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03<sup>rd</sup> January 2024

## National Drama Competition 2024

The Shakespeare Society of India plans to hold its annual National Drama Competition on 10<sup>th</sup> February 2024. The event has been attracting enthusiastic participation from colleges and universities from different parts of India since its inception.

The 2024 event too is open to students of colleges and universities from all over India. We invite you to participate by sending a team from your college / university to stage any scene / scenes or part of a scene from a Shakespeare play. Only one team per college is welcome. Though the Competition, as such, is open to outstation teams, we cannot promise to finance travel or accommodation. However, we will make every effort to assist the teams with their stay.

The scenes may be in the original Shakespearean English, or in translation into any Indian language. They may also be adaptations, either in English or an Indian language. However, in order to encourage students to attempt Elizabethan English, one of the prizes will be offered to the best play in the original language.

The performance should be of 15-20 minutes duration. The Competition will be judged by eminent persons from theatre and academic world. The awards will include a rolling trophy and several individual prizes and certificates in various categories.

The SSI Membership Form is enclosed in order to invite and facilitate the membership. At least one student in each participating team should be a member of the Shakespeare Society of India. The participants may sign up for the membership at the event or in advance.

**We request you to convey your preliminary intent to compete, and the title of the Shakespeare play from which you are performing the scene or adaptation, latest by 15<sup>th</sup> January 2024, through the following link:**  
<https://forms.gle/YTTh94amMm8GgNqr8>

**Early registration is recommended as only a limited number of teams can be accommodated.**

A registration fee of ₹ 1000 per team will be charged at the event unless their college / university has Institutional Membership.

We greatly look forward to receiving your entries!

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## INSTITUTIONAL MEMBERSHIP FORM

- NAME OF THE INSTITUTE: \_\_\_\_\_
- ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- AFFILIATION (*if a college / school etc.*): \_\_\_\_\_
- CONTACT NUMBER(s): \_\_\_\_\_
- E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_
- ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES OFFERED: \_\_\_\_\_
- THEATRE / DRAMA SOCIETY (*if any*): \_\_\_\_\_
- INTEREST IN SHAKESPEARE: \_\_\_\_\_  
(*e.g. theatre, criticism, translation*)
- MEMBERSHIP FEE DETAILS:

MODE OF PAYMENT: *Online*

AMOUNT: ₹ *10000*

REFERENCE NO.: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

DECLARATION: \_\_\_\_\_ (*name of the institute*), hereby,  
agrees to become an Institutional Member. The aforementioned details can be retained and  
used by the Society for future correspondences.

Date:

Signature & Seal

Place:

Executive Head

### MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION:

- Membership of the Society is open to any college / university / institute in India with faculty / students interested in Shakespeare's works.
- Membership of the Society is subject to the approval by its Executive Committee.
- Institutional Membership Fee: ₹ 10000
- The Membership Fee can be credited directly to the account of "The Shakespeare Society of India"  
Account No.: 10851299722; IFSC Code: SBIN0001067
- The duly filled and signed form, along with payment receipt need to be sent / submitted to the Society.



 **SBI Payments**

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