

# Dr PRATYUSH CHANDRA

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## Objective:

A passionate teacher, dedicated Life Coach and Motivational Speaker committed to guiding individuals towards personal and professional success through inspiration, empowerment, and transformative coaching.

## Professional Profile:

- Life Coach and Motivational Speaker
  - Empowering individuals to unlock their full potential
  - A teacher by choice

## Key Skills:

- Life Coaching
- Motivational Speaking
- Personal Development
- Goal Setting
- Emotional Intelligence
- Leadership Development

## Work Experience:

### Elocutionist and Life Coach

- Inspires individuals to overcome challenges and achieve personal excellence.
- Conducted more than two dozen motivational seminars and workshops on resilience, goal setting, and personal empowerment.
- Provides one-on-one coaching sessions, guiding clients towards self-discovery, clarity, and goal achievement.

## Academic Experience

- Assistant Professor at VSSD College, Nawabganj Kanpur (April 2023 - present)
- Assistant Professor at P.S.M.P.G. College, Kannauj (2014 - April 2023)
- Associate Professor at Maharana Pratap Engineering College, Kanpur (2005 - 2013)
- Lecturer at Kanpur Institute of Technology, Kanpur (2004 - 2005)
- Honorary Lecturer at Halim Muslim Post Graduate College, Kanpur (2001 - 2004)

- Visiting Faculty at Institute of Company Secretaries of India Kanpur Chapter, Kanpur (2001 - 2006)

## **Additional Qualifications**

- Subject Expert of English, in Madhyamik Siksha Parishad, Uttar Pradesh.

## **Education:**

- Doctor in Philosophy in English Literature, C.S.J.M.U., Kanpur - 2005
- M.A. in English Literature, Christ Church College, CSJM University Kanpur - 2001
  - Secured 70.8% marks, Topped the College Department for the Year 2001.

## **Professional Development**

### **Coaching:**

- Certified Life Coach with a focus on personal development and empowerment.
- Completed intensive training in Emotional Intelligence and Leadership Development.

### **Academic Enrichment:**

- Completed the Orientation Program (CLXIII) with an 'A' grade from U.G.C.H.R.D.C, Aligarh Muslim University.
- Advanced studies in Post-Colonialism and Comparative Literature (Refresher courses with 'A' grades) from U.G.C.H.R.D.C, Ranchi University and Aligarh Muslim University.

### **Skill Acquisition and Technology Integration:**

- Actively participated in various Faculty Development Programs (FDPs) and online courses.
- Proficient in utilizing technology for online coaching sessions, resource management, and creating interactive coaching materials.

### **Quantifiable Impact:**

- Guided numerous clients towards achieving their personal and professional goals.
- Received positive testimonials from clients, praising my ability to create a supportive and empowering coaching environment.

### **Ongoing Learning:**

- Continuously seeking professional development opportunities to stay updated on the latest coaching trends and methodologies.
- Dedicated to providing clients with the highest quality coaching experience, tailored to their individual needs and aspirations.

### **Research Papers:**

Published research papers in reputed journals on topics ranging from postcolonial readings of literary works to themes in Canadian literature and translation in comparative literature.

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## Research Papers:

Joseph Conrad in the Light of Postcolonialism

- Academic Social Research (Vol. 3, Part 2, Impact Factor: 3.231)
- Examines Joseph Conrad's work through a postcolonial lens, focusing on his representation of colonialism and its impact on individuals and societies.

A Postcolonial Re-reading of Jane Austen's "Mansfield Park"

- Academic Social Research (Vol. 4, Part 1, Impact Factor: 3.231)
- Revisits Jane Austen's classic novel from a postcolonial perspective, analyzing its portrayal of power dynamics and social hierarchies.

Sri Aurobindo's "Confucianism in Savitri"

- Academic Social Research (Vol. 4, Part 1, Impact Factor: 3.231)
- Delves into Sri Aurobindo's epic poem "Savitri," exploring how it incorporates and interprets Confucianism within its spiritual framework.

Myth and Mundane Affairs in Grish Karnad's "Naga-Mandala"

- The Gunjan (Vol. 2, Issue 8)
- Explores the interplay of myth and everyday life in Grish Karnad's play "Naga-Mandala," highlighting its thematic significance.

