



DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS

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A. PUBLICATIONS IN JOURNALS

2015

1. Dkhar, G. D. (2015). *Patterns of Language Choice in Shillong* — International Journal of Dravidian Linguistics.

2018

2. Dkhar, G. D. (2018). *Socio-Psychological Aspects of Language Contact: A Case Study of the Khasis in Byrnihat* — International Journal of Dravidian Linguistics.
3. Dkhar, G. D. (2018). *Linguistic Landscaping, Language Ideology and Language Policy: The Case Study of Meghalaya* — Indian Journal of Applied Linguistics.

2019

4. Dkhar, G. D. (2019). *Study of Limestone Mine Spoilage Affecting the Diversity of Naturally Occurring Plant Species of Mawsmmai (Meghalaya), India* — World Journal of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences. (Co-authored)
5. Dkhar, G. D. (2019). *Code-Switching in Standard Khasis: A Comparative Account of Urban Versus Rural Speech Behavior in Meghalaya* — International Journal of Applied Linguistics.
6. Dkhar, G. D. (2019). *Socio-Psychology of Language Contact and Identity: The Case Study of Khasi in the National and International Borders of Meghalaya* — International Journal of Applied Linguistics.

2020

7. Dkhar, G. D. (2020). *Visibility of Languages in the Urban Eco-sphere: A Case Study of Lucknow* — International Journal of Dravidian Linguistics. (Co-authored)

8. Dkhar, G. D. (2020). *Perspective of Code Mixing in a Multilingual City, Shillong, India* — International Research Journal of Social Science.
9. Dkhar, G. D. (2020). *Importance of Language-Learning for Better Teaching-Learning Experience: Findings and Implication* — International Journal on Language, Research and Education Study.

2022

10. Dkhar, G. D. (2022). *Ethno-Linguistic Vitality: The Case Study of the Khasis in the National and International Borders of Meghalaya* — International Journal of Dravidian Linguistics.
11. Dkhar, G. D. (2022). *Language Choice in a Language Contact Situation: The Case Study of the Khasis in the International Border of Meghalaya-Bangladesh* — Quest Journal of Research in Humanities and Social Science.

2023

12. Dkhar, G. D. (2023). *Ethno-Linguistic Vitality: The Case Study of the Khasis in the National and International Borders of Meghalaya* — International Journal of Dravidian Linguistics.
13. Dkhar, G. D. (2023). *Code-Mixing and switching in Khasi Computer Mediated Communication* — Aligarh Journal of Linguistics.
14. Dkhar, G. D. (2023). *Language Contact and Language Choice in an Inter-state Context: The Case of Meghalaya-Assam Border* — Explorations e-journal of the Indian Sociological Society.

2024

15. Dkhar, G. D. (2024). *Language Contact and Multilingualism in Tamabil: A Case Study of the Khasis* — Guineis Journal.
16. Dkhar, G. D. (2024). *Navigating Identity: A Study of the Khasis in Meghalaya's Multilingual Borderlands* — Indian Journal of Language and Linguistics.
17. Dkhar, G. D. (2024). *The Impact of Media on Youth in Shillong: A Socio-Cultural and Linguistic Perspective* — Studies in Linguistics, Culture and FLT.

B. BOOK

1. Dkhar, G. D. (2024). *Exploring Language Contact in the Borders of Meghalaya*. United Kingdom: Cambridge Scholars Publisher.

C. CO-AUTHORED BOOK

1. Dkhar, G. D. (2019) et.al . *A glimpse of some of the Austro-Asiatic languages in India*. EPH Publication.

D. BOOK REVIEWER

1. Saklani, D. P., Mohan, S., Brahma, A., & War, G. (2024) '**Ka Kot Hikai Thoh Bad Pule Khasi**. CIIL, Mysuru in collaboration with NCERT, New Delhi.

E. BOOK CHAPTERS

2016

1. Dkhar, G. D. & Singh, S. K. (2016). Linguistic Landscaping in Multilingual Shillong. In Singh, S. K and Lyngdoh, S. A. (Eds). In War, J. et.al (Eds.). *Austro-Asiatic linguistics of North-East India*. EPH Publication.

2017

2. Dkhar, G. D. (2017). Perceived Ethnolinguistic Vitality of the Khasi in Shillong: A Socio-Psychological Study. In Singh, S. K. et.al (Eds.). *Spheres of Indian sociolinguistics*. Delhi: Lakshi Publishers.
3. Dkhar, G. D. (2017). A Social Psychological Study of Khasi-Nepali Contact Situation in Jhalupara: A Case Study. In Singh, S. K and Lyngdoh, S. A. (Eds). *Syntactic Typology: Language Contact and Convergence*. EPH Publication.

2018

4. Dkhar, G. D. (2018). Perceived Ethno-Linguistic and Cultural Identity of the Khasi tribe in Shillong: A Socio-Psychological and Linguistic Perspective. In Kharchandy, D. A. (Ed.). *Understanding the Tribes of Asia*. Lakshi Publishers.
5. Dkhar, G. D. (2018). Subjective Ethnolinguistic Vitality of Khasi: The Case of the International Borders of Meghalaya. In K. Pattanayak & A. K. Tripathi (Eds.), *Indian Languages and Culture: A Debate*. Centre for Endangered Languages, Visva-Bharti.

