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To,

Sir/Madam,

#### Subject: Publication in the Context of the 11<sup>th</sup> World Hindi Conference, Mauritius: <u>Invitation to submit Literary Works and Research Papers</u>

In pursuance of resolution passed at the 10<sup>th</sup> World Hindi Conference in Bhopal, India, the 11<sup>th</sup> World Hindi Conference will be organized in Mauritius on 18<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> August, 2018. In this context, the Mahatma Gandhi Institute, a nodal institution of Mauritius committed to the propagation and dissemination of Indian Languages, Literature and Philosophy, is publishing an anthology of literary works and research papers entitled '*Diaspora Sahitya Sangam*'.

This compilation will comprise creative works by writers of the global Hindi diaspora as well as research and critical analysis of past and current diaspora Hindi literature.

As a renowned writer/scholar in the field, the Mahatma Gandhi Institute requests your valuable contribution in making this publication a success. Grateful if you could send your literary work/research paper for publication in the anthology.

Please find attached herewith the terms and conditions for submission of literary works and research papers.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs S N Gayan, GOSK Director-General MGI/RTI

#### Invitation to submit Literary Works and Research Papers

# **Terms & Conditions**

### Literary Works

- 1. Only the literary works of writers of the Indian Diaspora countries will be published in this anthology.
- 2. Writers are requested to send only one original and unpublished work in any literary genre. More than one submission may be considered in case of poems and anecdotes (*Laghukatha*).

## **Research Papers & Critical Analysis**

- 1. Research Papers on Diaspora Hindi Literature should be between 2000-2500 words.
- 2. Research Papers may be sent by academics/researchers from the Indian Diaspora as well any other country.
- 3. Research Papers should be referenced as per acceptable referencing norms and include a bibliography.

### **General Rules**

- 1. Literary works/research papers will be published only upon the approval of the editorial panel.
- 2. Writers/Researchers are requested to send along with their submission, a note certifying that *the literary work/research paper sent for publication is original and unpublished*.
- 3. Writers/Researchers are requested to send along with their submission, a brief bio data (100 words) and a passport size photograph.
- 4. Submissions should be in Hindi and Devnagri Script.
- 5. Submissions should be typed in Unicode.
- 6. Submissions by email should be both in MS Word and PDF versions.
- 7. Submissions can also be made in hard copies and sent to the address mentioned below.
- 8. Submissions should reach the Mahatma Gandhi Institute at latest on 30 April, 2018.

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