A Critical Analysis of Humanity in the Stories of Indira Goswami

- The Interiors (Vol. 8, Impact Factor: 4.95)
- Examines how Indira Goswami's short stories portray human nature, focusing on themes of compassion, resilience, and the challenges faced by marginalized communities.

The theme of Wilderness in the Works of Catherine Parr Traill and Susanna Moodie

- Research Discourse (Vol. X, January-March 2020, Impact Factor: 5.540)
- Analyzes the representation of the wilderness in the writings of Catherine Parr Traill and Susanna Moodie, exploring its role in shaping Canadian identity and gender roles.

Theory and Practice of Translation in Comparative Literature

- Research Discourse (Vol. XI, Oct-Dec 2021, Impact Factor: 6.650)
- Examines the theoretical and practical aspects of translation within the field of comparative literature, discussing its challenges and contributions to intercultural understanding.

Facing the Challenges of Feminism: Women and American English

- Unmesh (Vol. VIII, Nov 2021-April 2022, Impact Factor: 4.101)
- Explores the relationship between feminism and the evolution of American English, analyzing the linguistic expressions and challenges faced by women in American society.

## FDP Programs:

- Three-day National online Faculty development program on "Mentoring Skills" organized by the Department of Political Science and Journalism, Maris Stella College, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh from 1st – 3rd June 2020.
- Two weeks F.D.P. on "Advanced Concepts for Developing MOOCs" FROM July 2nd- July 17th, 2020. Organized by Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi.

One-week National online F.D.P. on I.C.T. Tools for Effective Teaching Learning Process from 27th April to 2nd May 2020.

## **Presentations and Workshops:**

State Level Seminar/Workshop: "Capacity Building for IQAC in Higher Education" (March 25, 2017), organized by the Department of Higher Education, Uttar Pradesh.

National Seminar: "NAAC Assessment and Accreditation: Issues, Challenges, and Opportunities" (December 2, 2016), held at C.S.J.M. University, Kanpur.

Short Term Course: "Environmental Economics & EIA" (July 11-12, 2005), sponsored by CDTE/QIP at I.I.T. Kanpur.

49th All India English Teachers' Conference (January 28-30, 2005).

First International Workshop-cum-Seminar: "Technical Communication and ELT" (February 27-28, 2006), University of Lucknow.

National Conference on Soft Skills in the LPG Era (January 31, 2010), organized by Krishna Girls Eng. College, Kanpur.

National Conference on Techno-Lingual Communication (December 21-22, 2010), organized by Pranveer Singh Institute of Technology, Kanpur.

## **Additional Activities:**

- Workshop on Writing Research Papers/Scholarly Articles (August 29-30, 2009), Kishori Ram Teachers Training College, Mathura.

## **Motivational Speaking Engagements:**

- Featured speaker at national conferences and events on topics related to communication skills, personal growth, resilience, and achieving success.

## **Client Testimonials:**

"Pratyush Chandra's coaching sessions have been truly transformative. His motivational talks are not only inspiring but also provide practical insights for personal and professional development." - HOD, English, VSSD College, Kanpur.

## **Seminar/Workshops/Short Term Courses:**

- Participation and paper presentations in various national and state-level seminars and workshops on topics related to education, soft skills, and technology.

## **Supervisions:**

- Supervised M.Phil Dissertations for Vinayaka Mission University on various literary topics.

## **Personal Information:**

- Date of Birth: 5th December 1977
- Father: Mr. Girish Chandra, M.A., L.L.B., P.G.D.B.A., retired as an officer from the Directorate of Higher Education, Uttar Pradesh.
- Marital Status: Married
- Nationality: Indian
- Languages Known: Hindi and English

### **I'm not just an academic - I'm a personal growth catalyst.**

As a Ph.D. in English Literature and seasoned Life Coach, I bridge the gap between theory and action, empowering you to achieve your full potential. My blend of academic expertise, practical coaching experience, and continuous learning (emotional intelligence, leadership) means I offer a holistic approach to life coaching that gets results.

### **Forget dry lectures, embrace transformation.**

I honed my communication and leadership skills guiding young individuals and my published research in reputed journals speaks for itself. However, my true passion lies in unlocking individual potential through personalized coaching.