2019

6. Dkhar, G. D. et.al. (2019). Pohchnong and Pohskur: The Linguistic Distinctions in Pnar. In *A Glimpse of some of the Austro-Asiatic Languages in India*. EPH Publication.
7. Dkhar, G. D. (2019). Lexical Borrowing and Interference in the National Borders of Meghalaya: A Case Study of the Khasis in Byrnihat. In Singh, S. K. et.al (Eds). *A glimpse of some of the Austro-Asiatic languages in India*. EPH Publication.

F. PAPER PRESENTED/THEME SPEAKER

2015

1. Dkhar, G. D. (2015, November 23). *A Social Psychological Study of Khasi-Nepali Language Contact Situation in Jhalupara: A Case Study*. Paper

presented at the International Conference on Syntactic Typology: Language Contact and Convergence, Department of Linguistics, **NEHU, Shillong**, India.

2016

2. Dkhar, G. D. (2016, June 9). *Sociolinguistic Implication of Code Mixing and Code Switching in Shillong*. Paper presented at the International Conference on Himalayan Language Symposium, **IIT Guwahati**, India.
3. Dkhar, G. D. (2016, November 4). *Implication of Ethno-Linguistic and Cultural Identity of the Khasi Tribe in Shillong: A Socio-Psychological and Linguistic Study*. Paper presented at the International Seminar on Understanding the Tribes of Asia, **Synod College**, Shillong, India.
4. Dkhar, G. D. (2016, November 12). *Word Order Typology in Jingphaw: A Tibeto-Burman Language*. Paper presented at the 38th International Conference of the Linguistic Society of India (ICOLSI 38), **IIT Guwahati**, India.
5. Dkhar, G. D. (2016, November 22). *Pohchnong and Pohskur: The Linguistic Distinction in Pnar*. Paper presented at the SEACAAL Conference, **NEHU, Shillong**, India.
6. Dkhar, G. D. (2016, November 22). *Lexical Borrowing and Interference in the National Border of Meghalaya: A Case Study of the Khasi in Byrnihat*. Paper presented at the SEACAAL Conference, **NEHU, Shillong**, India.

2017

7. Dkhar, G. D. (2017, February 23). *Importance of Language Learning for Better Teaching-Learning Process*. Paper presented at the National Conference on Quality Education, **NERIE**, Shillong, India.
8. Dkhar, G. D. (2017, June 21). *Analyzing Linguistic Landscaping of Different Vehicles in Shillong: Meaning, Component and Structure*. Paper presented at the International Conference on Linguistic Landscaping, **NEHU**, Shillong, India.
9. Dkhar, G. D. (2017, June 23). *Ideology of Linguistic Landscaping and Policy: The Case Study of Meghalaya*. Paper presented at the International Conference on Linguistic Landscaping, **NEHU**, Shillong, India.
10. Dkhar, G. D. (2017, July 21). *Autism Spectrum Disorder and Language Impairment: A Case Study of Shillong*. Paper presented at the COIN 2017 Conference, **NIT Meghalaya**, India.
11. Dkhar, G. D. (2017, July 22). *Media and Religion: Its impact on Culture, Language and Identity—The Current Trends of the Khasis in Shillong*. Paper presented at the COIN 2017 Conference, **NIT Meghalaya, India**.

2018

12. Dkhar, G. D. (2018, May 8). *Contact and Ethnolinguistic Vitality: The Case of International Borders of Meghalaya*. Paper presented at the International Conference on Endangered Languages of Delhi NCR, **NLU Delhi**, India.

2019

13. Dkhar, G. D. (2019, June 6). *Physio-Chemical and Bacteriological Analysis of Portable Water: A Case Study of Lawmali Area, Shillong*. Paper presented at the International Conference on Understanding Water Crises, **Synod College**, Shillong, India.
14. Dkhar, G. D. (2019, June 7). *Arbuscular Mycorrhiza Fungi in Alleviating Water and Nutrient Stress Tolerance in Plants Colonizing Limestone Mine Spoils of Mawsmali, Meghalaya*. Paper presented at the International Conference on Understanding Water Crises, **Synod College**, Shillong, India.
15. Dkhar, G. D. (2019, October 19). *Language, Culture and Identity: Some Theoretical Postulations*. Paper presented at the COIN 2019 Conference, **NIT Meghalaya**, India.
16. Dkhar, G. D. (2019, October 25). *Eight Schedule: The Language Status of Khasi*. Paper presented at the International Language Fest of Indigenous and Endangered Languages, **NEHU**, Shillong, India.
17. Dkhar, G. D. (2019, October 26). *An Ethnolinguistic Vitality Perspective of Khasi Indigenous Language in Byrnihat*. Paper presented at the same conference, **NEHU**, Shillong, India.

