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SAHITYA AKADEMI TRANSLATION PRIZE 2024 IN SANSKRIT

Sri Madhav Kaushik, President, Sahitya Akademi, has approved Sahitya Akademi Translation Prize 2024 in *Sanskrit* for Brij Mohan Mohanty's Odia Novel **Lalitalavangalata** translated by **Dr. Somnath Dash**. The book was selected on the basis of recommendation made by the Jury comprising three members in accordance with the rules and procedures laid down for the purpose. The book was selected on the basis of Majority vote by the Jury. The names of the Jury members on whose recommendation the Sahitya Akademi Translation Prize 2024 in Sanskrit is declared are given below:

Language
Sanskrit

Jury Members

1. Prof. Khageswar Mishra
2. Prof. N.K. Sundareshwaran
3. Prof. Ramesh Chander Bharadwaj

The Prize carries an amount of Rs.50,000/- and a copper plaque which will be presented to the translator of this book at a special function to be held sometime later this year.

(K. Sreenivasarao)

LIST OF BOOKS RECOMMENDED FOR THE 2024 SAHITYA AKADEMI TRANSLATION PRIZE IN SANSKRIT

S.NO.	TITLE OF THE TRANSLATION	TRANSLATOR	YEAR OF FIRST PUBLICATION	TITLE OF THE ORIGINAL WORK AND GENRE	LANGUAGE OF THE ORIGINAL	AUTHOR
1.	Adhunika Bharatiya Kavita Sanchayanam Rajasthani	Puranachandra Upadhyay	2021	Collection of 112 Rajasthani Poems of 33 Rajasthani Poets (Poetry)	Rajasthani	Nanda Bharadwaj
2.	Agantukah	Kalyankirti Vijaya	2022	Agantuka (Novel)	Gujarati	Dhiruben Patel
3.	Bhartiya Vagyanik	(Late) Ajay Kumar Nand	2019	Bharat Ka Vegyanic (Stories)	Hindi	Laxmichandra Jain
4.	Kalki-Kathatmanjari	M. Jayaraman	2021	Kalki Katha (Short Stories)	Tamil	Kalki Krishanmurthy
5.	Lalitalavangalata	Somnath Dash	2020	Lalitalavangalata (Novel)	Odia	Brij Mohan Mohanty
6.	Twamapi Maya Saha Chal	Keshav Dev	2020	Tum Bhi Mere Sath Chalo (Poetry)	Hindi	Ramesh Pokhriyal "Nishank"
7.	Tirukkural	S. Rajagopalan	2022	Thirukkural (Poetry)	Tamil	ST. Valluvar
8.	Yoge Asti Sarvamapi	Udayana Hegde	2020	Yegdegella Aite (Memoir)	Kannada	Belagere Krishna Shastri

The Jury selected ***Lalitalavangalata*** translated by ***Somnath Dash*** for the Translation Prize on the basis of **majority**.