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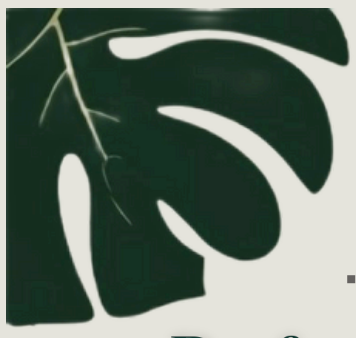
Prof. Chitra Sankaran

Department of English, Linguistics and Theatre Studies,
National University of Singapore
and
President, Association for the Study of Literature and
Environment in ASEAN



Date : 22nd March 2025 (Saturday)
Time: 4PM (IST) | 6.30 PM (SGT)

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About the Speaker

Professor Chitra Sankaran (PhD, London) has served as Chair of Literature, Head and Deputy Head in the Department of English, Linguistics and Theatre Studies, National University of Singapore. She is the Founding and Current President of the Association for the Study of Literature and Environment in ASEAN (ASLE-ASEAN) and the founding and chief editor of the Journal of Southeast Asian Ecocriticism (JSEAE). She has published three monographs, ten edited volumes, and over 60 book chapters, and research articles in international journals. Her recent publications (in 2022) include *Women, Subalterns and Ecologies in South and Southeast Asian Women's Fiction* (University of Georgia Press, USA), *Revenge of Gaia: Contemporary Ecofiction from Vietnam* (2022) (Penguin Random House) and *Humans and Other Animals: Animal Fictions from Vietnam* (2024, Penguin Random House). She is currently working on a manuscript on *Ecomaterial Affinities in South and Southeast Asian Literary, Philosophical, and Cultural Narratives* for which she has received an advance contract from Routledge Publishers. She has the privilege of being the first woman Full-Professor of Literature at NUS since the department began admitting students in 1929.

