



**Dr. Rucha A. Brahmbhatt**  
**Head of English Department**  
(Former Officiating Principal)

Dr. Rucha Brahmbhatt started her academic career with the Department of English, Samarpan Arts and Commerce College in 1996. She completed M.Phil. and Ph.D. under Professor Dr. Ranjana Harish (Head, Dept. of English, School of Languages, Gujarat University) in the area of Women's Writing. During Ph.D. she was offered position of Associate Researcher at Hadasah-Branderis Insititute, Brandeis University, Massachusetts, USA. In 2019, she completed certificate course on the 'Science of Well Being' offered by Yale University, USA.

She taught at Post Graduate (M.A.) Department of English, University School of Languages, Gujarat University and at Shree H. K. Arts College. Since 2012 she has been guiding Ph.D. Students and until now four students have been conferred the Degree of Ph.D. from Gujarat University. In 2013, she voluntarily joined the editorial team of refereed journal 'Shabdasar' listed on UGC. She has published a numbers of critical articles, translations and few creative works. One of her poems has been published in an anthology by National Library of Poetry (USA) edited by Laura Fiorini and Alyssa Stokes. Dr. Brambhatt has three books on her name.

In 2020, she was appointed as a member on the Ph.D. Expert Panel by School of Liberal Studies, Pandit Deendayal Energy University (PDEU). In 2017, She was nominated on the Women's Development Cell at PDEU. She has rendered her services to Board of Studies in English at Gujarat University and at KCG. She has been serving as the language expert for Gujarat State Board of School Textbooks, Gandhinagar since 2012. She regularly contributes in creating academic e-content on various digital platforms.

Dr. Rucha Brahmbhatt has presented papers at many International and National conferences including her visit to the ASU, USA in 2017.

Her administrative experience in academia includes position of the Officiating Principal of Samarpan Arts and Commerce College from 2013-2018 and cordinator of IGNOU Study Centre-0911 between 2012 and 2018.

Her interest in women's studies extends to her involvement with many NGOs and lectures on women's issues. Her interviews/opinions have been published by reputed women's magazines. She has been regularly invited by All India Radio for the past 30 years to deliver talks on various educational-social awareness issues and for poetry recital on the eve of the Republic Day.





'Samarpan Gaurav Puraskar' Awarded by Hon'ble Shree 'Bapu' (September 05, 2018)



(Magazine) Femina Interview May 2013



Invited at 16th WSC, 2015 : Bangkok - Thailand



At Arizona State University, 2017 as International Research Scholar



At Central Sahitya Akademi National Colloquium, 2011



WILPF - INDIA Seminar, Resource Person, 2010



With Renowned Author Shobha De, 2011



With Renowned Author 'Bama', 2011