

INDIRA GANDHI NATIONAL CENTRE FOR THE ARTS Kalakosa Division

Cordially invites you to

Two-day International Webinar on “Buddhism in Russia” (March 14 & 15, 2022)

Day 1: 14 March, 2022 INAUGURAL SESSION

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (IST)

Welcome Address	:	Dr. Sushma Jatoo, HoD, Kalakosa Division, IGNCA
Chair	:	Dr. Sachchidanand Joshi, Member Secretary, IGNCA
Blessings/Message	:	XXIV Pandito Hambo Lama Damba Ayusheev, Spiritual leader
Chief Guest	:	Venerable Jangchup Choeden, Geluk International Foundation
Key-Note Address	:	Dr. Andrey Terentyev, Renowned Russian Scholar Topic: <i>Russian Studies of the History of Buddhism in Russia</i>
Moderator	:	Dr. Mayank Shekhar, IGNCA

FIRST SESSION

3:30 - 5:30 PM (IST)

Chair	:	Prof. Eugenia Vanina, Institute of Oriental Studies, Russian Academy of Sciences
Speakers		
Prof. Natalia Lidova	:	Tsam in Buryatia: The Historic Ritual Dance Performance in the Tamchinsky Datsan in 1928
Dr. Preeti D Das	:	History and Presence of Lamaistic Buddhism in Buryatia
Dr. Julia Elikhina	:	F.I. Shcherbatskaya and his contribution to the development of Buddhism in Russia
Dr. Tatyana Shaumyan	:	Outstanding Russian Buddhist mentors and Buddhist scholars: Agvan Dorzhiev's contribution to the spread of Buddhism in Russia
Liubov. L. Abaeva	:	Buddhism in Buryatia: diachronic and synchronic aspects
Nadia Berkengeim	:	Buddhist communities in Russia: from revival to traditional development
Moderator	:	Dr. Shubhangi Sambray, Moscow, Russia

Registration Link :

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_ffoWw0IKSJyYVeSw0ZXm9Q

Day 2 : 15 March, 2022 SECOND SESSION

1:00 - 3:00 PM (IST)

Chair	:	Prof. K T S Sarao, University of Delhi
Speakers		
Irina Regbievna Garry	:	Features of the spread of Buddhism in Inner Asia
S.L. Kuzmin	:	The Gelug School of Tibetan Buddhism as a Traditional Religion of Russia
Nikolay Tsyrempilov	:	Moscow as a Buddhist Paradise- A Buryat Lama's View of the Coronation of Nicholas II
Yulia Yu. Erendzhenova	:	Buddhist Teaching On “Upaya-Prajnya” in Russia
Olga Maksimova	:	Buddhist education as a factor of India-Russia intercultural dialogue
Zabotkin Igor Alexandrovich	:	The role of cultural and academic institutions in strengthening Buddhism In Russia
A.V. Torbokov	:	History of Buddhism in the Republic of Altai
Sudha P. Rao	:	Ancient connections between India and Russia through the Silk Rout
Moderator	:	Dr. Preeti D Das, JNU

THIRD SESSION

3:30 - 4:30 PM (IST)

Chair	:	Dr. Sudhir Lall, IGNCA
Speakers/Presentations		
Gauhar Vahidova	:	Unique Buddhist antiquities of the south of Uzbekistan and Tajikistan in the period of antiquity and the early Middle Ages” (a short film)
Inga Pogocyan	:	Significance and connections of traditional medicine Sowa Rigpa through the Buddhist communities of Russia
Jegmet Spaldon	:	Buddhism in Buryatia, USSR: Life and Activities of Lama Agvan Dorjeiv
Karma Dhikik Bhutia	:	The remarkable contribution of 19th Kushok Bakula Rinpoche in Russia
Tsering Palzom	:	Agvan Dorzhiev
Sujal Yadav	:	Understanding Buddhism in 20th century Russian literature through the works of I. Bunin and N.Gumilev
Tenzin Minkyi	:	Prominent Russian monk-scholars and their role in spreading Buddhism
Alok Kumar Verma	:	The Spread and Relevance of Buddhism in Modern Russia
Moderator	:	Ms. Rachna Rana, IGNCA

Valedictory Session

4.30-5.30 PM (IST)

Chair	:	Dr. Sachchidanand Joshi, Member Secretary, IGNCA
Chief Guest	:	H.E. D. B. Venkatesh Varma, Former Indian Ambassador to Russia
Guest of Honour	:	Ven. Dhammapiya, Secretary, International Buddhist Confederation (IBC)
Moderator	:	Dr. Mayank Shekhar, IGNCA