

Announcement

49th ALL INDIA CONFERENCE OF DRAVIDIAN LINGUISTS

Organized by

Department of Linguistics, Faculty of Arts, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi

Dravidian Linguistic Association of India and

International School of Dravidian Linguistics, Thiruvananthapuram

28th to 30th June, 2022

Call for Papers

The 49th All India Conference of Dravidian Linguists (AICDL) is scheduled to be held at Department of Linguistics, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi (PIN-221005) from June 28-30, 2022.

The areas to be deliberated upon at the Conference are as follows:

Phonetics, Phonology, Morphology, Syntax, Semantics, Pragmatics, Applied Linguistics; Dravidian Linguistics, Language Pathology, Linguistic Typology, Historical & Comparative Linguistics, Language Contact, Computational Linguistics, Sociolinguistics, NEP, Language Teaching & Testing, Endangered Languages & Lesser Known Languages, Indo-Aryan and Austro-Asiatic Studies, Writing Systems, Artificial Intelligence, Translation Studies, Cognitive & Psycholinguistics, Media & Discourse Analysis, Forensic Linguistics, Field Linguistics, Indian Classical Languages, Indian Grammatical Tradition, Language Acquisition, Brain and Language, Clinical Linguistics, Speech Synthesis, Mathematical Linguistics, Semiotics, Stylistics, Neurolinguistics, Folkloristics, Tribal Studies, Cultural Studies, Manuscriptology, Lexicography, Corpus Linguistics and Palaeography.

***Conference Sessions:**

Mainly offline but online facility will also be arranged. The Registration will be same for both offline and online presentations.

Local Organizing

Committee:

Organizing Secretary:

Dr. Abhinav Kumar

Mishra

Joint Organizing

Secretaries:

Dr. Praveen Gatla

Mr. Yogesh Vijay Umale,

Dr. Udoyan Banerji

Dr. Arun Kumar

Bonafide students and

research scholars have

to produce a certificate

from the respective Head of their Departments stating their student status to avail the concessional registration. The registration fee includes food and accommodation. Accompanying persons, if any, have

to be registered by paying ₹. 3000/- or US\$ 300/- as the case may be. Participants are requested to fill up the **registration form**. **Google form is available in our website** www.ijdl.org (Link:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfHYbXjxb0QjCjENf199U8Fm6CNYTLjUv5v3qSDQIXZThbGpg/viewform?usp=sf_link) Please fill it online and attach the proof of the payment in the option given in Google form.

REGISTRATION FEE :

Countries	India / Other SAARC countries	Non- SAARC countries
Life-members of DLA & Research Scholars with Fellowships	₹ 2000/-	US\$ 200/-
Students and Research Scholars without Fellowships	₹1500/-	US\$ 150/-
Local students	₹1000/-	
Other categories of delegates	₹ 3000/-	US\$ 300/-

The registration form is given at the end of this announcement. **You can also download the registration form** from our website (www.ijdl.org) (Link- [http://ijdl.org/html/49%20AICDLRegn%20form BHU June-2022.pdf](http://ijdl.org/html/49%20AICDLRegn%20form%20BHU%20June-2022.pdf)) and send it along with the registration fee to the Secretary-DLA, International School of Dravidian Linguistics, V.I. Subramoniam Memorial ISDL Complex, St. Xavier's College P.O., Thiruvananthapuram - 695 586, Kerala by 31st May 2022. The details of the modes of payment are given in the registration form. The requisite registration fee can be remitted in person, by post or by bank transfer. **The filled up registration form can be sent to the Secretary-DLA by post or by e-mail to dlatvm@gmail.com.**

Deadlines

Submission of the Abstract- 31st May, 2022

Notification of Acceptance – 10th May, 2022.

Submission of Full Paper: 10th June, 2022. [not more than 15 pages- A-4 size].

Abstracts not exceeding 300 words including key words.

Abstracts may be email at 49dlabhu@gmail.com

ACCOMMODATION:

Food and accommodation, to the extent possible, will be provided in hostels and University guest-houses. Those who need separate hotel accommodation should intimate the Organizing Secretary on or before **15th June 2022**. Please note that, in such cases, charges with regard to food and accommodation have to be borne by the participants.

