

Bertil sees little role for Suu Kyi



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Eminent [author](#)-journalist Bertil Lintner, who is recognized [as](#) an expert on [Myanmar](#) (Burma or Brahmadesh) affairs, feels that the pro-democracy Burmese icon Aung San Suu Kyi would have little political power in post-poll [Myanmar](#) even though her part [National League for Democracy \(NLD\)](#) sweeps the general election.

Attending the 'Guest of the Month' program of Guwahati Press Club ([GPC](#)) on 24 October 2015, the Swedish journalist however hopes that the November [8](#) polls would bring a ray of hope for the people of Burma. Refuting the possibility of Suu Kyi being the next [President](#) of [Myanmar](#), Bertil predicts that the present [President](#) Thein Sein would win the Presidency for second time.

Currently a [writer](#) with Asia Pacific Media Services, Bertil earlier worked with Far Eastern Economic Review. He has authored several books on [Myanmar](#) including 'Burma in Revolt: [Opium](#) and Insurgency Since 1948', 'Land of Jade: A Journey from [India](#) through Northern Burma to China', 'The Kachin: Lords of Burma's Northern Frontier', 'Outrage: Burma's Struggle for Democracy' etc.

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