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Dr. Korra Balu Naik is working as Assistant Professor, Department of Linguistics, Osmania University, Hyderabad and having 11 years of teaching and research experience in linguistics. Completed his M.Sc (Maths), B.Ed. (Maths), MA & PhD in Linguistics. He is supervising 3 PhD research scholars and guided more than 16 MA Dissertations.

He was awarded PhD, Gold Medal in Linguistics **“Socio-Cultural perspective of Lambada Language in Telangana”** from Potti Sreeramulu Telugu University, Hyderabad.

Presently serving as Vice-Principal, NSS Program Officer for UCA&SS, OU, served as warden, additional chief warden and various academic and administrative responsibilities. He successfully completed the assignments allotted to him by the university.

As a Coordinator & Co-Coordinator, he organised various National & International Conferences, Seminars, Workshops & Webinars.

He Coordinated & Co-Coordinated Online Refresher Course on Language and Linguistics, organized by MMTTC, Osmania University.

He has been awarded ICSSR Major Research Project titled “Ethnolinguistics Portrayal: A Comparative Study of Savara and Gondi Tribal Paintings and Cultural Representation”, with grant-in-aid of Rs 20 Lacs by ICSSR, March 2024 for which he is also coordinator.

He was also Editor for the OPiL journal, Vol. 41 (2015) & Vol. 48&49 (2022-2023) – Osmania Papers in Linguistics (OPiL, Estd: 1972).

He has published 13 Research Papers in UGC Care List Journals/Peer reviewed journals and he is also examiner for MPhil & PhD Dissertations.

He has presented 14 papers in various international and national conferences, seminars, workshops and delivered talk in UGC MMTTC (Formerly known as HRDC), Osmania University.

He also authored and published a book titled **“Socio-Cultural perspective of Lambada Language in Telangana”** funded by PSTU, Hyderabad.

His research interest areas include Sociolinguistics, Tribal Linguistics, Systemic Functional Linguistics (SFL), Translation and Tribal Studies, Language Documentation and others. His teaching

areas include Structure of Telugu, Lexicography, Phonetics, Historical Linguistics, Language Family, Language Teaching Methods, Morphology, etc.

He is also member of Linguistics Society of India (LSI) & Dravidian Linguistics Association (DLA).