



“A REVERENTIAL REVELATION OF ETERNAL RELEVANCE”



National Seminar
to commemorate the 1000th year of

ACHARYA ABHINAVAGUPTA

January 24 & 25, 2017 - Chennai



**Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, New Delhi (IGNCA)
Kalakshetra Foundation, Chennai &
Bharata-Ilango Foundation for Asian Culture, Chennai (BIFAC)**

take pleasure in inviting you for the Celebration of
the 1000th year of the Kashmirian Genius

ACHARYA ABHINAVAGUPTA

Dr. N. Gopaldaswamy

Chairman, Kalakshetra Foundation
will inaugurate the Seminar

Dr. Bharat Gupt

Trustee & Executive Member, IGNCA
will introduce the subject of "Vyakhya" (Commentary)

Prof. K.D. Tripathi

Professor Emeritus, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi
will give the Keynote Address

This will be followed by paper presentations by renowned scholars

Date: Tuesday, January 24, 2017

Time: 9-30 AM

Venue: Rukmini Arangam, Kalakshetra, Chennai-600041

Dr. Sachchidanand Joshi

Member Secretary, IGNCA

Priyadarsini Govind

Director, Kalakshetra

Dr. Padma Subrahmanyam

Trustee, IGNCA & Mg.Trustee, BIFAC
Convenor

You are cordially invited for the
Valedictory Function of the Seminar

Hon'ble Justice Sri. Sanjay Kishan Kaul

Chief Justice, Madras High Court
will deliver the Special address

Date: **Wednesday, January 25, 2017**

Time: **4-30 PM**

Seminar Schedule

TUESDAY, JANUARY 24, 2017

09-30 AM - INAUGURATION

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Welcome Address & Convenor's Note - Dr. Padma Subrahmanyam

Inaugural Address - Dr. N. Gopaldaswamy

Introduction to Vyakhya - Dr. Bharat Gupt

Keynote Address - Prof. K. D. Tripathi

10-40 AM - Tea Break

11-00 AM - ALANKARA

Chairperson - Dr. Siniruddha Dash

Satavadhani Dr. R. Ganesh

Dr. C. S. Radhakrishnan

12-30 PM - Lunch Break

02-00 PM - KASHMIRI SAIVISM (Session 1)

Chairperson - Dr. R. Nagaswamy

Dr. Godabarisha Mishra

Dr. S.Venugopalan

Dr. Rajshree Vasudevan

03-40 PM - Tea Break

04-00 PM - KASHMIRI SAIVISM (Session 2)

Chairperson - Dr. Bharat Gupt

Dr. Siniruddha Das

Dr. Advaitavadini Kaul

05-15 PM - Break

06-30 PM - Performance by Artistes of Kalakshetra

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25, 2017

09-30 AM - TANTRA

Chairperson - Dr. Godabarisha Mishra
Dr. Pappu Venugopala Rao
Dr. R. Nagaswamy

10-45 AM - Tea Break

11-15 AM - NATYA (Session 1)

Chairperson - Dr. Pappu Venugopala Rao
Dr. Padma Sugavanam
Dr. G. Sankaranarayanan (Demonstration by Sri. Vijay
Madhavan)

12-30 PM - Lunch Break

02-00 PM - NATYA (Session 2)

Chairperson - Satavadhani Dr. R. Ganesh
Dr. Jayashree Rajagopalan
Dr. N. Ramanathan

03-10 PM - Tea Break

03-30 PM - NATYA (Session 3)

Chairperson - Prof. K. D. Tripathi
Dr. Padma Subrahmanyam (Demonstration by Dr. Gayatri
Kannan)
Summary in Tamil at the end of each Paper by Isaikkavi
Ramanan

04-30 PM - VALEDICTORY

Special Address - Hon'ble Justice Sri. Sanjay Kishan Kaul
Vote of Thanks - Smt. Priyadarsini Govind

05-15 PM - Veena by Sri. B. Kannan

Sri. N. Ananthanarayanan & Smt. Srividya Viswanath

05-45 PM - National Anthem