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Mastery of English has become very important all around the world. We have a long history of teaching and learning English in India. Yet we also recognize the need to upgrade our teaching methods, textbooks, examination formats, classroom interaction, using English in real life situations, and teaching various disciplines through English and so on. We need to help our first generation students in all levels of education to learn and improve their skills in using English to meet the challenge of globalization in all economic and social activities.

I am glad that the Department of English, Theni Kammavar Sangam College of Technology continues its pursuit to identify new perspectives in teaching and learning English through annual national seminars. This volume presents the Select Papers Presented in the National Conference on NEW PERSPECTIVES IN ELT – 2018. These papers are now made available through a leading international online journal Language in India www.languageinindia.com for the benefit of teachers, textbook writers, research scholars doing research on teaching and learning English as a Second/Foreign Language. I am very happy that the papers contained in this volume focus on problems faced by rural and bilingual students as well.

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