

International Conference on Purananuru (புறநானூறு)
Washington D.C. Metropolitan Area

Essay competition (First Prize - \$1,000; Second Prize - \$500)

1. The essay should be about Purananuru or on the contents of Purananuru in English or Tamil. The essay should contain original ideas with a critical analysis of Purananuru.
2. The essay must be submitted in electronic form, typed in a font size not less than 12. It should be submitted in MS Word and sent via email to puramconference@classicaltamil.org on or before April 30, 2013.
3. If the essay is in Tamil, it should be in Unicode with font size not less than 12.
4. Essay should not exceed 10 pages in length and should be in standard paper sizes (A4 or 8.5"x11").
5. Each essay should contain an abstract which does not exceed 300 words (or one page).
6. Please include a brief bio-data not exceeding 150 words in length.
7. Any paper that exceeds the above prescribed length of the essay or abstract will be rejected without review.
8. Please see the List of papers submitted at [CALL FOR PAPERS](#) Tab for more details.