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MESSAGE

I am glad that the Department of English organized a three-day National Seminar on "Subaltern Literature: Resistance and Reconstruction" from 23rd to 25th January 2018 and the select articles presented during the seminar are brought out as two volumes in the reputed Journal *Language in India*. The objective of this publication is to provide an opportunity to budding teachers and researchers to become familiar with research in subaltern literature.

The two volumes of the journal consist of articles by creative writers, academicians, and researchers who have dealt with various issues of the marginalized sections of the society. It is a welcome initiative by the Seminar Director-Cum-Editor Dr. T. Deivasigamani, and the other teachers of the Department of English for having taken efforts to publish research papers on a topic of current importance. I learn that the theme of this book is interdisciplinary in nature and will pave way for scholars from different disciplines to share and exchange their ideas.

I take this opportunity to convey my best wishes to the publisher of the two volumes Subaltern Indian writing in English and Subaltern Black Writings, and I am sure that this journal will adorn every library in the country.

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