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Multi-disciplinary (Hybrid Mode)*
International Conference



**'Research in World Classical Languages & Literatures:
Epic, Poetic Heritage & Indian Knowledge System'**

'जागतिक अभिजात भाषा आणि साहित्यातील संशोधन : महाकाव्य, काव्य आणि भारतीय ज्ञान परंपरा'

Aligned with

- UNESCO International Year of Classical Languages 2026,
- NEP 2020, UGC's Initiative on Indian Knowledge Systems &
- Celebrating the Glorious Recognition of Marāthi as a Abhijāt Bhāshā

28th & 29th October, 2026 (Wednesday & Thursday)

- **Bharati Vidyapeeth** : An Institution with **180+** schools, Colleges & allied institutes
- **BV(DU)** : Multi-State, Multi-Disciplinary & Multi-Campus University,
Grade 'A⁺⁺' by NAAC (CGPA : 3.60)
- **MBSK** : Accredited with **Grade 'A'** by NAAC (CGPA : 3.19)
- **NIRF** : MBSK ranked amongst the first **100** Colleges
at National level (NIRF - 2026)

Indian Classical Lgs

1. Sanskrit
2. Tamil
3. Prakrit
4. Telugu
5. Malayalam
6. Kannada
7. Odia
8. Marathi
9. Pali
10. Assamese
11. Bengali

Foreign Classical Lgs

1. Greek
2. Latin
3. Arabic
4. Chinese
5. Persian
6. Armenian
7. Ge'ez (Ethiopic)
8. Old Georgian

Conference Host

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DEAR ACADEMICIANS & SCHOLARS,

It gives us immense pleasure to invite you to attend & participate in the **Two Day International Conference** on - Classical Languages and Literature: Epic, Poetic Heritage and Indian Knowledge System organized by Department of Languages, Social Science and Commerce, the college IQAC, Shivaji University, Kolhapur, BV(DU), Pune & Brhat (Hyderabad) on 28th and 29th Oct. 2026.

• BHARATI VIDYAPEETH, THE PARENT INSTITUTE :

Dr. Patangrao Kadam Saheb laid the foundation of Bharati Vidyapeeth with motto of "Social Transformation through Dynamic Education" in 1964. It is the approach to dynamic education, which has enabled institution to be ranked as one of the world class institutions, having its campus at metropolitan cities such as New Delhi, Mumbai, Pune and beyond the boundaries of the Nation, have been imparting quality education for better tomorrow. The visionary Founder has established a number of co-operative units such as bank, sugar factories, spinning mills, consumer stores, poultry and dairy, which have been responsible for the social awakening and progress of the rural masses as well as the weaker sections of the society.

(Please visit Website : <https://www.bvuniversity.edu.in/>)

• HOST COLLEGE : BV-MBSKM-KADEGAON :

The college is named after Matoshri Bayabai Shripatrao Kadam, who felt the need and knew the value of education and had pawn her sacred *Mangalsutra* to continue the education of her illustrious sons, whose proud contribution proved milestone in the development of the province strewn over Kadegaon - Palus, the constituency presently represented by Dr. Vishwajit Kadam as MLA. The college has been accredited with 'A' grade by NAAC. We have so far conducted several innovative programs in the jurisdiction of Shivaji University, Kolhapur. The College NSS Cell has been awarded with the most prestigious Indira Gandhi National Award. The students of our college secured top positions in the order of merit in university examinations and have brought numbers of medals by participating in the sports and cultural activity. (Please visit Website : <https://bvmbsskmmkadegaon.edu.in/>)

• ABOUT THE CONFERENCE :

The International Conference aims to provide a meaningful academic platform for scholars, researchers, teachers, students and literary enthusiasts to explore the rich heritage of classical languages and literatures. The conference will focus on the enduring significance of epic literature, poetic traditions and the Indian Knowledge System (IKS). Indian epics and classical literary works preserve valuable insights into ethics, philosophy, social values, education, science, spirituality, art and human relationships. They continue to influence contemporary literature, culture, and intellectual thoughts.

Classical languages and literatures have been the foundation of human civilization. From the Vedas and Sangam epics to Homer and Ferdowsi, poetry and epic narratives have preserved culture, ethics, and imagination across millennia. This Multi-disciplinary International Conference seeks to bring together scholars to engage in comparative dialogue on the epic and poetic traditions of the world's classical languages as well as IKS.

The conference also seeks to examine how classical literary traditions can be preserved, interpreted, translated and connected with modern academic disciplines. Special emphasis will be given to the relevance of the Indian Knowledge System in contemporary education and research, particularly in the context of cultural preservation, interdisciplinary studies and the effective implementation of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020.

