

## **Essay Competitions**

### **B. N. Seal Memorial Essay Competition:**

Topic: Ethical Perspectives of Artificial Intelligence

### **S.S. Suryanarayana Shastri Essay Competition:**

Topic: Methods of Scientific Enquiry

### **Dada Bhagwan Essay Competition:**

Topic: Holistic Way of Life and Living

### **T.R.V. Murti Essay Competition:**

Topic: Pratityasamudpada

### **Swami Pranavananda Essay Competition:**

Topic: Philosophy as Therapy

Students interested to participate in the essay competitions are requested to send two copies of typed essays (word limit 3000 words) duly forwarded by the Head of their Institutes/ Universities along with summaries in 200 words and proof of membership of IPC on any of the above topics to: **Prof. Dilipkumar Mohanta**, Dept. of Philosophy, University of Calcutta, Kolkata 700027, [dkmphil@gmail.com](mailto:dkmphil@gmail.com) by 15<sup>th</sup> November 2023.

## **SWAMI PRANAVANANDA PHILOSOPHY TRUST OF INDIA AWARD:**

This trust comprises the following awards:

1. Swami Pranavananda Philosophy National Award
2. Swami Pranavananda Philosophy Book Award
3. Swami Pranavananda Philosophy Essay Award

The Departments of Philosophy of Universities, Institutes and Colleges may send their nominations, along with the bio-data of the nominees for the National Award. Authors may send 3 copies of their books for the Book Award. Books published during 2022 and 2023 are considered for the award. Students who are interested in participating in the above essay competition should send their essays in two copies along with summaries in 200 words & proof of membership of IPC. Nominations, books, and essays for the above, must reach **Prof. Dilipkumar Mohanta**, Dept. of Philosophy, University of Calcutta, Kolkata 700027, [dkmphil@gmail.com](mailto:dkmphil@gmail.com) by 15<sup>th</sup> November 2023.