

24TH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF VEDĀNTA

Practical Vedānta

JAWAHARLAL NEHRU UNIVERSITY
NEW DELHI-110067

January 10-12, 2020

Venue: Convention Center, JNU

Day I, January 10, 2020 (Friday)		
Schedule	Session	Speaker
8:30-09:30 am	Refreshment at JNU Cafataria	
09:00 - 10:00 am	Registration	
10:00 - 11:30 am	Inaugural Session Release of <ol style="list-style-type: none"><i>Souvenir</i><i>Vedanta, Science and Technology: A Multidimensional Approach</i><i>A Different Take-An NRI View of India in the Tradition of Ram, Krishna and Gandhi</i><i>Shabda Bharati</i>	Chair: Professor M. Jagdesh Kumar Welcome: Professor R.P.Singh Inaugural Address: Prof. Kapil Kapoor Keynote Speaker: Prof. R.C.Sinha Legacy of Vedanta: Prof. S.S.Rama Rao Pappu Guest of Honour: Prof.Sukalyan Sengupta, Prof. Bal Ram Singh, Prof. Girish Nath Jha, Prof. Santosh K.Shukla Vote of Thanks: Prof. Bindu Puri
11:30-11:45	Group Photograph & High Tea / Coffee Break	
11:45 - 01:15 pm	Session II Invited Speakers Consciousness Studies: Perspectives from Neurosciences and Vedānta Foundations of Society: <i>Dharama, Li</i> and Natural Law	Chair: Prof. Bal Ram Singh Speaker: Prof. Sukalyan Sengupta Prof. S.S.Rama Rao Pappu
	POSTER PRESENTATION Is Sanskrit a Perfect Language for Creating Sustainable Natural Science? Vedantic Foundations of Ayurvedic Science and Technology वैदिक मूल्य आधारित जीवन , एक सामाजिक परिप्रेक्ष्य <i>Sristi Ki Karanrupa Vak</i> Nonviolence at Work Place	Presenters: Prof. Bal Ram Singh Bal Ram Singh, Sirisha Mukkavalli, and Raj Kumar Smt. Rekha Singh Dr. Aparna Dhir Ms. Ayatakshee

1:15 - 2:00 pm	Lunch Break	
2:00 - 3:30 pm	<p>Session III Plenary Session</p> <p>Cosmic Motivational Psychology: Gunas Effect Mentality Vedanta and Animal Sacrifice - Some Reflections Modern Vedanta in Response to Science and Scepticism With Special Reference to Vivekananda and Sri Aurobindo</p>	<p>Chair: Prof. Sukalyan Sengupta Speakers Dr. Pratibha Gramann Prof. V. Prabhu Prof. R.P.Singh</p>
3:30 - 4:00 pm	Tea/Coffee Break	
4:00 - 5:45 pm	<p>Session IV In Memory of late Prof. K.Srinivas Action and Commitment: A Vedāntic Perspective</p>	<p>Chair: Prof. S.S.Ramarao Pappu Prof. Srinivas' paper to be presented by Prof. R.P.Singh Tribute by Prof. Kutumba Shastry Prof. Bal Ram Singh Prof. V.Prabhu Prof. Nataraju Adarasupally Prof. Ashok Vohra Prof. C.S.R.Murty Dr. Puja Rai</p>
5:45-6:00 p.m.	Tea/Coffee Break	
	PARALLEL SESSION	
6:00-7:30 p.m.	<p>Session V Plenary Session, Convention Centre The Physics of <i>Atma Svarupa</i> Why the World Needs Vedanta: On the Globalization of Hinduism (SKYPE presentation) Pertinence of Music in Vedanta Vedanta and Varnashramas</p>	<p>Chair: Prof. Girish Nath Jha Speakers Dr. Alex Hankey Prof. Jeffery D. Long Dr. J.B.Athavale Prof. Kalla Bala Subbarayudu</p>
6:00-7:30 p.m.	<p>Session VI SS&IS Swami Vivekananda and Vedanta: Basis of Religious Universalism A Comparative Study of <i>Vedantic Varna</i> System on a Special Reference to Vivekananda <i>Vedānta</i> Śaṅkara's <i>Aparokṣānubhūti</i> – Is It Practical? Shanti and Niskama Karma Yoga in <i>Gita</i></p>	<p>Chair: Prof. Sushant K. Misra Speakers Dr. Kabita Das Jenamani Sahoo Dr. Parmita Chowdhury Dr. Ranjana Yadav</p>

