics* (MAAL)

    f. Member of *Applied Linguistic Association of Korea (ALAK)*

    g. Member of *Linguistic Politeness Research Group*, United Kingdom (*LPRG, UK*)

    h. Member *of International Civil Aviation English Association* (*ICAEA*)

15. Editorial Board Member of Journals

    a. The Asian ESP Journal   www.asian-esp-journal.com/editorial.php

    b. Iranian EFL Journal   www.iranian-efl-journal.com/editorial.php

    c. Progress in Human Computer Interaction
    http://ojs.whioce.com/index.php/phci/about/editorialTeam

    d. International Arab Journal of English for Specific Purposes
    https://revues.imist.ma/index.php?journal=IAJESP

16. Reviewer of Journal Articles: 61 articles

Name of Journal	Title of Article	Year
Journal of Politeness Research: Language, Behaviour, Culture (JPLR)	Intercultural politeness and the co-construction of knowledge: a case study of disagreement in EAP seminar discussions	2020
GEMA Online® Journal of Language Studies	English Get-Passives: Reassessing the Frequencies across Genres	2020
Shanlax International Journal of English	Essay Writing Activities in Class: Bangladeshi Undergraduates' Perspectives	2020
The Asian ESP Journal	Genre analysis of reflective essay: Analysis of moves in reflective journal writing in teacher education program	2020

The Asian ESP Journal	Evaluating English learning syllabus for Maritime vocational school: Towards redesigning a new syllabus	2020
The Asian ESP Journal	Involving company representatives in helping university learners to develop socio-pragmatic competence in English for job interviews	2020
Malaysian Journal of Learning and Instruction	Willingness to communicate in English: Indonesian, Malaysian and Thai secondary school student	2019
Malaysian Journal of Learning and Instruction	Project-Based Learning and Language Arts: The Art of English Teaching through Drama	2019
LSP International	Genre-based Analysis of Travel Guides: A Study on Malaysia, Thailand and the Philippines	2019
English for Specific Purposes	First person pronouns in student dissertations: identity, progress and writer choice	2019
Asian ESP Journal	Learning Culinary English through Food Projects—What do Students Think?	2019
Journal of Language and Communication	Mirroring men in society: Dynamics of images of the 'self' and 'other' in a Malaysian televised show	2018
PERTANIKA Journal of Social Sciences and Humanities	A comparative critical discourse analysis of Hilary Clinton and Donald Trump's language use in US presidential campaign	2018
Journal of Intercultural Communication Research	Predicting civil responsibility from curricular/co-curricular diversity engagement and peer civic talk among final year undergraduates of five Malaysian public universities	2018
ESTEEM Academic Journal	Strategies employed by ESL students in coping with communication difficulties	2018
Journal of Creative Practices in Language Learning and Teaching	Self-regulated learning strategies for text comprehension	2018
The Asian ESP Journal	An Analysis of Generic Structure and Language Patterns in PhD Acknowledgements written in Turkish and English	2018
The Asian ESP Journal	Capturing the Narrative Structure of Flash Fiction by Filipino Writers	2018
The Asian ESP Journal	Listening Difficulties of Low-Proficiency ESL Learners	2018

