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TRANSLATION STUDIES



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ABSTRACT

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Similarly from the East we inherited many works through translation, the Vedas, the Upanishads and the Bhagwad Gita and other works from Sanskrit and the East provided the world many literary works like the Ramayan, the Mahabharata, the Arabian Nights, the Rubiyat Panchtantra, Kathasaritsagar through translation.

The mysterious and amazing world of Urdu Ghazals masters Mirza Ghalib, Mir and Sufi poets are being translated into other languages.

Similarly works of Bhakti sect or Varkari sect in Maharashtra propagated by the saint poets like Tukaram, Namdeo and others are achieving universal and contemporary appeal in translation.

Translation being a binary process a work of one language is translated into other language. World classics are translated from one language to another. But translation is of highest significance like a multicultural country like India where people are of different cultures, castes, ethos, languages, religions, live in different regions. The literary works from one regional language should be translated into another regional language to understand their cultural ethos.

Different associations and institutions like Sahitya Akademi have been translating works from one Indian language to another into English. Previously Sahitya Sanskriti Mandal in Maharashtra translated many world classics in

Marathi Recently Macmillan, india has undertaken a project to translate modern Novels for different various Indian languages into English Similarly individual persons also contribute in the process of translation, they also translate literary works from one language in to another for that the thorough knowledge of both the languages is necessary and must We should know the nuances of both the languages Hence translation enriches the world literature

But in the process of globalization, post colonization, linguistic imperialism if you want to make the whole world a village through one link language i.e. English there is a looming danger of losing this multiculturalism English may be used as a medium for official, scientific and technical purposes but for the effusion for the yearning of the soul Mira must resort to Hindi, Ghalib to Urdu and Tuka to Marathi As in the process of standardization of a language the dialects of that language must be mercilessly crucified similarly in the process of the haunting ghost of globalization the multiculturalization which is must for the existence for the different ethos of mankind brings to an annihilation So we should be aware of the pros and cons of globalization and it challenges Indian languages and civilization as a whole We should also consider Nativism into account in the process of translation.

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