

## CALL FOR PAPERS:

The Department of English, Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata, cordially invites you all to its forthcoming UGC-sponsored One-Day International Seminar on:

### **“Redefining the Margin: A Literary Perspective”**

To be held on the 27<sup>th</sup> of March, 2019, at the Department of English, RBU.

#### **Keynote Speaker:**

**Daya Dissanayake**

**Noted Sri Lankan Novelist, Poet and Critic**

**Proud Recipient of the Prestigious SAARC Literary Award**

The seminar is aimed at both interrogating and reconceptualising the discourse of marginality and its relation to / manifestation in literature. It also intends to reappraise the strange and ever-changing relation between the ‘center’ and the ‘margin’ in the age of perpetual indeterminacy, by using literature as a lens.

➤ **Themes** (but not strictly restricted to):

- The Center/Margin Dynamics
- Literature and the Margin
- Gender, Sexuality and the Margin
- Media, Popular and the Margin
- Class Race, Ethnicity, Religion, Culture, History and the Margin

➤ **Deadline for the Submission of Abstract** (within 250 words): 25<sup>th</sup> of March, 2019

To be submitted to: [debabrata.rbu@gmail.com](mailto:debabrata.rbu@gmail.com) / [devz.13jnu@gmail.com](mailto:devz.13jnu@gmail.com)

➤ **Registration** (to be done on the spot) Fee: Faculty: 1000/-; Scholar: 500/-; and Student: 200/-

#### **Venue:**

Dept. of English, Emerald Bower Campus, Rabindra Bharati University, Kolkata– 700050.

(The Campus is situated on the B.T. Road, near Sinthi More; and is well-connected to the entire city.)

#### **HOD**

Professor Chidananda Bhattacharya

#### **Conveners**

Prof. Arindam Mridha  
Prof. Debabrata Das