

## Second International Convention of Gandhirama & Second Asian Philosophy Congress

**16-21 January, 2016**

**Day 1: 16.1.2016**

9:30-10:30	Registration Venue: Sivaji Auditorium	
11:00-13:00	Inauguration Venue: Sivaji Auditorium	Inauguration by <b>Chief Guest</b> Dr. Venkaiah Naidu Hon'ble Union Minister of Parliamentary Affairs & Urban Development <b>Distinguished Guest</b> Dr. Mahesh Sharma Hon'ble Minister of State for Culture & Tourism <b>Guests of Honor</b> Sri Kamineni Srinivas Minister of Health & Medical Education, Govt. of AP Sri C.H. Ayyannapatru Minister of Panchayat Raj, Rural Water Supply & NREGS, Govt. of AP Sri Ganta Srinivasa Rao Minister of Human Resource Development, Govt. of AP Dr. Kambhampati Haribabu Member of Parliament Dr. M.V.V.S. Murthi Member of Legislative Council, Govt. of AP Dr. Y. Lakshmi Prasad Member, Central Hindi Committee <b>President</b> Prof. K. Ramakrishna Rao Chancellor, GITAM University
13:00-14:00	<b>LUNCH</b>	
14:00-15:30	Plenary session on <i>Religious Fundamentalism, Political Extremism and Gandhi's Nonviolence</i> Chair: Sri P.S. Rama Mohan Rao Former Governor of Tamil Nadu & DGP Andhra Pradesh Venue: Sivaji Auditorium	Sri. K. Padmanabaiiah Chairman, Court of Governors, ASCI Sri H.J. Dora Former Director General of Police, AP Dr. Jayaprakash Narayan Founder, Lok Satta Amit Garg Commissioner of Police, Visakhapatnam
15:30-15:45	<b>TEA</b>	
16:00-17:30	Paper Presentations (Appendix A) Venue: GITAM Institute of Management	
19:00-20:00	<b>CULTURAL PROGRAM</b> Gita Chandran & Team, New Delhi Venue: Convocation Hall, AU	
20:30	<b>DINNER</b>	
<b>Day 2: 17.1.2016</b>		
9:45-10:30	Plenary Special Lecture Venue: Mother Teresa Auditorium	Dr. T. Karunakaran Former V.C, Chitrakoot & Gandhigram University Former Director, Mahatma Gandhi Institute for Rural Industrialisation <i>Gandhi Left a Blue Print of a Sustainable World Civilization through his Will</i>
10:30-11:15	Plenary Presentation Venue: Mother Teresa Auditorium	Savita Singh Former Director, Gandhi Smriti <i>Mahatma Gandhi Mandir in Visakhapatnam</i>
11:15-11:30	<b>TEA</b>	
11:30-13:00	Plenary Panel Discussion Venue: Mother Teresa Auditorium	Prof. Douglas Allen University of Maine <i>Gandhi's Approach to his Favorite Bhagavad-Gita: Hermeneutical Disaster, Profoundly Insightful, or Invitation for Our Creative Reconstruction of its</i>

