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## Speculative Literature Foundation to Launch a Redesigned Website

Chicago, IL September 22, 2015 – The Speculative Literature Foundation will officially launch a redesigned website this Friday, September 30 with the hopes of cultivating a greater public appreciation and understanding of speculative literature. All are welcome to browse the large archive of information for writers, magazines, and small presses.

After a decade, the site has been updated with the most recent information pertaining to the genre of speculative literature (including supernatural, fantastical, and futuristic fiction). The website is designed to be responsive to any computer, smartphone, or tablet. Drop-down menus can be easily navigated and visible on any page. The director and co-founder of the foundation, Mary Anne Mohanraj, says that this is a wonderful tool for anyone who is interested in any form of speculative literature financially or for entertainment.

"What makes this site great is that it takes all of the speculative literature websites and compiles them into one huge collection of information that is easy to maneuver," said Mohanraj. "There is really nothing like it for spec lit on the internet."

The resources collected on the website includes grants that assist up-and-coming and veteran writers, guides to academic and professional programs, a calendar of science fiction conventions, relevant booklists for readers, and much more. The Foundation puts special emphasis on financial assistance designed as 'gateway' grants with no entry fees or application processes, and fiscal sponsorships.

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