



**Centre for Latin American Studies  
University of Kerala**

**CALL FOR APPLICATIONS**

**CLAS Translation Fellowships**

The Centre for Latin American Studies (CLAS), University of Kerala was established in 2015 with the aim of strengthening research and studies on Latin America and developing close bilateral ties between India and Latin America. For India, especially for the state of Kerala, the significance of Latin America lies in certain economic, political and cultural factors. The population of Kerala has often extended a warm welcome to Latin America culturally, especially to its literature and sports. Latin America has a great influence on the socio-political, cultural and agricultural spheres of Kerala. Given the need for consolidating the relations between India and Latin America, the Centre for Latin American Studies calls for applications towards Translation Fellowships to identify and encourage translation/retranslation of Latin American works to Malayalam and Hindi.

**About the Fellowship/Grant**

University of Kerala CLAS Translation Fellowship is a non-resident, remote fellowship designed to allow the recipient to complete the work outside the University. The faculty members affiliated to any university can also apply. The amount of the award is Rs. 50,000. Selected works may be retranlations of old, classic texts, or previously untranslated works, collections of poetry, prose, or critical theory related to Latin America. The project may be a work-in-progress, or a new project manageable within the scope of the award.

**Selection Criteria**

Applicants must have preferably published, alone or in collaboration, at least 20 pages of literary translation in digital or print publications or at least one book or other volume of translation of at least 20 pages OR s/he must be a renowned scholar who has demonstrated expertise/proficiency in literary works in Malayalam/Hindi as outlined in their publications.

The applicants should submit the proposal, CV and all necessary supporting documents to [clas@keralauniversity.ac.in](mailto:clas@keralauniversity.ac.in)

**Last Date of Submission of Application: 5:00 PM, 23rd March 2024**

Dated

15/03/2024

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