

Trinity Arts Festival of India
(Sponsored by Trinity Mirror and Makkal Kural newspapers)
R. Muthukumar, Chairman and Murali Raghavan, Convenor welcome you to the Inauguration of the Festival on Saturday 23rd December 2017 at 5.45PM by Dr. Robert Morris, world renowned composer and Professor of Composition at the Eastman School of Music, USA. He will deliver a special address on " Acceptance of Indian music by Global audience".
Presentation of Awards to leading Bharatanatyam exponents and Carnatic (vocal and instrumental) musicians.
Kshetrambujamala-Bharatanatyam (Ambujam Krishna's compositions)
By Anita Guha's Bharatakalanjali
Venue: Kumararani Meena Muthiah College of Arts and Science
4 Crescent Avenue Road, Gandhi Nagar, Adyar, Chennai 600020.

**Sunday, 24
December**

**Inauguration of First Natya Conference -Nava Dhisha-Sunday 24th Dec, 2017
8.30AM-Convenor, Dr.Apoorva Jayaraman**

Guests of Honor-Shri N.Ravi (Publisher, "The Hindu") / Kum. Malavika Sarukkai / Smt. Priyadarsini Govind

**Presentation of Lifetime Achievement Award to Kum.
Malavika Sarukkai**

**Keynote Talk-Renegotiating with purposes and Motivations
of performance**

Nava Dhisha-Natya Conference

Session 1	Repurposing the relevance of practice & performance
9.10AM	Keynote-Renegotiating with the purposes and motivations of Performance-Malavika Sarukkai.
9.45AM	Redefining the Spiritual in the pursuit Mithili Prakash/K.P Rakesh

10.25AM Our Ideologies of Theory and Practice in
Harmony
Vijna Vasudevan

10.45 AM Contemporariness of content
Sweta Prachande

11.00AM Q & A
Lead - Malavika Sarukkai

**Sunday, 24
December**

Bharatanatyam

12.00 noon Sushmitha Anbuselvan
1.45PM Gopu Kiran and Aashin Kiran
3.30PM Sneha Ganeshan (Kuchipudi)
5.15PM Radhe Jaggi
7.00PM Priyadarsini Govind

**Monday, 25
December**

Session 2 Social relevance of the Indian dancer

8.35AM Social evolution of performance as a
profession
S Jayachandran

8.55AM If we stopped dancing today, who should
care?
Anjana Anand

9.15AM	<p>Why does Indian classic dance matter to international communities?</p> <p>Guiditta de Concini (video talk)</p>
9.25AM	<p>Keynote</p> <p>Performance as a professional practice in the modern world</p> <p>Priyadarsini Govind</p>
9.45AM	<p>Q & A</p> <p>Lead-Priyadarsini Govind</p>
Session 3	Social relevance of dance
10.15AM	<p>Art in the time of calamity</p> <p>Medha Hari</p>
10.35AM	<p>Dance at the interface of two cultures</p> <p>Sahasra Sambamoorthi (Video talk)</p>
10.45AM	<p>Dance as a social facilitator</p> <p>Arvinth Kumaraswamy</p>
11.05AM	Valedictory Address
11.25AM	Credits and vote of thanks
11.30AM	Interaction of audience
Bharatanatyam	
12.00 noon	Diksha Krishna

1.45PM	Renjith & Vjna
3.30PM	Sukanya Kumar
5.15PM	Medha Hari
7.00PM	Shivogam Shivogam-Dr.Urmila Sathyanarayanan & students

**Tuesday, 26
December**

Bharatanatyam

10.15AM	Kavya Sridhar
12.00 noon	Sahana Selvaganesh
1.45PM	Swathi Athmanathan
3.30PM	Sudharma Vaidhyanathan
5.15PM	Dr. Lakshmi Ramaswamy
7.00PM	Dance Drama by students of Smt. Jayanthi Subramaniam

Wednesday, 27 December

10.15AM	Maithreyi Iyer-Bharatanatyam
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Carnatic Music

12.15PM	Anvita Hariharan (Houston) (Saxophone)
2.30PM	Dr. Sanjay Subramnaian (St.Louis)(Vocal)
4.45PM	Kunnakudi Balamurali Krishna (Vocal)
7.00PM	Injikudi Subramanian & party (Nagaswaram)

**Thursday, 28
December**

Carnatic Music

11.00AM	Keshav (Houston) (Violin)
12.15PM	Shruti Bhatt (Vocal)
2.30PM	Divya Ramachandran (Vocal)

4.45PM Cuddalore S J Janany (Vocal)

7.00PM Sandeep Narayanan (Vocal)

**Friday, 29
December**

Carnatic Music

11.00AM Viswas (Mandolin)

12.15PM Roopa Shastry (Hong Kong) (Vocal)

2.30PM Vishal Sapuram (Chiraveena) & Thirumarugal
Dinesh Kumar (Violin)

4.45PM S. Aiswarya (Vocal)

7.00PM Saswathi Prabhu (Vocal)

**Saturday, 30
December**

Carnatic Music

11.00AM Aiswarya Srinivas (Vocal)

12.45PM Shreya Devnath (Violin)

2.30PM Nithya & Vidhya (Vocal)

4.45PM Dr.M. Narmadha (Violin)

7.00PM Dr. Sirkali Sivachidambaram (Vocal)

**Sunday, 31
December**

Carnatic Music

10.30AM J.Siddhartha (Vocal)

12.15PM Nisha Suresh (Vocal)

2.30PM Mayuri Vasan (Los Angeles) (Vocal)

4.45PM J Jayanth (Flute)

6.45PM	Centenary Celebration of Music Composer Shri Sivasubramaniam
7.15PM	Akkarai Sister (Vocal)