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**ELPHINSTONE COLLEGE- MUMBAI**

(A CONSTITUENT COLLEGE OF  
THE DR. HOMI BHABHA STATE UNIVERSITY)

AND

**GRAND ACADEMIC PORTAL- GAP**

ORGANIZE

INTERNATIONAL E-CONFERENCE

ON

Date  
20 January  
2021

Time  
2 pm to 7 pm  
(IST)

**DIGITAL LITERATURE  
CHALLENGES AND POSSIBILITIES**



**ELECTRONIC LITERATURE OR DIGITAL LITERATURE IS A GENRE OF LITERATURE ENCOMPASSING WORKS CREATED EXCLUSIVELY ON AND FOR DIGITAL DEVICES, SUCH AS COMPUTERS, TABLETS, AND MOBILE PHONES.**



- Hypertext Fiction
- Twitter fiction/ Microfiction
- Code Work
- Interactive Fiction
- Flash Poetry.
- Generative Poetry
- Digital Humanities
- Interactive print Media
- Interactive Fiction (IF)
- Network Fiction
- Locative Narratives
- Film and Digital Literature
- Games and Digital Literature
- Blog Fiction
- other multi-modalities in reading and writing

## **Some of the key areas to be discussed in this E-Conference**

- E-books, hypertext and poetry, on and off the Web
- Animated poetry presented in graphical forms,
- Computer art installations,
- Conversational characters, also known as chatterbots
- Interactive Novels that take the form of emails, SMS messages, or blogs
- Poems and stories that are generated by computers
- Collaborative writing projects that allow readers to contribute to the text of a work
- Literary performances online that develop new ways of writing
- Video Novel which combines audio, text, images and video to create vertical content for mobiles and tablets



## About Elphinstone College

Elphinstone College was established in 1856 and was affiliated with Mumbai University. It is now a constituent college of the First Cluster University in Maharashtra, the Dr. Homi Bhabha State University, Mumbai. It is committed to nation-building by providing quality education to all sections of society.

An enviable location, well-equipped library, smart classrooms, computer laboratories, gymkhana, and a host of facilities enrich the learning experience. The college offers degree courses in Arts, Science, Commerce, Biotechnology and Information Technology. The interest of the students has always been at the heart of dedicated teachers, who are eminent personalities in their area of expertise.







## About GAP

### Grand Academic Portal (Gyan- Adhyayan- Parampara)



Grand Academic Portal (Gyan- Adhyayan- Parampara) is a registered NGO with the NITI Ayog - Government of India, to provide a supplementary and complementary element to the existing formal higher education system in India. The founders have collectively envisioned a platform to provide an innovative, free, equal, equitable, collaborative, sustainable, and all-inclusive teaching-learning-pedagogy environment to all the stakeholders of higher education in India. GAP has its presence in more than ten states of India growing its popularity very fast in foreign countries also. It is a platform, having more than one thousand direct and indirect members and stakeholders who are the professors, faculty members, researchers, industry patrons, lawyers, and other highly esteemed professionals from India and abroad. GAP is operational in many areas of higher education like research, consultancy, the publication of books and journals, project management, resource mobilization, faculty development and training and mentoring.



# Panel of Expert Speakers

- **Dr. Dibyadyuti Roy**

Ph.D. - West Virginia University | M.Litt. - University of Glasgow

Department of Communication – IIM Indore

Co-Founder: Digital Humanities Alliance for Research and Teaching Innovations (DHARTI)

- **Dr. Shakhnoza Askarova**

Professor of English

Tashkent State University of Oriental Studies  
Uzbekistan

- **Dr. Kathryn Simpson**

School of Humanities -University of Glasgow

Fellow at the Institute of Advanced Studies in the Humanities at Edinburgh University

- **Dr. Pushpa V. K.**

Department of English

Islamic Azad University

Ahwaz- Iran

- **Dr. Saptarshi Mallick**

University of North Bengal

Fellow Charles Wallace India Trust, at the British Library and the University of Oxford

- **Dr. Suparna Chakraborti**

Head of the Department of Humanities

Heritage Institute of Technology  
Kolkata

- **Prof. A. R. Fatihi**

Former Chairman, Department of Linguistics, AMU, Aligarh. Visiting Professor Cornell University, USA, Visiting Professor Hankuk University of Foreign Languages, Seoul, South Korea

- **Prof. Shantanu Majee**

(Digital archiver of the Narrative of Memory in Audio Archives )

Department of English

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## Conference Patrons

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Head- Department of English  
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## Organising Committee

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- **Dr. Preeti Oza**  
**CEO- Founding Trustee**  
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- Registration is compulsory to participate.
- Registration is free.
- All the registered participants will receive e-certificates

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