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### **Endowment Lecture Report**

**Name of the Faculty** : Humanities  
**Name of the Department** : English  
**Name of the Endowment** : Rabindranath Tagore Endowment  
**Year of establishment** : 2020

**Title of the Endowment Lecture** : Changing Paradigm in Comparative Literature

**Resource Person's Name and Designation** : Dr. K. Chellappan, Formerly Director, State  
Institute of English, Chennai

**Date & Venue** : 07.03.2020 & Seminar Hall – VII

**Report of the Lecture** :

The Department of English organized a **First Rabindranath Tagore Endowment Lecture** entitled “**Changing Paradigm in Comparative Literature**” on **07.03.2020**. **Dr. K. Chellappan, Formerly Director, State Institute of English, Chennai** acted as a resource person. The motto of the endowment is to utilize the interest of literary thirst found among the Literature students for conducting seminars and research activities. The resource person had spoken about the comparative literature. He gave detailed description on Comparative Literature, National Literature, World Literature and General Literature. He also spoke about the different schools of Comparative Literature like the French School, the American school. Dr. K. Chellappan, who carried out his Ph.D. in Comparative Literature on Shakespeare and the Tamil poet, Illangovadigal, brought a vivid picture on comparing the English Poems with Tamil Poems and the ideologies of the English writers with the Tamil writers. The Endowment Lecture was a useful one. Both the faculty and the students liked the programme. The event was a success, and ended with a feedback session.



Department of English organized Endowment Lecture on 07.03.2020 in Seminar Hall VII, Dr. K. Chellappan, Formerly Director, State Institute of English, Chennai was the resource person for the lecture