

# Monthly Activity Report of School of Indic Studies, INADS August, 2021

## Initiatives -

➔ Three-Month Online Skill Development Certificate Course in collaboration with Maitreyi College, University of Delhi is running from April, 2021 concluded in August, 2021. The valedictory session was on 1st August, 2021 was well attended by INADS faculty members. Prof. Bal Ram Singh was the Chief Guest of this session and Dr. Umesh Kumar Singh has presented the welcome address of this session.

TIME	SCHEDULE
04:00 PM	Sanskrit Mangalacharan by Dr. Anirudh Ojha
04:03 PM	College Documentary
04:07 PM	Welcome by Dr. Umesh Kumar Singh, Course-Coordinator & Assistant Professor, School of Indic Studies, Institute of Advanced Sciences, USA
04:12 PM	Address by Prof. Haritma Chopra, Chair of the session & Principal (Officiating), Maitreyi College
04:27 PM	Address by the Guest of Honor, Shri Nitesh Nilekhanth Oak, Faculty, School of Indic Studies, Institute of Advanced Sciences, USA
04:45 PM	Experience related to the certificate course (Feedback) by the Participants
05:05 PM	Concluding Remarks by the Chief Guest, Prof. Bal Ram Singh, Director, Institute of Advanced Sciences, USA
05:25 PM	Vote of thanks by Dr. Jyoti Singh, Course-Coordinator & Associate Professor, Maitreyi College

**Moderators** Dr. Pramod Kumar Singh & Dr. Nupur Chawla

Join Zoom Meeting  
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86839874081>  
 Meeting ID: 868 3987 4081  
 Passcode: 212852

## Presentations –

**Prof. Bal Ram Singh** gave valedictory address on ‘*Language, Modern Technology, and Education*’, organised by Maitreyi College, University of Delhi on 1st August, 2021. He delivered his views in a webinar on ‘*Uttar Pradesh me Krishi aur Kisan*’ on 7th August, 2021.

**Valedictory Session: Language, Modern Technology, and Education**  
 Maitreyi College, Delhi Univ.  
 August 1, 2021

**Bal Ram Singh**  
 School of Indic Studies/Botulinum Research Center  
 Institute of Advanced Sciences, Dartmouth, MA, USA

**The Book Revolution**

- Access to knowledge in bulk
- Equal playing field for knowledge to masses
- Adaptation to the technology in education pedagogy
- The textbooks

Recreated Gutenberg press (around 1440) at the International Printing Museum, Carson, CA

He presented on ‘*Development and Utility of Chemistry as the Central Science in Modern Society*’ in LNCT College, Bhopal on 11th August, 2021 and also on 14th August, 2021 he talked about ‘*Chemistry of Culture and the Narrative of Nationalism*’ in Santhigiri. In a 2-day international conference on ‘*Health, Happiness, and Well-Being: A journey through Yoga*’ Prof. Singh spoke on ‘*Yoga Science for Health*’ organised by Janki Devi Memorial College on 22nd August, 2021.

**LNCT GROUP OF COLLEGES, BHOPAL**

**Webinar on  
“DEVELOPMENT AND  
UTILITY OF CHEMISTRY  
AS THE CENTRAL SCIENCE  
IN MODERN SOCIETY”**

**DR. BAL RAM SINGH**  
Director, Botulinum Research Centre,  
President, Institute of Advanced Sciences,  
University Of Massachusetts, Dartmouth, USA.

WEDNESDAY, 11<sup>th</sup> Aug, 2021  
05:30 PM to 05:00 PM

For Registration Click  
<https://bit.ly/3xaSe55>

Co-ordinators  
**Dr. Lisha Kurup**  
Professor, LNCT | **Dr. Shraddha Sharma**  
Associate Prof., LNCT

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University of Delhi  
Department of Philosophy  
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PRESENTS

A TWO-DAY INTERNATIONAL WEBINAR ON  
**HEALTH, HAPPINESS, AND  
WELLBEING: A JOURNEY  
THROUGH YOGA**

DATE: 27TH AUGUST, 2021 | TIME: 10:30AM  
DATE: 28TH AUGUST, 2021 | TIME: 10:00AM

**Organising Committee**  
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**Prof. Swati Pal**  
Principal, JDMC  
**Dr. Jayanti P. Sahoo**  
Program Coordinator

On the occasion of World Sanskrit Day Prof. Singh talked about ‘*Sanskrit, Science, and Society*’ on 22nd August, 2021. Again, on the same day, in an online interview 75@75 organised by TCN Media for India’s 75th Independence Day celebrations Prof. Singh delivered his views on ‘*Diversity of Language*’.

