



Devishankar Awasthi honor to litterateur Achyutananda

Why in News?

On April 5, 2022, **Achutanand Mishra**, a litterateur of Jharkhand, was awarded the prestigious **Devi Shankar Awasthi Award** for the year 2021.

Key Points

- Achuthanand Mishra has been given this award for his critical book '**Kolahal Mein Kavita Ki Awaaz**'.
- As a mark of respect, Mishra was given a citation, a memento and a check of Rs 11,000.
- It is worth mentioning that this award is given to a young critic for his remarkable contribution in the development of Hindi criticism.
- It **was established in the year 1995** by his family including his wife Kamlesh Awasthi in the memory of famous Hindi critic Devishankar Awasthi.

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