



**Twelfth Krishna Memorial Awards for  
Women Educationists, Students  
& Caregivers (2025)**

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to be conferred on

**Aradhya Mandal & Rina Mandal**  
*Students of Bali Dhanamani Model High School,  
Balideep, Sundarban*

**Avik Ghosh**  
*Children's Theatre Academy, Santiniketan, West Bengal*

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**Ashina Gramin Library**  
*Falta, South 24 Parganas, West Bengal*

The awards will be presented by

**Amina Khatun,**  
*Social Activist, Priya Manna Bustee, Howrah*

**Inaugural Song**  
by  
**Shikha Ganguly,** *Classical Singer, India*  
**Madhurilata Basu,** *Member, Calcutta Research Group*

Welcome Note & a Brief Introduction to  
Krishna Trust

by  
**Sibaji Pratim Basu**  
*Managing Trustee, Krishna Trust*

**Twelfth Krishna Memorial Lecture**  
to be delivered

by  
**Sarmistha Dutta Gupta**  
*Independent Researcher, Feminist Activist, Writer &  
President, Ebong Alap*

**Chair: V. Ramaswamy,** *Eminent Social Activist*



Vote of thanks by  
**Sucharita Sengupta**

*Volkswagen Foundation Post Doctoral Fellow, O. P. Jindal  
Global University & Calcutta Research Group, Kolkata*

The programme is jointly organised by  
**Krishna Trust , Calcutta Research Group and  
Institute for Human Sciences (IWM), Vienna**

We cordially welcome your presence

**Date: 28 February 2025 | | Time: 6.00 pm-8pm**  
**Venue: Conference Room, Academy of Fine Arts,**  
2, Cathedral Road, Maidan, Kolkata-700071  
Phone: +91 33 2223 7096

Krishna Trust in collaboration with Calcutta Research Group has been engaged almost for a decade in giving recognition to women educationists, health activists, and caregivers working for health and education of girl children and women. Krishna Memorial Awards have been instituted with this aim. It is an honour for Krishna Trust to confer these annual awards. Calcutta Research Group and Krishna Trust are engaged in dialogues with social activists, educational institutions situated at grass root level, and caregivers working for marginalised sections of society, particularly women. This work has become more important in the background of the pandemic.

In the coming years Calcutta Research Group and Krishna Trust will be organising workshops involving grass root care givers and social activists working on women's health and education particularly the health and education of the girl child.

For details on Krishna Trust and past awardees please visit :  
[http://www.mcrg.ac.in/krishna\\_trust/index.html](http://www.mcrg.ac.in/krishna_trust/index.html)

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