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university

**सुसंस्कृतम्**  
World Sanskrit Day Celebration

22 August, 9:30 AM Onwards



**Chief Guest**  
**Dr Bal Ram Singh**  
Professor and President  
at Institute of Advanced  
Sciences, Dartmouth

Live on Rashtram & Rishihood University's YouTube Channels



Sh. Nilesh Oak had presented in multiple programs via Sattology, Jaipur Dialogues and numerous other YouTube platforms.

**TODAY 5:30PM INDIA  
8AM USA**

**Gangaputra  
Bhishm**

**Facebook Live with  
Shri Nilesh Oak**  
Indologist, Faculty, Inst. of Advanced  
Sciences, Dartmouth, USA.  
**21st August | Saturday | 5:30pm**  
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Dr. Aparna (Dhir) Khandelwal presented a keynote talk on “*Brāhmaṇas of Yajurveda*’ as an Ancient Texts on Vāstu Science’ in Pravachana Malika Talk#8 jointly organised by WAVES, Bangalore Chapter and Nada Veda Adhyayana Kendra, Bangalore on 29th August, 2021.

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**Nada Veda Adhyayana Kendra (Regd.)**  
A Practically Oriented Vedic Center  
#437, 3rd Main, XVII Cross, J.P. Nagar, V Phase, Bangalore 560078  
Phone: 26592489-9740150847; Web: <http://nada.vedic.com>  
& Wider Association for Vedic Studies (WAVES), Bangalore Chapter  
Jointly Present  
**(Virtual) Talk on**  
**“Brāhmaṇas of Yajurveda’ as an Ancient Text on Vāstu Science”**



In the series of Pravachana Malika - Talk #8  
**DATE:** August 29th (Sunday)  
**TIMINGS:** 8:30am – 10:00am (Central, US) | 7:00pm – 8:30pm (IST, India)  
**VENUE:** <https://umy.system.zoom.us/j/92613285957> (Passcode: 12345)  
Direct Link: <https://umy.system.zoom.us/j/92613285957?pwd=VkdWZjZlUkxhTGZlTlRVSU9pYzRlPT09>

**\*\*\*YOU ARE INVITED\*\*\***

**Program Details:**  
• Veda Kamanjali – by Veda Students of NVAK  
• Saugandhiji – Etee by Dr. Anjaneya Prasad Calyam  
• Inaugural Remarks – by Dr. C. L. Prabhakar, Director of NVAK  
• Keynote talk: by Dr. Aparna (Dhir) Khandelwal is an Assistant Professor, School of Indic Studies, Institute of Advanced Sciences, Dartmouth, MA, USA; Secretary (WAVES), Delhi



• Concluding Remarks – Dr. Purushottam Sista, Veda Student, Bangalore  
• Vote of Thanks – by Sri. Choran J. S. Manickala, India

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\*\*\*Bangalore Sodal Mangalams\*\*\*

## ‘यजुर्वेदीयब्राह्मणाधारितं प्राचीनवास्तुविज्ञानविषयं प्रति व्याख्यानम्

‘यजुर्वेदीयब्राह्मणाधारितं कृत्वा प्राचीनवास्तुविज्ञान’ विषयं प्रति वेक्ससंस्थायाः बंगलुरुचौपट एव नद वेद अध्ययन केंद्रस्य संयुक्तत्वावधाने अगस्तमासस्य एकोनत्रिंशदिनाङ्के व्याख्यानं संस्थापितम्। एतत् व्याख्यानप्रवचनं मलिकायाः अष्टमं व्याख्यानम् आसीत्। कार्यक्रमस्य आरम्भः प्रो. सीएल प्रभाकरः वेक्सबंगलुरुशाखायाः अध्यक्षस्य उद्बोधनेन जातः एतस्य व्याख्यानस्य मुख्यवक्त्रो डा. अपर्णा (धीरः)



