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## Madhya Pradesh Rashtrabhasha Prachar Samiti

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### Why in News

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On August 14, 2021, the **Madhya Pradesh Rashtrabhasha Prachar Samiti** organized an annual award ceremony, 2020, to honor writers for their outstanding work in literature.

### Key Points

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- In this program, litterateurs were honored in various categories under **Akhil Bharatiya Samman 2020, Regional Award 2020 and Local Award, 2020.**

- Along with this, Books of Mahabharata in Indian languages written by Prabhakar Shrotriya, Bhekar Moti by Shankarsharan Lal Batta and Arghya by Dr. Maithili Milind Sathe were also released.
  - **All India Samman, 2020 was conferred on the following persons**
    - Shri Naresh Mehta Wangmay Samman : Shri Jagram Singh, Chandigarh
    - Shri Virendra Tiwari Memorial Award : Shri Hemant Kukreti, Delhi
    - Shri Shailesh Matiani Smriti Chitra-Kumar : Smt. Sushma Munindra, Satna
    - Shri Suresh Shukla 'Chandra' Natya Puraskar Story Prize : Shri Satyendra Kumar Taneja, Delhi
    - Shri Prabhakar Shrotriya Smriti Criticism Award : Smt. Smriti Shukla, Jabalpur
  - **Regional Award, 2020 was conferred on the following persons**
    - Self. Hazarilal Jain Smriti Vangmay Award : Shree Narayan Vyas, Bhopal
    - Ambika Prasad Memorial Divine Honor : Shri Ghanshyam Maithil 'Amrit', Bhopal
    - Shri Shankar Sharan Lal Batta Mythological : Shri Lokendra Singh 'Kot', Badnagar
  - **Fiction Award**
    - Syed Amir Ali Mir Award : Shri Santosh Supekar, Ujjain
    - Shri Harihar Niwas Dwivedi Memorial Award : Shri Santosh Mohanty 'Deep', Indore
    - Self. Hukamdevi Prakashchandra Kapoor Memorial Award : Ms. Suman Oberoi, Bhopal
    - Self. Prakash Kumari Harkawat Woman Writing Award: Dr. Sudha Chauhan 'Raj', Indore
    - Shri Satish Balkrishna Oberoi Smriti : Dr. Malti Mahawar Basant, Bhopal
  - **Women's Award**
    - Smt. Santosh Batta Smriti Stree Writing Award : Dr. Lata Agarwal, Bhopal
    - Self. Rameshwar Srivastava Memorial New Award : Dr. Meenu Pandey, Bhopal
    - Smt. Rashmi Joshi Vishisht Hindi Sevi Samman : Shri Virendra Nirjhar, Burhanpur
    - Smt. Samptidevi Vijayvargiya Smriti Female : Ms. Janak Palta Magilligan, Indore
  - **Welfare Award**
    - Smt. Sunderbai Shankarlal Tiwari Smriti : Smt. Tripti Mishra, Mhow
    - Women's Social Service Award
    - Self. Yashwant Argere memory positive : Shri Pankaj Pathak, Bhopal
  - **Journalism Award**
    - Self. Yashwant Argere memory positive : Shri Anand Saxena, Bhopal

o **Local Award-2020 was presented to the following persons**

- Smt. Raksha Sisodia Teacher Award : Smt. Nandita Shrivastava, Bhopal
- Dr. Ajay Dubey and Dr. Animesh Dubey Music (singing) award : K. Piyush Malak, Bhopal
- Dr. Ajay Dubey and Dr. Animesh Dubey Music (playing) award : K. Prasoon Jain, Bhopal
- Best Reader Award: Dr. Manjari Chaturvedi, Bhopal