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Academic Profile

Dr. Prateek Mali is an Assistant Professor in Indian Languages (Hindi) at the Centre for Multi-disciplinary Development Research (CMDR), Dharwad, Karnataka. His research focuses on Indian languages, multilingual education, translation studies, language policy, and interdisciplinary social science research, with particular emphasis on the status and development of Hindi in South India.

His academic interests explore the contributions of Indian thinkers, social reformers, and literary figures—including Mahatma Gandhi, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, Swami Vivekananda, Mahatma Jyotirao Phule, Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya, Basavanna,Kanakadasaru, Kuvempu, S. L. Bhyrappa, Subramania Bharati, and other eminent thinkers—to language, education, social reform, cultural identity, and nation-building. He emphasizes the role of Indian languages in knowledge production, cultural dialogue, and social inclusion. He has contributed to language education policy initiatives in Karnataka and conducts research on Indian languages and social inclusion in Karnataka's border regions. He also served as Guest Editor of Dialogues in Bharatiya Bhasha, CMDR Journal, Volume 2, Issue 3, December 2025.

Research Interests

Indian Languages; Hindi Language and Literature; Multilingual Education; Translation Studies; Indian Knowledge Systems (IKS); Language Policy; Cultural Studies; and Language, Society and Social Inclusion.

Education

Ph.D. in Hindi, Karnatak University, Dharwad (2024); M.A.; B.Ed.; and Postgraduate Diploma in Translation.

Professional Engagement

- Member, Hindi Advisory Committee, Ministry of Defence, Government of India.
- Member, NEP 2020 Language Education Position Paper Team, Government of Karnataka.

Languages

Kannada, Hindi, Marathi, and English.

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