



1st Annual International Conference on Arts & Humanities 2014- (ICOAH 2014)

1st Annual International Conference on Arts and Humanities 2014 was successfully completed with 33 participants from more than 15 countries. Countries are namely Sri Lanka, India, United Kingdom, Malaysia, China, United Arab Emirates, Indonesia, South Korea, Turkey, United States of America, Philippines, Hong Kong, Iran, and Nigeria etc. The conference was organized by "The International Institute of Knowledge Management" (TIIKM) collaborative with University of Northern Colorado, USA.

There were 33 oral presentations and more than 5 virtual presentations. Primary objective of this conference was to create a premier forum for the local and international researchers, scholars and academicians to share their research results in the fields of Arts and Humanities. We believed that we successfully achieved this objective during the conference.

As per the schedule, conference was chaired by Prof. J. B. Disanayaka and Prof. Gary E. Swanson. Conference schedule divided in to 07 main themes namely,

- Linguistics and Multilingual Studies
- Culture, Region and Ethnic Studies 01
- Folklore and Ethno musicology
- Culture, Region and Ethnic Studies 02
- Film, Media and Graphic Designing
- Visual and Performing Arts 01
- Visual and Performing Arts 02

In the awarding ceremony organizing committee awarded 07 awards to best presenters in each session as follows.

Best Sessions Presentation Award Winners

- 01. Linguistics and Multilingual Studies

 Mrs. Preeti Tushar Joshi from India
- 02. Culture, Region and Ethnic Studies 01 **Prof. Heejung Kang** from South Korea
- 03. Folklore and Ethno musicology **Dr. Genevieve Jorolan Quintero** from Philippines
- 04. Culture, Region and Ethnic Studies 02 **Dr. Seung Won Song** from South Korea

- 05. Film, Media and Graphic Designing

 Mr. Jayakrishnan Sreekumar from India
- 06. Visual and Performing Arts 01 **Dr. Shilpa Gauri Prasad Ganpule** from India
- 07. Visual and Performing Arts 02 **Dr. Swapna Sathish** from India

Best Overall Presentation Award Winner – Student

Mrs. Preeti Tushar Joshi from India

Best Overall Presentation Award Winner – Delegate

Dr. Shilpa Gauri Prasad Ganpule from India

Best Overall Presentation Award Winner – Local

Ms. D. Thilini Ferdinando from Sri Lanka

















