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Press Release  
Sahitya Akademi Festival of Letters  
12-14 March, 2021

Dear Sir/Madam,

Greetings from Sahitya Akademi!

I am glad to send herewith the invitation of the Annual Festival of Letters 2021. The Festival will take place in the Rabindra Bhavan from 12 March 2021 to 14 March 2021.

I will be grateful if you can grace the Festival with your august presence and also with your family and friends.

The Akademi Exhibition featuring highlights from 2020 will be inaugurated by Dr Chandrashekar Kambar at 10 a.m. on 12 March 2021 at Sahitya Akademi, First Floor, Rabindra Bhavan. The Samvatsar Lecture will be delivered by the distinguished Hindi poet, critic and fellow of Sahitya Akademi, Dr Vishwanath Prasad Tiwari at the Akademi auditorium in Rabindra Bhavan at 6 p.m. on 12 March 2021.

The prestigious Sahitya Akademi Translation Prize for the year 2019 will be presented in 24 languages at Kamani Auditorium, Copernicus Marg. The ceremony will commence at 5 p.m. on 13 March 2021 preceded by a reception and high tea for the awardees at 3:30 p.m. Eminent hindi writer and scholar, Dr Chitra Mudgal will be the chief guest for the Award ceremony.

There will be a Translators' Meet at the Akademi auditorium in Rabindra Bhavan at 10:30 a.m. on 14 March 2021 where the awarded translators will be sharing their experiences on translating their award winning work.

I will be very happy if you can join us for all the three days.

I personally request you to provide wide publicity and coverage in your esteemed daily/channel.

  
(K. Sreenivasarao)

Encl.: Invitation card