## Result of Maya Kamath Memorial Awards Competition-2014

IIC is happy to announce the result of **The Maya Kamath Memorial Awards Competition- 2014** organised recently. We had received 91 entries from Indian Cartoonists for the Awards for Excellence in Political Cartooning, 44 for Best Budding Cartoonist Award and 53 for Best Foreign Cartoon Award. **The Prizes will be distributed on 6<sup>th</sup> June 2015 at the gallery**. An exhibition of selected entries will be displayed on the same occasion.

## M K M Awards for Excellence in Political Cartooning- 2014

1 <sup>st</sup> prize	Mr. Satish Acharya, Kundapur, Karnataka	Rs.25,000
2 <sup>nd</sup> prize	Mr. Kantesh Badiger, Bangalore	Rs.15,000
3 <sup>rd</sup> prize	Mr. Rohan Chakravarty, Nagpur	Rs. 5,000

## Special Jury appreciation prizes of Rs. 2,500

!.Mr. Gajanan Ghongde, Akola, 2. Sahil Bhatia, Delhi, 3. Tanmay Tyagi, New Delhi

# **Best Foreign Cartoon-2014**

Paolo Dalponte, Italy US \$ 200,
 Behzad Ghafari, Canada US \$100

#### **Certificates of Merit**

Luc Descheemaekar, Belgium 2. Jovan Prokopijevic, Serbia
 Georgievski Miro, Macedonia

### **Best Budding Cartoonist-2014**

Miss Leeza John, Pottamkulam, Kerala Rs.10,000
Opinion of the Jury

The Jury of the MKMA met on 1<sup>st</sup> April 2015 at the Gallery and went through the entries. It was very gratifying to see that the competition is getting entries from all over the world, from countries as far as Serbia, Croatia, Iran, Cyprus, Italy and Macedonia. The quality of the entries was very high, particularly in the International section. The best entries from India are also excellent, original in conception, consummate in craftsmanship.

The Jury expressed their appreciation of the work done by Mr. V.G.Narendra [Managing Trustee, IIC] in making this an International event.

[The Jury includes Mr. Girish Karnad, Noted playwright and actor, Mr. S.G.Vasudev well known artist and Mr. B.G.Gujjarappa, senior cartoonist.]