



Great Scott!

RUTGERS SASHP NEWSLETTER

Monday, Nov. 7, 2022

Dear SAS Honors Program Students,

Did anyone else stay up late (or, technically, *early*) enough this weekend to see the clocks roll back an hour for Daylight Savings? I sure did, though I will admit that it was more due to necessity than the desire to become a momentary time-traveler. To keep it brief, I was working on homework. However, regardless of the circumstances, the fact is that this was the first time that I was able to bear witness to the true time-warping effects of Daylight Savings. I'll admit, I've never been a Daylight Savings devotee in any sense of the word. Shorter days? Earlier sunsets? *Complete* darkness when I emerge from my 5:00 class? No, thank you. But, at 1:59 AM the other night or morning (again, if you're technical like that), I was putting the finishing touches on a writing assignment. My mind was slowly unraveling and my anxiety was steadily hiking higher as my dedicated sleep hours were being drained minute-after-minute by the task at hand. With this image in your mind of my mental deterioration, I'm sure you'll believe me when I tell you that I sobbed out of relief when the clock reset back to 1:00 instead of continuing to 2:00. *Sobbed*. In that moment, my excitement (heightened by delirium, mind you), made me feel all the time-traveler that I was. Great Scott! I, along with a portion of the population of at least 70 countries, was given the gift of time. And I hope you all got a chance to *truly* celebrate and enjoy it by sleeping soundly right through the switch and into your extra hour.

Here's some exciting opportunities and events heading your way! Attend the launch event for Professor Preetha Mani's new book, ***The Idea of Indian Literature***. Tune into the upcoming **Scarlet Speakers** talk with **Matthew Stone** or the **Richard D. Heffner Open Mind Lecture**, "The Big Money behind The Big Lie." Attend the **Artists' Collective Interest Meeting & Paint** event. Apply for the **Learning Assistant Program** or **First Year Fellowship**!

Warmest Regards,

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Your Newsletter Editor

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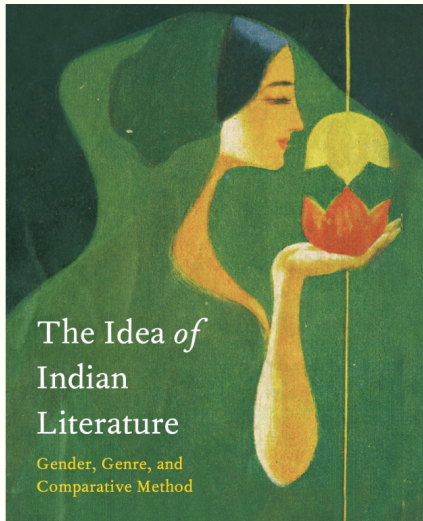
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The Idea of Indian Literature

THIS Thursday, Nov. 10 from 4-5:30 PM, there will be a launch event and discussion of Rutgers professor, Preetha Mani's, new book, ***The Idea of Indian Literature: Gender, Genre, and Comparative Method***. Join her alongside Charu Gupta, Samah Selim, and Rebecca Walkowitz in conversation both **in-person** in AB 6051 (CAC) and **via Zoom**. Click [here](#) to register.

Artists' Collective Interest Meeting & Paint

Calling all **student artists, musicians, and fellow culture enthusiasts!** The **Artists' Collective** is BACK and ready to welcome new and old members alike at their **Interest Meeting & Paint event** on **Nov. 14** from **5-6 PM** in the parlor at **35 College Ave.** Stop by to **learn** more about the Artists' Collective, **win** some SASHP swag, and (of course) **paint!**



Open Mind Lecture: "The Big Money behind The Big Lie"

This Wednesday, Nov. 9, at 7 PM, investigative journalist, **Jane Mayer**, will deliver the 7th annual **Richard D. Heffner Open Mind Lecture**, titled, **"The Big Money behind The Big Lie."** In it, The Open Mind Lecture series honors the late Professor Heffner with its aim to "identify how our sense of what it means to be human has been molded by history, politics, culture, and print, electronic, and cybernetic media." Click [here](#) to learn more and to register for the **virtual event** in advance.

*** This is considered an Honors Colloquium outside event

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Jane Mayer

Chief Correspondent
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Student Learning Assistant Application

The student **Learning Assistant** application for select **spring 2023** courses is now open! With over **90 positions** available, this program is a great opportunity to get some **hands-on experience helping** out in the classroom and **sharpening your leadership skills**. Students in the program will do everything from **work with small groups** of students answering clicker questions in lectures to **independently leading recitations**. The **deadline** for the application is **THIS Friday, Nov. 11 @ 11:59 PM**. Click [here](#) for more information and for the application!



First Year Fellowship Application

Are you a **first-year** or **transfer student** looking to develop and apply your leadership skills, receive mentorship, PLUS earn credits while doing so? Apply for the **First Year Fellowship**, an **8-week long course** "designed for emerging leaders to cultivate their skills and become the next generation of change agents, on campus and beyond!" The application deadline for the First Year Fellowship is **NEXT Friday, Nov. 18**. Click [here](#) to apply today!

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