English for Specific Purposes	Thrown on the mercy of the court: Maladaptive paradigms in Taiwanese students' application documents and the need for ESP	2017
The Asian ESP Journal	Is what students want really what they need? An investigation of stakeholders' perceptions of importance in a foundation program	2017
The Asian ESP Journal	From authentic language study to authentic language output: Assessing the real world potential of ESP tourism student writing	2017
The Asian ESP Journal	Developing a questionnaire for critical needs analysis	2017
The Asian ESP Journal	Reporting Verbs in TESOL Master's Theses Written by Vietnamese Postgraduate Students	2016
Journal of Language and Communication	Analysis of initial sentence elements in method sections of environmental engineering research articles with teaching applications	2016
3L The Southeast Asian Journal of English Language Studies	Replication, Evocation and Revocation of Linguistic Sexism in Translated National Anthems: A Critical Discourse Analysis	2016
Journal of Language and Communication	Language Policy and Planning for English in Malaysia since Independence	2016
International Journal of Society, Culture and Language	The use of insults to challenge political authority in Ghana: A critical discourse analysis	2016
The Asian ESP Journal	Overcoming institutional barriers to establishing an ESP programme: A case report from Japan	2016
The Asian ESP Journal	Evaluating the English Curriculum through Needs Analysis: A Study of Engineering Students at KMUTT- Ratchaburi, Thailand	2016
The Asian ESP Journal	Revisiting the Topical Knowledge of Iranian ESP a EGP Learners in Reading Comprehension: Text Types and Question Types	2016
Issues in Language Studies Journal	Learners' motivation and attitude in video-based listening comprehension classes: The case study of Iranian pre-intermediate EFL learners	2015
Pertanika Journal of Social Science and Humanities	Factors contributing to the speaking of English among secondary school students in Melaka	2015

The Asian ESP Journal	Potential directions for EFL scientific writing scholarship in Japan: Examining the scientific abstract	2015
The Asian ESP Journal	Exploring the gap between the English required at the Vietnamese workplace and materials/methods for English language teaching at the university	2015
Balochistan Journal of Applied Linguistics	Critical analysis of Benazir Bhutto's last speech	2014
The Asian ESP Journal	Visualization of Textual Structure based on Move Analysis of Research Papers	2014
The Asian ESP Journal	Error, Register, Rhetorical-Grammatical, and Genre Analyses on nursing students' case studies and thesis proposals	2014
The Asian ESP Journal	Rhetorical Variation across Research Article Abstracts in Environmental Science and Applied Linguistics	2014
The Asian ESP Journal	Challenges in teaching ESP at medical universities of Iran from ESP stakeholders' perspectives	2014
The Asian ESP Journal	Learning English to fly: A research report on Chinese cargo airline pilots' aviation English learning engagement	2014
Pertanika Journal of Social Science and Humanities	Scientific Ways of Spiritual Message Delivery	2014
The Asian ESP Journal	The discourse structure and linguistic features of research article abstracts in English by Indonesian academics	2013
Pertanika Journal of Social Science and Humanities	Political cartoons in the first decade of the millennium	2012
The Asian ESP Journal	A study of students' perceptions and attitudes towards genre-based ESP writing instruction	2011
The Asian ESP Journal	Action research evaluation: A genre-based approach to teaching the Chinese engineering graduates research articles	2011
Jurnal Kajian Malaysia	Parents' education level and their involvement in their child's education	2011
The Asian EFL Journal	Motivation and attitudes toward learning English in an internet-based informal context: Perceptions of Iranian university students	2011

Pertanika Journal of Social Science	Learning culture of Iranian and Chinese-Malaysian undergraduate students	2011
The Asian ESP Journal	Evaluating English for Academic Purposes in Cameroonian universities	2011
The Asian ESP Journal	A study of the effects of raters' background knowledge and rater training in rating Thai pilots' English speaking proficiency	2010
The Asian ESP Journal	L1 translation use in English courses at university level	2009
The Asian ESP Journal	Changing Perspectives: Teaching the Writing of Job Application Letters using the Process-collaborative approach	2009
The Asian ESP Journal	Citation Practices in TESL Research Articles: A Comparison Study	2009
The Asian ESP Journal	English Workshop for Effective Teleconferencing	2009
Intercultural Pragmatics	Ideology and Body Part Metaphors in Nigerian English	2009
Pertanika Journal of Social Science and Humanities	Discourse Structure of Telephone Enquiries	2008
Asian EFL Journal	Policy and practice in the interface of teaching and testing: The secondary English textbook in Bangladesh	2008
Asian EFL Journal	A Study of the difficulties Chinese EFL students have and the strategies Chinese EFL students use in the reading of English	2008
Asian EFL Journal	Phonological Awareness: Learning to Read among Pre-school Children	2008
Asian EFL Journal	Incorporating Critical Academic Literacy into Project Work Curriculum	2008