	Redefining the Supply and Demand Elements of Economics for a Sustainable Modern Society	Alok Dwivedi
7:30 P.M.	DINNER	
Day II, January 11, 2020 (Saturday)		
Schedule	Session	Speaker
8:30-09:30 a.m.	Refreshment	
9:30 - 11:00 p.m.	Session VII Plenary Session Vedantic Basis and Virtues of Quantum State and Reality Pedagogy of Learning: In the Light of Advaita Vedānta Effective communication framework	Chair: Prof. Dipendra Nath Das Speakers: Prof. Bal Ram Singh Prof. Raghunath Ghosh Dr. Nilesh N. Oak
11:00 -11:15	Tea/Coffee Break	
11:15-1:15 p.m.	Session VIII Panel Discussion On the Hard Problem of 'Enworlded Subjectivity' in Advaita Vedānta Philosophy Vedic and Vedāntic Concept of Bondage and Liberation Corporate World and Indian Philosophy Conducting oneself in accordance with <i>Dharma</i> & Sustainable Development	Chair: Prof. Bindu Puri Speakers Prof. Nataraju Adarasupally Prof. Shashi Tiwari Prof. B.N.Bhattacharya Prof. Shakuntala Bora
1:15- 2:00 pm	Lunch Break	
02:00-3:30 p.m.	Session IX Plenary Session Interpreting Vedanta Concepts for Corporate Human Excellence The Concept of Responsibility in Indian Tradition The Concept of Assimilation in Indian Culture: A Study in Aurobindo and Vivekananda	Chair: Prof. Madhav Govind Speakers: Prof. Sree Ram Darbha Prof. Takahiro Kato Dr. Puja Rai
3:45-4:00 p.m.	Tea/Coffee Break	
	PARALLEL SESSIONS	
4:00-6:30 p.m.	Session X, Seminar Hall, SS&IS वेदों में विश्व भातृत्व और मानवीय समानता की शिक्षाएं महाभारत में आरोग्य विज्ञान : एक अध्ययन आयुर्वेद के सन्दर्भ में	Chair: Prof. Santosh K. Shukla Speakers तुषार मुखर्जी हितेश मीना

	<p>आयुर्वेद में वर्णित गर्भकालीन आहारव्यवस्था की वर्तमान में प्रासंगिकता आयुर्वेद में वर्णित सप्तविध धातुओं के पोषण की प्रक्रिया (बृहत्त्रयी के आलोक में) वेदान्तपरिभाषा के प्रत्यक्षप्रमाण का नव्यन्याय भाषा-प्रदीप में अनुप्रय <i>भारतीय ज्ञान परम्परा में कामशास्त्र का प्रयोजन</i></p> <p>प्रमुख उपनिषदों का डिजिटाइजेशन: इंटरनेट सर्चिंग के विशेष सन्दर्भ में</p>	<p>खुशबू कुमारी</p> <p>सतीश कुमार</p> <p>बनास कुमारी मीणा</p> <p>राघवेन्द्र मिश्र</p> <p>देवेन्द्र कुमार</p>
04-06:00	<p>Session XI, Panel Discussion, Convention Centre</p> <p>Ecological Concerns in <i>Brhadāranyaka Upanisad</i> Time-Consciousness in Buddhism and Husserl: A Cross-Cultural Phenomenological Study Sources of Indology: Relevance of Anquetil Duperron and his work in contemporary times</p> <p>The Influence of Indian Thought (Vedanta) in French Literature and in the Writings of Andre Malraux</p> <p><i>Karma Yoga</i> and Purity of Intention in Swami Vivekananda: Going Beyond Phenomenology of Consciousness</p>	<p>Chair: Prof. Heeraman Tiwari</p> <p>Speakers</p> <p>Prof. Abha Singh</p> <p>Prof. H.S.Prasad</p> <p>Prof. Sushant K. Misra</p> <p>Mr. Satyan Jha</p> <p>Prof. Bhagat Oinam</p>
04:00-6:30	<p>Session XII, Conference Room, CP, SSS</p> <p>The <i>Emancipation</i> in Thought and its Causal Structure: Nāgārjuna in Context</p> <p>Consciousness from the Perspective of Shankar's Advaita Jnana Yoga: A Scientific Approach to Moksha</p> <p><i>Māṇḍūkya Kārikā</i>: Revisiting Some Metaphorical Expressions</p> <p>An Upanishadic Perspective Advaita Vedanta on Consciousness in the State of</p>	<p>Chair: Dr. Ajay K. Verma</p> <p>Dr. Saumya Kanti Biswas</p> <p>Selina Das</p> <p>Ravi Jatavallabhula</p> <p>Ajay Jaiswal</p> <p>Shad M.</p>