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SCHEDULE OF THE CONFERENCE

Day 1 : Wed., 28th Oct., 2026 Inauguration & Academic Sessions

Day 2 : Thus., 29th Oct., 2026 Visit to Internationally known Aundh Museum

CALL FOR PARTICIPATION :

We invite papers, presentations and deliberations from :

1. Scholars and Researchers in Languages, Literatures, and Classical Studies
2. Interested teachers and students from any faculty
3. Academicians, Translators, and Poets interested in Classical Traditions & IKS Studies
4. Anyone whose language has been declared as classical language

CALL FOR PAPERS & PUBLICATION POLICY :

Original research papers are invited on the theme and related sub-themes in English, Marathi, and Hindi. Selected research papers will be published in the reputed **peer-reviewed journal with ISSN**

STEP - 1 Payment of Fees



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Paper in English Lg / Indian Lgs

Format	MS Word & PDF
Font for English Lg	Times New Roman
Font for Indian Lgs.	Arial Unicode / Mangal
Font Size	12
Line Spacing	Single
Alignment	Justified
Abstract	200-300 Words
Keywords	5-6
Paper Length	2500-3000 Words

STEP - 2 Registration Form



Registration Form:
<https://forms.gle/Gp3niFbabLsQGpTaA>

REGISTRATION CATEGORIES:

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| 1. Academician: ₹1500/- | 2. Research scholar: ₹1200/- | 3. UG/PG student: ₹ 800/- |
| 4. Participant only: ₹800/- | 5. Foreign Delegate: USD 25 | 6. Spot Registration : ₹2000/- |
- (Note: Late fee of Additional ₹ 500/- applies from 10th Oct., 2026)

MODES OF THE CONFERENCE:

Offline Mode: Mandatory for the participants from the Shivaji University Jurisdiction

Online & Off-line: for rest of all, including International Delegates & Participants from other States of India.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Last Date for Abstract Submission: 30th Sept., 2026

Last Date for Registration & Full Paper Submission: 10th Oct., 2026

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(Heritage Tour to Aundh)

E-mail for Paper Submission & Official Communication:

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Accommodation: Participants are requested to make arrangements for their accommodation on their own.

📍 Pune International Airport - 175 km

📍 Karad Railway Station - 15 km

📍 Located on National Highway-166E

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Multidisciplinary International Conference (Hybrid Mode)*

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 Former Minister, Dept. of Marathi Language, Govt. of Maharashtra

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Dr. Jyoti Jadhav
 Pro Vice Chancellor, SUK

Conference Schedule

Day-1: Wednesday 28.10.2026

Time	Session No.	Speaker	Brief Intro
09.00 to 09.30	Arrival	-	Registration
09.30 to 11.00	Session-I		Dr. Aruna Dhere Renowned Litterateur, Poet & Researcher Former President, 92 nd Akhil Bharatiya Marathi Sahitya Sammelan
	Inauguration		
	Chief Guest		
11.00 to 12.15	Session-II		Professor (Dr) Balram Shukla Dept. of Sanskrit, University of Delhi Polyglot Scholar of Urdu, Arabic, Prakrit & Persian Studies Former Director, SVCC, Tehran (Iran) Fellow, IIAS, Shimla
	Keynote		
	Prime Speaker		
12.15 to 01.00	Session-III		Dr. Madhavi Kolhatkar, Renowned Indologist & Polyglot Eminent Scholar of Buddhism Editor, Sanskrit Dictionary Project, Deccan, Pune (Retd.)
	Indian Epics		
	Speaker		
01.00 to 01.45	Session-IV		Dr. Sucheta Paranjape, Infosys Fellow at Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute, Pune Former Professor, Sanskrit & Indology, TMV, Pune
	Indian Epics		
	Speaker		
12.15			Lunch at the Indoor Sports Stadium
02.15 to 03.15	Session-V		Paper Reading
03.15 to 04.30	Session-VI		Dr, Filip Ruciński University of Warsaw, Poland Co-Founder & President, Vivaswan foundation, Poland Honoured with the Poland's Prime Minister's Honorary Award from Polish Society for Oriental Studies, Polish Academy of Sciences
	Philosophy of Language		
	Speaker		
03.15 to 04.30	Verses Across Civilizations		Dr. Prashant Dharmadhikari, School of Language, Literature & Culture Studies Central University of Gujrat, Vadodara Member, IKSHA & IKS Master Trainer (UGC)
	Speaker		
04.30 to 05.30	Session-VII		Shri. Raghav Krishna Founder & CEO, Brhat , Hyderabad Centre for Culture, Creativity & Brhat Educational Trust
	Valedictory		
	Chief Guest		
04.30 to 05.30	In the Chair		Professor (Dr) Hameed Khan, USA Fulbright Scholar & Former Professor, BAMU, Sambhaji Nagar

09.00 am to 05.00 pm

Day-2: Thursday 29.10.2026

Heritage Tour to Aundh Museum