17.   Number of Postgraduate Students Supervised

Program	Status	As A Chairman	As A Member	Total
PhD	Graduated	4	7	11
	Ongoing	7	4	11
Master (with thesis)	Graduated	5	2	7
	Ongoing	1	-	1
Master (without thesis)	Graduated	35	-	35
	Ongoing	2	-	2

POSTGRADUATE SUPERVISION

AS MAIN SUPERVISOR

A. PhD (GRADUATED)

No.	Name	Year	Title
1.	Abdul Rahman Alkhirbash	2010	Persuasive language in selected speeches of Tun Dr. Mahathir Mohamad
2.	Shahla Amooaliakbari Najafabadi	2013	Pragmatic development of Iranian English learners across proficiency levels in the performance of the requestive speech act
3.	Ali Abdulhameed Faris	2017	Persuasion and political ideologies in the discourse of Nelson Mandela
4.	Maryam Enjavinezhad	2017	Discursive strategies and ideologies in Mohammad Al-Arefe's manipulative discourse

B. MASTER (WITH THESIS) (GRADUATED)

No.	Name	Year	Title
1.	Narges Masjedi	2017	Pragmatic analysis of complaints by Iranian speakers of English
2.	Sara Seyed Paydari	2017	Rhetorical moves and discourse structure in political science research article abstracts of Iranian journals
3.	Renugah Ramanathan	2018	A comparison of ideologies, discursive strategies and power in the tweets of two political leaders in Asia
4.	Susanna Bithiah Varma d/o Raja Ravi Varma	2018	Speech acts, strategies and leadership values in Obama's apology discourse
5.	Ganeish Balakrishnan	2019	Argumentative structure and persuasive discourse strategies in Malaysian secondary schools English language debates

AS CO-SUPERVISOR

A. PhD (GRADUATED)

No.	Name	Year	Title
1.	Kobra Hosseini	2011	Discursive enactment of power in Iranian high school EFL classrooms
2.	Prasanna Kesavan	2011	Effects of different types of task on learners' choice of communication strategies to enhance speaking ability at a Malaysian polytechnic
3.	Kanthimathi Letchumanan	2012	Vocabulary learning strategies and the effects of game-based techniques on the lexical repertoire of young ESL learners
4.	Jasvir Kaur	2013	Effects of infusing Socratic questions in mind maps on the development of ESL students' writing skills
5.	Md Masudul Hasan	2017	Malaysian ESL undergraduates' learning experience and performance in a Massive Open Online Course on Writing
6.	Premala V. Jacob	2018	Acquisition and interpretation of English articles by L1 Malay and L1 Tamil speakers
7.	Pavani Malaa Meganathan	2020	Incidental and intentional vocabulary learning in the ESL classroom

B. MASTER (WITH THESIS) (GRADUATED)

No.	Name	Year	Title
1.	Muhammad Danish Mohd Johari	2016	Formality shifts in management meetings
2.	Aqilah bt Hj Arshad	2018	Use of Twitter, online forum and blog for collaborative learning among ESL undergraduate learners

POSTGRADUATE SUPERVISION

AS MAIN SUPERVISOR

A. PhD (ONGOING)

No.	Name	Year	Title
1.	Shamila Pathmanathan		Lexical bundles in business research articles of international and Malaysian academic journals
2.	Azu Farhana Anuar		Needs analysis for speaking in workplace communication among chemical engineers
3.	Maxwell Sim Yik Seng		Rhetorical structure of research articles in physiotherapy journals

