



GOA UNIVERSITY

Shenoi Goembab School of Languages
and Literature & Vriksh Foundation



If trees could speak, what would they say?

This Climate Week India 2026, don't just walk among the trees. Write for them.

POETREE WALK

Goa University and Vriksh Foundation invite students, faculty and nature lovers to discover the trees of the University campus, and respond to them through poetry, verse and reflection.

HOW TO PARTICIPATE?

- Choose one or several of the trees that will be part of the walk : **Banyan | Coconut | Copperpod | Devil's Tree | False Almond | Gulmohar | Karanja | Kharvant | Madras Thorn | Malabar Silk | Mango | Moi | Raintree | Teak | Amaltas | Fishtail Palm**
- Your poem can be in any of the languages of our literary landscape : **English | Konkani | Hindi | Marathi | French | Portuguese**
- You may write about the tree's story, memory, mythology, ecology, relationship with people, or simply what you feel when you stand beneath it.
- Register as a participating poet and submit your poetry using the given QR code.
- Selected poems may be shared during the Poetree Walks on the Goa University campus.

TIMELINE

Register as a poet or an attendee by
25 September 2026



Details of the trail will be sent to the
registered participants by
28 September 2026



Poetree Walk 1 on
29 September 2026 | 09:30-11:30 am



Poetree Walk 2 on
01 October 2026 | 09:30-11:30 am



Scan the QR code to register

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**Explore the stories and descriptions of the trees at:
vriksh.org/treepedia**

**Come and be part of Climate Week India 2026 at
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