खण्डेलवालः, सह-प्रवक्ता (स्कूल ऑफ इण्डिक स्टडीज, इन्स्टिट्यूट ऑफ एडवांस्ड साइंसेज, डार्टमोथ), एम ए , यू एस ए – प्रशासनिक सचिव, वेक्स इंडिया च वर्तते। तेन स्वमुख्ये उद्बोधने यजुर्वेदीयब्राह्मणम् अर्थात् शुक्लयजुर्वेदीयं शतपथब्राह्मणं कृष्णयजुर्वेदीयतेरीयब्राह्मणं च आधारीकृत्य प्राचीनवास्तुविज्ञानं प्रति प्रकाशः क्षिप्तः। तस्य उद्बोधनस्य मुख्याः दश विषयाः आसन्। यथा इष्टिकानां ज्ञानं, दिशां ज्ञानं, खननक्रियायाः ज्ञानं, मापनस्य विधेः ज्ञानं, गृहवाचकशब्दस्य प्रचलनं, वास्तुशैल्याः प्रचलनं, यज्ञवेद्याः स्थानस्य चयनसिद्धांतः, वेदीनिर्माणस्य सिद्धांतः, श्मशाननिर्माणस्य सिद्धांतश्च।

सार्धम् अस्मिन् कार्यक्रमे श्रीमद् भागवतपुराणे गृहीतसप्तशतलोकधारितस्य श्मशानसप्तशतशतैश्च ग्रंथस्य अपि लोकार्पणं जातम्।

कार्यक्रमे वेक्स भारतस्य अध्यक्ष प्रो. शशि तिवारी, डॉ रघव बोंडूपल्ली, डॉ धनंजय भांजा ,डॉ. सरस्वती प्रमोदी, दिव्यांशु धीरः, डॉ. धर्मा , डॉ नीलमः, डॉ सुषमा देवी, डॉ. गोविंद राजः, प्रो. के एस इत्यादिभिः प्रश्नकाले कार्यक्रमे भागं गृहीतवन्तः।

अस्मिन् कार्यक्रमे देशस्य विदेशस्य च बहवः विद्वंसः सम्मिलिताः। तेषु वेक्ससदस्याः अपि सन्ति।

## Publications –

- ❖ **Prof. Bal Ram Singh** authored two poems on the occasion of ‘Rakshabandhan’ and ‘Balram Jayanti’, i.e, 22nd & 28th August, 2021 respectively. Also he wrote two articles ‘[A New Narrative of Ayodhya as the Nanihal of Humanity](#)’ and ‘[Krishn Kutashtami – A Better Way to Celebrate Janmashtami](#)’ published at Vedic WAVES Blog on 6th & 30th August, 2021.



- ❖ On 15th August, 2021 publication of abridged translation of **Sh. Nilesh Oak's** 'The Historic Rama' in Hindi by Dr. Nandini Narayan titled '*Rama Katha - Nakshatronka Ayine Se*'
- ❖ **Dr. Aparna (Dhir) Khandelwal** authored an article '[ग्रामीण-समाज की व्यवस्था में रिश्तों की गहराई की झलक](#)' on HaatNow blog on 17th August, 2021.
- ❖ **Dr. Umesh Kumar Singh** created the corpus of Kāṭhaka Samhitā of Yajurveda edited by Pt. Srīpāda Dāmodara Sātavalekara.

## Miscellaneous –

- **Dr. Umesh Kumar Singh's** abstract on '*संस्कृत शास्त्रों का डिजिटल मानकीकरण: आवश्यकता एवं सम्भावना*' and '*आयुर्वेद के आचार्य चरक, सुश्रुत और वाग्भट के अनुसार स्वस्थ एवं दीर्घ जीवन के लिए ऋतुचर्या की अनिवार्यता*' are accepted for 25th Vedanta conference.

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