4.	Suzan Salih Mohammad		Instructional discourse in novice-expert interactions in the oral case presentation within the bedside teaching encounter in a Kurdistan teaching hospital
5.	Zahra Nasirizadeh (Completed Viva Voce in December 2019. Thesis is undergoing revisions)		Genre analysis of rhetorical and metadiscoursal patterns in Forestry research articles
6.	Engku Muhammad Syafiq bin Engku Safruddin		Intercultural communication in an academic setting involving undergraduates at a public Malaysian university
7.	Hussein Walid Hussein Alkhawaja		Comparative discourse analysis of pragmatic and discourse markers used by Malaysian and Arab postgraduate students during oral presentations

C. MASTER (WITH THESIS) (ONGOING)

No.	Name	Year	Title
	Suresh Ramachandiran		Construction of Text and Meaning in Car Magazine Articles In *Hypertune*

AS CO-SUPERVISOR

B. PhD (ONGOING)

No.	Name	Year	Title
1.	Shabina Kumari Subramaniam		Knowledge sharing practices among different generations at workplace
2.	Ahmed Hasani Yassen		Persuasion in the 2016 presidential debates of Trump and Clinton
3.	Rawhi Yousef Salman Alshamalat		Use of cohesive devices in argumentative essays by undergraduate EFL learners
4.	Sa'ad Saleh Hamad		Critical analysis of rhetorical fallacies as persuasive strategy in political speeches of Nouri Al-Maliki

18.   Appointment as Thesis Examiner

Degree	Internal Examiner	External Examiner	Total
Master	15	6	21
PhD	27	13	40

AS EXTERNAL EXAMINER

A. PhD

No.	Name	Year	Title

1	Universiti Utara Malaysia	2019	Moderating role of ESL writing self efficacy on the relationship of ESL writing anxiety and writers' native language with ESL writing performance among university students in Pakistan
2	VIT University, Vellore, Tamil Nadu, India	2019	Effectiveness of CLIL Approach to Impart Content Vocabulary to Hotel Management Students with Reference to Hospitality
3	Bharathidasan University, Tamil Nadu, India	2018	Teaching English effectively using web-based resources at the collegiate level
4	Universiti Malaysia Sarawak	2018	Communication strategies training among Malaysian English language learners: A case study
5	Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia	2017	The Palestinian-Israeli conflict: A corpus-based critical discourse analysis of American and British online media
6	Universiti Teknologi Malaysia	2017	Advice and information giving in HIV counselling by HIV nurse counsellors in Malaysian government hospitals
7	Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia	2016	Hybridity of Thai-Western politeness in online forums
8	Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia	2015	Social categories in intercultural communication: A study of the interactions of local and international students at a private university in Malaysia
9	Annamalai University, Tamilnadu, India	2014	Cultural politics in the novels of Amy Tan
10	Bharathidasan University, Tamilnadu, India	2013	Conflicts from surrounding spaces of the mid-20th century Jewish Montreal ghetto: A new historicist approach to Mordecai Richler's select novels
11	Rathnavel Subramaniam College of Arts and Science, Tamilnadu, India	2013	A comparative study of the effects of the conventional methods of listening and multi-media delivered listening
12	Annamalai University, Tamilnadu, India	2011	Joseph Conrad's Vision of Love
13	Bharathidasan University, Tamilnadu, India	2010	Conflict and reconciliation in the plays of Graham Greene

B. Master

No.	Name	Year	Title
1.	Universiti Teknologi Malaysia	2019	The discourses of flood disaster preparedness in Johor
2.	Universiti Malaya	2019	Primary school teachers' and learners' perspectives on code switching practices in multilingual classrooms : A case study

3.	Universiti Malaya	2012	Humour in meetings: A study of power and solidarity in the Malaysian academic context
4.	Universiti Malaya	2010	A transitivity character analysis of anthropomorphic animals in animal fantasy stories
5.	Universiti Malaysia Sabah	2010	Communicative language teaching in selected schools in Sarawak
6.	Universiti Malaya	2009	Language learning strategies and their links to achievement and motivation of Malay learners of Japanese in a public university in Malaysia

