## Conferences organised by the Department of English

The Department organized its first two-day National Conference on the theme, 'New Areas of Research in the English Language and Teaching: Challenges and Perspectives' on 3rd and 4th March 2009 at MANUU.

The Department organized its second two-day National Conference on the theme, 'New Perspectives in Non-Native Literatures in English' on 23rd and 24th March 2010 at MANUU.

The Department organized its third two-day National Conference on the theme 'New Directions in Comparative Literature' on 9th and 10th March 2011 at MANUU. The Department organized its fourth two-day National Conference on the theme, 'Language Literature and Society – Influences and Counter Influences' on 17thand 18th February 2016.

The Department organized an International Conference in collaboration with Caesurae Collective Society from 9th to 11th October 2018 on the theme, 'Translation Across Borders: Genres and Geographies'.

The Department organized an International Conference in collaboration with Comparative Literature Association of India (CLAI) from 11th to 14th March 2019 on the theme, 'Studying South Asian Narratives through Pluralist and Dialogic Frames'.

The Department organized a Two-Day International Conference on "Translating Cultures: Exploring the Intersections of Language and Literature" at MANUU, Hyderabad, on 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> May, 2023.

In collaboration with the National Translation Mission, conducted a six-day Skill Development Workshop on Translation, from 22<sup>nd</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> May, 2023.

On August 26, 2024, a Pre-Conference Workshop, titled "Information Digital Learning of English (IDLE) and Generative AI in Language Teaching and Research," was held at MANUU. The workshop featured Dr. Pramod Sah and Dr. Ju Seong Lee, both from the Department of English, The Education University of Hong Kong, as resource persons. Prof. Panchanan Mohanty, Prof. Syed Imtiaz Hasnain, Prof. Shagufta Shaheen and Prof. K. Nagendra graced the occasion. Dr. Ju Seong Lee's lively and engaging presentation highlighted the growing role of AI in English language teaching and research, providing valuable insights about Informal Digital Learning of English.

Celebrating the core principles of the National Education Policy 2020, the Department of English, Maulana Azad National Urdu University; the Centre for Languages and Multicultural Communication, Woxsen University; and the Centre for Applied Linguistics and Translation Studies, University of Hyderabad, jointly organized the Three-day International Conference on "Voices of India and Beyond: Mobility, Sustainability & Technology" on 28th, 29th, and 30th of August, 2024 at MANUU, Woxsen, and University of Hyderabad, respectively. The Conference was organized in academic collaboration with the Central Institute of Indian Languages (CIIL), Mysuru; the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR); and the Institute of Eminence, University of Hyderabad.