	Deep Sleep <i>Vedānta</i> and Consciousness: A Study of Metaphysical and Epistemological Nature of Consciousness in S`amkara and Husserl	Ekta Bhati
4:00-6:00 p.m.	Session XIII, Conference Room, SS&IS Reinterpretation of <i>Samkhyakarika</i> : Sources and Narratives The Authorship Debate in Śaṅkara: Examining <i>Bhakti</i> as a Criterion Growth of Indian Astronomy: A Survey From Action to Agent: Abhinavagupta's Grammatical Genius in <i>Īśvarapratyabhijñāvimarśinī</i> Vedanta and Gender Justice: A Conceptual Analysis Consciousness in Advaita Vedanta ब्रह्म, प्रकृति तथा स्वः एक तादात्म्य सम्बन्ध Consciousness in Advaita Vedanta	Chair: Prof. Brijesh K.Pandey Speakers Dr. Shipra Shubhra Jyoti Das Sumit Rout Shikha Rajpurohit Dr. Ghazala Rizvi Yogendra Bhardwaj Manogna Kalla
7:30P.M.	DINNER	
Day III, January 12, 2020 (Sunday)		
Schedule	Session	Speaker
8:30-09:30 a.m.	Refreshment	
09:30-11:00 a.m.	Session XIV Invited Speaker Consciousness, Neuroscience and Vedanta Mind and Consciousness: Comparative Analysis of Vedantic and Neuropsychological Approaches	Chair: Prof. Bal Ram Singh Speakers: Prof. Ashok Mukhopadhyaya Dr. Mina Chandra
11:00-11:15	Tea/Coffee Break	
11:15-1:15	Session XV Essence of Vedanta and Quantum Physics A comparative study of Consciousness with Special Reference to Sankara and Husserl	Chair: Prof. Shakuntala Bora Speakers Prof. S.R. Verma Dr Madhubala Kumari

	<p><i>Adhyāsa</i> and the Distinction between <i>Vyāvahārika-Sattā</i> and <i>Pāramārthika-Sattā</i></p> <p>Interpretation of Saṃvathsara in Uttarāphālguni Nakshatra Epoch-10004 BCE</p> <p>Theorising Conscious Experiences through Vedanta</p>	<p>Anirban Mukherjee</p> <p>Prof. Rupa Bhaty</p> <p>Ragini Kapoor</p>
01:15-2:00 P.M.	Lunch Break	
02:00-3:45	<p>Session XVI</p> <p><i>Adhyāsa-bhāṣya</i> in Śaṅkara's Advaita Vedānta: An Analysis</p> <p>The Dilemma of Determination and Impulsion: An Advaitic Perspective</p> <p><i>Pramāṇa</i> and <i>Pramāṇa Vyavasthā</i> in <i>Āyurveda</i></p> <p>Inquiry of Teaching and Pedagogical Practices in <i>Chāndogyapanishad</i></p> <p>Status of Women in Vedas</p>	<p>Chair: Prof. Rajnish K.Misra</p> <p>Speakers</p> <p>Dr. Arup Jyoti Sarma</p> <p>Dr Prashant Shukla</p> <p>Dr. Sandhya Gupta</p> <p>Dr. Sunita Singh</p> <p>Dr. Reena Sablok</p>
03:30-04:00	Tea/Coffee Break	
04:00-05:00	<p>Session XVII</p> <p><i>Shāshtrārtha: Vedānta darshanam kim?</i></p>	<p>Chair: Prof. A.Nataraju</p> <p>Prof. Satyamurthy Srivastava</p> <p>Prof. Santosh K. Shukla</p> <p>Prof. T.Mahendra</p> <p>Prof. Brijesh K.Pandey</p>
05:00-6:00	<p>Valedictory Session</p> <p>On Shabari Mala</p> <p>Summary report of 24th Vedanta Congress</p> <p>Comments and Future Plan of the Vedanta Congress</p>	<p>Chair: Prof. K.Ratnam</p> <p>Invited Speakers:</p> <p>Prof. Arvinda Sharma</p> <p>Professor R.P.Singh</p> <p>Prof. Sukalyan Sengupta</p> <p>Prof. Santosh K.Shukla</p> <p>Prof. Bal Ram Singh</p>
7:30 P.M. ONWARDS	DINNER	