AS INTERNAL EXAMINER

A. PhD

No.	Name	Year	Title
1	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2020	Communication strategies among inbound mobility students at Universiti Putra Malaysia
2	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2020	The effects of self-assessment and teacher feedback on undergraduate students' argumentative writing performance and self-regulated learning
3	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2018	Acquisition of the English articles by L1 Chinese and L1 Malay adult ESL learners
4	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2017	Rhetorical situation, rhetorical appeals and conceptual metaphors in Nursi's Damascus sermon
5	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2017	Sociopolitical functions of newspaper congratulatory announcements in Nigeria
6	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2017	Learner autonomy and English language proficiency among Iranian postgraduate students at selected Malaysian universities
7	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2016	Lexical bundles in social sciences research articles of native and non-native writers

8	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2016	Rhetorical moves and the use of hedges and boosters in editorials of American and Malaysian newspapers
9	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2016	Acquisition of the English articles by L1 Chinese and L1 Malay adult ESL learners
10	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2015	A critical analysis of the discourse of online resistance in Iran
11	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2015	International students' linguistic awareness of Malaysian English and its impact on intercultural communication
12	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2014	A critical and semiotic analysis of the shift in women's roles in action movies and movie posters across three eras of Hollywood
13	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2014	Effectiveness of lecturers' conference feedback on undergraduates composition in the ESL context
14	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2014	The relationship among foreign language anxiety, self-efficacy and listening comprehension of Iranian EFL learners
15	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2014	A critical linguistic reading into the universal appeal of Gibran Khalil Gibran's *The Prophet*
16	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2013	Effects of online automated feedback and teacher written feedback on Form Six ESL students' factual essays
17	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2013	The relationship between anxiety and reading comprehension performance of international students in TEP program at UPM
18	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2012	Discourse realisation of linguistic and non-linguistic features in university parliamentary debate speeches
19	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2012	The discursive construction of Iran in the New York Times
20	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2011	Representation of foreign workers in Malaysian mainstream English newspaper
21	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2011	Functions and effects of instructors' verbal humour in academic ESL classrooms
22	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2011	Acquisition of English articles by L1 Malay and L1 Arabic speakers
23	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2009	Lexis in compositions of ESL college students
24	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2008	The use of metacognitive strategies among post-secondary Malaysian ESL learners
25	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2007	The use of prepositions among ESL learners

No.	Name	Year	Title
26	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2007	Language choice and use in training sessions of selected Malaysian public organisations
27	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2006	The effect of online collaboration on ESL tertiary students' reflective thinking and their writing process
28	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2005	Factors that characterise the effective delivery of online English courses at UNITAR

B. MASTER

No.	Name	Year	Title
1	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2018	Willingness to communicate among Malaysian students
2	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2017	Rhetorical moves in the problem statement section of Iranian postgraduate students' theses
3	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2016	Patterns of L1 (Chinese) and L2 (English) use and interactions between teachers and students in the ESL classroom
4	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2016	Analysis of English language needs of medical students
5	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2015	A critical analysis of the discourse of online resistance in Iran
6	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2015	Attitudes of Malaysian Chinese toward agape love in selected German fairy tales
7	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2014	Performing friendship and negotiating online identities in Facebook
8	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2014	Request strategies used by Malaysian ESL undergraduates of four proficiency levels in a Malaysian public university
9	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2013	The relationship between anxiety and reading comprehension performance of international students in TEP program at UPM
10	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2010	Awareness of multiple intelligences in relation to reading proficiency and gender of Iranian EFL students
11	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2007	Elicited imitation test as a measure of L2 English learners' interlanguage representation of relative clause
12	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2007	A Malaysian perspective towards the learning of literature in English for second language learners
13	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2006	The effects of training argumentative structures on the development ESL students argumentative writing ability

14	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2006	Errors with the English relative clause among Arab English foreign language learners
15	Universiti Putra Malaysia	2006	The Failed Functional Features Hypothesis: Acquisition of English locational and directional prepositions by Malaysian Chinese speakers