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The SPSI is organizing an Essay Writing Competition as part of its **Centenary Celebration of Prof. M Santappa**. The objective of this competition is to enable young students gain awareness of the significant contributions of Prof. Santappa towards shaping the Indian leather industry, education and research in polymer science in India as well nation building. More details about Prof. Santappa can be found at <https://www.santappa.com/>.

Title of the essay: "Life and Work of Prof. Santappa: Impact on Indian Science and Technology"

Language: English

Length: Up to 1000 words

Eligibility: Indian student up to the age of 25 years as on 30 Sept 2023

Last Date: 10 September 2023

Entries to be sent to: anilkumar@iitb.ac.in

Awards: INR 5000 (First Prize) and 3000 (Second Prize)

The prize will be formally awarded during the centenary celebrations events to be held in the first week of October 2023. The winning entry will also be published in the commemorative book about Prof. Santappa which is being planned to be released during these celebrations.