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# Festival of Letters 2020

## National Seminar on Regionality, Environment and Literature

### CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Sahitya Akademi, India's premier literary institution, calls for abstracts from interested scholars for the National Seminar on "Regionality, Environment and Literature" to be held during Akademi's annual Festival of Letters. The Seminar will be held on **February 27, 28 & 29, 2020** at Sahitya Akademi, Rabindra Bhavan, 35 Ferozeshah Road, New Delhi 110 001.

Following are the topics from which interested scholars can choose one and submit abstracts:

1. Nature in Indian Folklore
2. Nature in Fables, Legends and Myths
3. Nature in Indian Tribal Lore
4. Nature in the Indian Epics
5. The Discourse of Nature in the Literature of the North-East: past and Present
6. Nature and Region in Modern Indian Fiction
7. Nature in Poets' Imagination
8. Ecological Aesthetics and Criticism: Precepts and Praxis
9. Environment, Feminism and Dalit Imagination

Scholars who are interested in presenting papers should send abstracts not exceeding 250 words along with brief CV to reach us before November 15, 2019. The abstracts may be sent via post or by email at [secretary@sahitya-akademi.gov.in](mailto:secretary@sahitya-akademi.gov.in).

Please note that only those whose abstracts are selected by an Expert committee will be invited to present papers at the seminar and mere submission of abstracts doesn't guarantee invitation. Final date of submission of full papers is Friday, 10 January 2020. **Scholars whose abstracts have been selected alone will be contacted** through email and Sahitya Akademi will not entertain any correspondence from others.

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