

The full list of winners of the State Literary Awards 2017

Sinhala Awards:

Original Novels	Garuda Muhurthaya, Kirthi Welisarage
Original short stories –	Makara Thorana – Prabhath Jayasinghe
Original Poetry	Samahara Kamatahan – Lakshantha Atukorale
Original Lyrics	Pinibara Malak -Kularatne Ariyavansa
Original Literature for Youth	Rama Saha Dinoo -Anula De Silva
Original Drama	Mahagiridamba – Jayalath Manoratne
Original Science Literature	Sangavunu Lovaka Hudakala Gaveshana- H.S. Ratnayake
Children's Literature 1	Avurudhu Kema – Sybil Wettasinghe
Children's Literature 2	Mage Guruthuma – Thanuja N. Ayagama
Best Academic and Research Publication	A study of Buddhist Philosophy – G.M. Rajapaksha
Social Studies under Varied Subjects	History of Police and Police Service of People-Victor Perera
Human Studies under Varied Subjects	Bhasha Vimansa – Piyaseeli Wijemanna
Translations under Varied Subjects	My life Story – Gayathri M. Herath
Best Translations of Academic and Research Publications- 2 Awards	Nirvanaya - Denzil Senadheera
	And Dahami Ashoka - Vimalasena Vidanapathirana
Best Novel in Translation	Nomeru Tharunayek(1,2,3) - Ananda Amarasiri
Best Short Stories in Translation	Vesmuhunu – Chandana Mendis
Best Drama in Translation	Shri Harshadevi's Rathnavali Drama-Walter Marasinghe
Best Cover Design	Nonavathina Dadayama – Shantha K. Herath
Books with Best Page Layout and Design	Samprasadana – Aruna Lokuliyana
Publisher of the most number of winning books –	S. Godage and Brothers (pvt) Ltd.

Tamil Awards

Best Novel	Thazumpu - M. Balasingham
Best Short Stories	Sorkkapurich Sangathi - M.M. Nowshad
Best Book of Poetry	Thoppul Kodium Thalaippakaum – Anpudeen (B.M. Kalandhar Lebai)
Miscellaneous	Kalaichcelvi Kalam- Sitphy (S. Sivasaravanabavan)
Academic and Research	Ancient History of the Tamils in Adanakappattu – Vanni – Aruna Selladurai
Drama	Atrai Thinkal – J. Johnson Rajkumar
Children's Literature 1	Undaintha Paanai – O.K. Kunanaadan
Children's Literature 2	Cinthanaik Kadaikal – S. Arulanandan
Youth Literature	Aanmeeka Poigai – R.V. Kanthaswamy
Translated Short Stories	Aval Peihiraal – A.L. Azoomath
Best Novel in Translation	Bohala Soundiris – Dickwelle Kamal
Best Translated drama	Caucasian Chalk Circle – M. Shanmugalingam
Best Translated Poetry	Porms of Caravan – Pannamattuk Kavirayar (S.M. Farook)

English

Children's Literature	True Sportsmanship - Janaki Galappatti
Youth Literature	The New Child- Saravi Ranasinghe
Best Novel in Translation	Mirage – Rev. Subramaniam Jebanesan
Best Literary Work in Varied Subjects	The Lion's Roar – Dr. Sarath Amunugama

Best Academic and Research Publication

Crime Prevention Efforts in national Planning in

Sri Lanka-Premanda Athapattu

Best Collection of Short Stories

Mute Squalls - Niranjili Motha

Best Novel in English

What Lies Between Us - Nayomi Munaweera