2022

18. Dkhar, G. D. (2022, November 20). *Language Policy and Repression: Some reflections in the Linguistic Landscaping of Meghalaya*. Paper presented at the National Conference on Genocides and Oppression: Interpretations, Intersections, and Interstices (COIN- 2022). Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, **NIT**, Meghalaya, India

2023

19. Dkhar, G. D. (2023, September 28). *Impact of Migration on Socio-Economics and Linguistic Development of the Khasis in the International Borders of Meghalaya*. Paper presented at the International Conference on Urban Imaginaries, **Ribhoi College**, Meghalaya, India.
20. Dkhar, G. D. (2023, October 26). *Tamabil: Exploring the socio-cultural and linguistic dynamics of the Khasis*. Paper presented at the ICALL Conference, **Chiang Mai University, Thailand**.

2024

21. Dkhar, G. D. (2024, August 22). *Migration's impact on Meghalaya's borders: A socio-cultural, economic and linguistic perspective*. Paper presented at the

National Seminar on Inter/Multi-Disciplinarity, **ICFAI University**, Meghalaya, India.

G. RESOURCE PERSON / INVITED LECTURES

2021

1. Dkhar, G. D. (2021, December 15). *Linguistic field research with special reference to Tibeto-Burman languages*. Invited lecture, Department of Linguistics, **NEHU**, Shillong, India.

2024

2. Resource Person in Invited lecture on a 10 Day workshop on Enhancing Research Competency organized by the Department of Linguistics, **NEHU**, Shillong on 14-26 of March, 2024.

2025

3. Dkhar, G. D. (2025). *The Role of Idioms in Preserving Traditional Ecological Knowledge and Cultural Heritage of the Khasis*. Invited lecture (Resource person) at the International Seminar on Indian Linguistic Tradition and Indigenous Knowledge System, **NEHU**, Shillong, India.

H. TRANSLATION

1. Translation of “*Ki Kyndon Ain*” of the *POCSO Act, 2012*. **Meghalaya State Commission for Protection of Child Rights**.

I. WORKSHOP/ TRAINING PROGRAM

2024

1. Participated in the *NPTEL Awareness Workshop*, conducted by NPTEL, **IIT Madras** in association with **NEHU**, Shillong, Meghalaya, June 28, 2024.

2023

2. Participated in a 1-day Workshop on “*Implementation, Development and Promotion of Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs)*”, organized by North-Eastern Hill University (**NEHU**), Shillong, April 20, 2023.

2022

3. Participated in a 1-day Workshop on “*Developing Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs)*”, organized by North-Eastern Hill University (**NEHU**), Shillong, September 1, 2022.
4. Participated in a 3-day International Workshop on “*Academic Writing and Publishing*”, organized by the Department of English, Institute of Aeronautical Engineering, **Hyderabad**, August 4–6, 2022.

5. Participated in a 2-day Workshop on “*Linguistic Issues in Speech Processing Research of Under-Resourced Languages*”, organized jointly by **IIT Dharwad, and IITL Guwahati**, February 2–3, 2022.

2019

6. Participated in a 2-day Workshop on “*Adopting, Promotion and Development of MOOCs through SWAYAM Platform*”, organized by North-Eastern Hill University (NEHU), Shillong, September 28-29, 2019.

2017

7. Participated in a 5-day Training-cum-Workshop on “*Testing and Evaluation and Question Item Writing*”, conducted by National Testing Service India in collaboration with the Department of Linguistics, NEHU, Shillong.

2016

8. Participated in a 3-day Workshop on “*Austro-Asiatic Languages*”, organized by the Department of Linguistics, NEHU, Shillong in collaboration with CIIL (Mysore), ICSSR-NER (Shillong), Lakshi Publishers (New Delhi), and Eastern Book House (Guwahati).
9. Participated in a 5-day Orientation Programme for *Scheduled Tribe Teachers of Meghalaya*, organized by the Department of Linguistics, NEHU, Shillong in collaboration with Central Institute of Indian Languages (CIIL), Mysore.

2015

10. Participated in a 2-day Symposium on “*Story Telling and Women’s Writing*”, organized by Sahitya Akademi in association with the Department of English, NEHU, Shillong.
11. Participated in a 4-day Workshop on “*Syntactic Typology: Language Contact and Convergence*”, organized by the Department of Linguistics, NEHU, Shillong.

J. FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS (FDPs)

2022

1. Participated in a Professional Development Webinar on “*Ushering Shakuntala into the Modern World*”, organized by the English Language Teachers’ Association of India (ELTAI), February 27, 2022.

2021

2. Participated in a Professional Development Webinar on “*Theatre in English Language Classroom*”, organized by ELTAI, August 8, 2021.

3. Participated in a 6-day AICTE-sponsored Short-Term Course on “*Fundamentals of Language Science*”, organized by the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, IIT Madras, March 22–27, 2021.

2020

4. Participated in a 7-day Online Faculty Development Program on “*Contemporary Research Methods in Linguistics and Literature: Sampling and Analytical Methods of Scientific Perspectives*”, organized by the Department of Linguistics, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore, July 15–21, 2020.

2019

5. Participated in a 2-day Workshop on “*Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs): Adoption, Promotion and Development through SWAYAM Platform*”, organized by NEHU, Shillong, May 28–29, 2019.