		<p><i>Significance Today</i>  Prof. J. Gray Cox  College of the Atlantic, Bar Harbor, Maine  <i>Gandhi's Innovation in Ethics: Satyagraha as a Method of Rational Proof</i></p>
13:00-14:00	<b>LUNCH</b>	
14:00-15:30	Paper Presentations (Appendix B) Venue: GITAM Institute of Management	
15:30-15:45	<b>TEA</b>	
15:45-17:15	Paper Presentations (Appendix C) Venue: GITAM Institute of Management	
18:00-20:00	<b>CULTURAL PROGRAM</b> Venue: Mother Teresa Auditorium	
20:00	<b>DINNER</b>	
<b>Day 3: 18.1.2016</b>		
9:30:-11:00	<p>Plenary  Venue: Mother Teresa Auditorium</p>	<p><i>Swachch Bharat &amp; Smart Cities</i>  Prof. S.S. Rama Rao Pappu  Miami University  Sri. A. Annamalai  Director, National Gandhi Museum  Prof. G. Vedaparayana  Sri Venkateswara University</p>
11:00-11:30	<b>TEA</b>	
11:30-13:00	Paper Presentations (Appendix D) Venue: GITAM Institute of Management	
13:00-14:00	<b>LUNCH</b>	
14:00-15:30	Paper Presentations (Appendix E) Venue: GITAM Institute of Management	
15:30-15:45	<b>TEA</b>	
15:45-17:15	Paper Presentations (Appendix F) Venue: GITAM Institute of Management	
18:00-20:00	<b>CULTURAL PROGRAM</b> Venue: Mother Teresa Auditorium	
20:00	<b>DINNER</b>	
<b>Day 4: 19.1.2016</b>		
10:00-11:30	<p>Inauguration of the Second Asian Philosophy Congress  Venue: Mother Teresa Auditorium</p>	<p>Sri Karan Singh, MP  Chief Guest &amp; Key Note Speaker  <i>Five Sutras: A Philosophy for the Future</i>  Sri Palle Raghunatha Reddy  Minister of Information &amp; Public Relations, IT &amp; Communications, NRI Empowerment &amp; Relations, Telugu Language &amp; Culture, Minority Welfare &amp; Empowerment, Govt. of AP  Sri Yarlagadda Lakshmi Prasad  Member, Central Hindi Committee, Govt. of India  Sri J.A. Choudary  Advisor, Information Technology, Govt. of AP  Dr. M.V.V.S. Murthi  Member of Legislative Council, Govt. of AP  Prof. K. Ramakrishna Rao  Chancellor, GITAM University  <i>Presidential Address</i></p>
11:30-11:45	<b>TEA</b>	
11:45-12:15	<p>Plenary  Special Lecture  Venue: Mother Teresa Auditorium</p>	<p>Prof. S.S. Rama Rao Pappu  Miami University  <i>Dharma: Rules, Virtues and Paradigmatic Individuals</i></p>
12:15-13:15	<p>Plenary  Special Papers  Venue: Mother Teresa Auditorium  Chair: Prof. Douglas Allen</p>	<p>Anwar Alam  Zirvey University, Turkey  <i>Gandhi, Islam and Muslim Politics in Pre-independence India: Implications for Muslim Politics in post independence India</i>  Marek Hrubec  Czech Academy of Social Sciences, Prague  <i>Social Recognition as a Precondition of Peace: The Asian &amp; European Comparative Perspectives</i></p>

		Jiri Krejčík Czech Academy of Social Sciences, Prague <i>A Concept of Desert in Theories of (Distributive) Justice</i>
13:15-14:15		LUNCH
14:15-15:45	Plenary Panel Discussion Venue: Mother Teresa Auditorium	Prof. Douglas Allen University of Maine <i>Creative Reformulations of Gandhi's Philosophy of Peace &amp; Their Value for Contemporary India &amp; the World</i> Prof. Karsten Struhl John Jay College of Criminal Justice, City University of New York <i>Buddhist Compassion &amp; Righteous Anger</i> Prof. Vinit Haksar Edinburgh University <i>Philosophical Ideals of Perfection: Necessary Evil, the Limits of Non-violence and the Theory of Second Best</i>
15:45-16:00		TEA
16:00-17:30		Paper Presentations (Appendix G) Venue: GITAM Institute of Management
18:00-20:00		CULTURAL PROGRAM Concert by Ghazal Srinivas Venue: Mother Teresa Auditorium
20:00		DINNER
<b>Day 5: 20.1.2016</b>		
9:45-10:45	Plenary Special Papers Venue: Mother Teresa Auditorium	Vladimir Korotenko BIOM, Kyrgyz Republic <i>Unconscious components of ecological Weltanschauung (way of thinking)</i> Aleksi Kurokhtin Kyrgyz National University <i>The philosophical foundations of strategic management of Sustainable Development</i> Egor Makharov Russian Academy of Sciences, Yakutsk <i>Comprehending Philosophical Traditions</i>
10:45-11:00		TEA
11:00-12:30	Plenary Venue: Mother Teresa Auditorium	Prof. Janak Pandey Allahabad University <i>Asian Indigenous Knowledge Systems for Solution of Manmade Societal Problems</i>
12:30-13:00	Plenary Special Lecture Venue: Mother Teresa Auditorium	Prof. Uday Kumthekar President, Poornavad Vidya Pratisthan, Nanded <i>Poornavad &amp; Philosophy</i>
13:00-14:00		LUNCH
14:00-15:30		Paper Presentations (Appendix H) Venue: GITAM Institute of Management
15:30-15:45		TEA
15:45-17:15		Paper Presentations (Appendix I) Venue: GITAM Institute of Management
18:00-20:00		CULTURAL PROGRAM Venue: Mother Teresa Auditorium
20:00		DINNER
<b>Day 6: 21.1.2016</b>		
9:30-10:00		Business Session of the Asian Congress of Philosophy
10:00-11:00		Valedictory