TRAVEL GRANTS:

The organizers are unable to provide TA / DA to the participants. Since it is a prestigious conference of linguists, the participants (both teachers and research scholars) may get sponsorship from their respective universities. Hence, please try to avail travel grants from the respective institutions and universities of the registrants. However, if any funding agency provides financial support, T.A. will be given to the special invitees and deserving delegates as per the direction of the funding body.

AWARDS, PRIZES & SPECIAL LECTURES

As in the previous years, during the **49th AICDL** also, various awards and prizes will be distributed to scholars and students. So also, there will be special lectures by eminent Linguists.

For more details and registration form see www.ijdl.org

Awards & Prizes

The last date of entry for books, dictionaries, monographs, research papers etc., with relevant materials for assessment is **5th May 2022**. All entries or recommendations should be sent to the Secretary, DLA, **49th All India Conference of Dravidian Linguists**, V.I. Subramoniam Memorial ISDL Complex, St. Xavier's College P.O., Thiruvananthapuram – 695 586, Kerala.

List of Awards

1. **Mrs. Katre Memorial Prize** for M.A. topper in Linguistics (2020-2022 batch), of ₹ 2000/-. (The Universities and Heads of Departments are requested to forward mark lists of eligible candidates.)
2. **Award for the Best Paper in the Conference** by a young full-time student or research scholar, of ₹ 2000/-. (Only bona fide students and full-time research scholars, who have produced certificates from their respective Heads of Departments stating their student status, can take part in the competition.)
3. **Prof. K. Anbazhakan Award** for Translation of *Tolkappiyam* in any international language, of ₹ 3000/-. The book should have been published within a period of 3 years before *1st May 2022*.
4. **Award for the Best Monograph on Dravidian Tribes**, of ₹ 3000/-. It should have been published within a period of 3 years before *1st May 2022*.

5. **Shri. C. Achutha Menon Prize** for the Best Article or Book published on 'Computer and Language', of ₹ 3000/-. It should have been published in an Indian journal and by an Indian, within a period of 3 years before *1st May 2022*.

6. **Dr. George Jacob Award** for the Best Monograph on Dravidian Linguistics in any Indian language other than Dravidian, of ₹ 3000/-. It should have been published within a period of 3 years before *1st May 2022*.

7. **Prof. K.M. Venkataramaiah Award** for the Study on Language, Culture and other Linguistics-related Topics, of ₹ 3000/-. The publication for this award should be within a period of 3 years before *1st May 2022*.

8. **Dr. Hermann Gundert Endowment Award** for the Best Dictionary, Lexicon or Encyclopaedia on any major Dravidian Language or any Dravidian Tribal Language, of ₹ 3000/-. It should have been published within a period of 3 years before *1st May 2022*.

9. **The Phonetic Society of India Endowment Award**, of ₹ 3000/-, for a book on Phonetics in general or on Phonetics of any Indian language. It should have been published within a period of 3 years before *1st May 2022*.

10. **Dr. Panneerselvam & Smt. Thavamani Panneerselvam Award** for the Translation of a Book from Tamil to Kannada or vice versa. The award amount is ₹ 5000/-. The book should have been published within a period of 3 years before *1st May 2022*.

11. **Dr. K.N. Kuppuswamy Award** for a Lecture / Comparative Study of a Grammatical Text of Tamil, Sanskrit, Prakrit or Pali. The award amount is ₹ 3000/-. Only those which are published within a period of 3 years before *1st May 2022* will be considered.

12. **Dr. P.C. Ganeshsundaram Award** of ₹ 2500/- to a Voice Researcher and to a Machine Translator, in alternate years, by evaluating their published articles or books.

13. **Prof. Susheela P. Upadhyaya Award**, of ₹ 5000/-, for a young researcher below 40 years who has produced a good monograph or Ph.D. research thesis or a good article on any branch of Modern Linguistics, within a period of 3 years before *1st May 2022*. Joint authorship will also be considered but in that case the award amount will be equally shared by the authors.

A person who has already received one of the above awards/prizes earlier will not be considered for the same award again.

Special Lectures

1. *Professor V.I. Subramoniam Memorial Lecture*
2. *Professor Nagamma Reddy Memorial Lecture*
3. *Professor Karunasindhu Das Memorial Lecture*
4. *Professor Chekuri Rama Rao Memorial Lecture*
5. *Professor S.K. Verma Memorial Lecture*
6. *Professor A. Chandrasekhar Memorial Lecture*
7. *Professor H. M. Maheswaraiah Memorial Lecture*