



Bruhan Maharashtra Mandal (BMM)

Form for Recommendations for Book Recognition from BMM Mandals

At the June 2024 BMM Convention

This Form (**Form-RFP-B**) is Reviewed and Filled by BMM **<Mandal> EC**

Bruhan Maharashtra Mandal of North America's (BMM) Mission and tradition is to encourage the talented Marathi authors in North America. The eligible and selected books and the Authors will be given a recognition at the 2024 BMM convention, which is the largest gathering of the NA Marathi people. Mandals can recommend distinguished local Marathi authors to BMM. Only mandal EC should fill up this Form-RFP-B ("Form") of recommendations. One Form per one recommendation and separate Forms for multiple recommendations if any,

BMM Mandals are requested to review and agree with the selection criteria mentioned below and then only fill up this Form and submit to BMM (bmm-2022-24-officers@bmmonline.org) latest by February 15, 2024.

Book/Author Selection Criteria:

- Author is a permanent resident of North America and a Marathi person.
- The book must be published (print copy or E-Book) after August 15th, 2022.
- Author must be a member of the local mandal in the year 2022-24.
- The book must be in the Marathi or English Language only.
- The book must be a regular published/printed book/E-Book.
- Author must attend the convention in person at his/her own expense. A proof of purchase must be submitted when requested by BMM (upon short listing the Book) else the entry will be discarded/cancelled at no financial obligation to BMM.
- BMM has no financial obligation for any financial transactions by the Author.
- Book's top cover photo clearly states the title, Author name should be sent along with the Form as well as the photo of the date of publishing from the inside of the book.
- A two-minute video of the author's talk about the book should be provided as part of the submission with rights of broadcasting given to BMM in entirety. Video contents must be about the book only.
- 3 Copies of the printed book must be provided.
- Author understands that he/she may not get any stage time to talk about him/herself or the book.
- Mandal agrees that BMM will further review and validate the information before final selection. Mandal agrees that BMM has the final right to select or not select any book.
- Mandal will ensure the above criteria is reviewed and agreed by the author before recommending his/her name.
- A complete application must be received before March 15, 2024



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Mandal Details:

Sr #	Item	Mandal Response
1	Mandal Formal Name	
	Mandal communication email ID	
2	Mandal registered Address	
3	Mandal NPO Registration #	
4	Mandal President Name and Email ID and phone number	
5	Mandal EC Names	
6	Mandal President's signature (thereby agreeing to above criteria rules and have ensured author has reviewed/agreed to)	

Author Details

Sr #	Item	Mandal Response
1	Author's Full Name	
2	Author's Full Address	
3	Author contact Phone number	
4	Author Email ID	
5	Author signature (thereby he/she agrees to the criteria rules)	
5	Brief about Author (5-7 sentences only)	



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Book Details

Sr #	Item	Mandal Response
1	Book Name as shown on cover page	
2	Date of publishing (must be between Sept 1 st 2022 until Dec 31, 2023)	
3	Book Language (Marathi or English)	
4	Synopsis of book (Max 10 sentence)	