

## THE DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH, JAMIA MILLIA ISLAMIA presents



## METER AND MAGIC IN CONTEMPORARY POETRY: AN INTERACTION WITH AMERICAN FEMINIST POET ANNIE FINCH



## 21 September

3:00 pm Seminar Hall, Department of English, Jamia Millia Islamia

Annie Finch is an American poet, writer, translator, and speaker known for her incantatory poetry, composed to be read aloud. She is the author of seven books of poetry, the latest being Earth Days: Poems, Chants, & Spells in Five Directions, and was awarded the Robert Fitzgerald Award for her lifetime contribution to the Art and Craft of Versification in 2012. Her poetry has appeared in the New York Times, Poetry Magazine, Paris Review, Penguin Book of Twentieth-Century American Poetry, and Norton Anthology of World Literature and has been translated into Arabic, Chinese, Farsi, French, Portuguese, Polish, Russian, and Spanish. Educated at Yale University and Stanford University, where she earned her Ph.D, she has performed her poems across the U.S. and in India, Mexico, Africa, and throughout Europe.