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Dear Readers,

We are pleased to present the inaugural issue of *Texture*. We thank you for embarking on this journey with us. We hope this will be the first in a long series, and our ambition is to set the highest standards for academic ingenuity and respectability.

We are profoundly grateful to those who have made this publication possible. First, the distinguished scholars who have consented to be part of the Editorial team. Additional thanks are owed to the students and faculty of *Society for the Advancement of Research in Humanities and Social Sciences* for supporting our new initiative, and in particular to those scholars who have contributed articles to our inaugural issue.

The inaugural issue has a strong leaning towards literature, especially South Asian literature. The journal looks forward to a long run into the future, publishing scholarship on things related to the humanities and social sciences, past and present.

We hope this issue enriches our readers.

The Editors-in-Chief

