



REPORT OF THE PROGRAMME CONDUCTED

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| Title of the Programme | : Workshop on Advaitasiddhi |
| Date & Time | : 13 - 11 - 2019 to 19 - 11 - 2019 |
| Total no. of Participants | : 40 |
| Convener | : Manju V Kumar and Sreelakshmi R |

Detailed Report

Department of Sanskrit organised a 7day national workshop on 'Advaitasidhi' from 13th november 2019 to 19th november 2019 in collaboration with Svadhyaya research foundation and MG University with the financial assistance from ICPR . The workshop started with a prayer by our students and welcomed by Dr.A.Suvarnani Antherjanam (HOD,Dept of Sanskrit). Presidential address was delivered by principal, Dr. A.Suresh. The workshop was inaugurated by MD, Shri.K.Anand. The keynote address was delivered by Dr. V.Ramakrishna Bhatt (Rt.professor and Dean , Dept of Vedanta, SSUS,Kalady). The workshop was felicitated by Prof.C.P.Jayasankar (C.O.O, Adi Sankara Group of institutions) and Dr.Preethi Nair (IQAC Coordinator) and ended with a vote of thanks by Manju.V.Kumar (Asst.Professor, Dept of Sanskrit,SSC)

Schedule -

- 13 -11 - 2019 - Viprathipathivichara - Dr.K.S.Maheswaran (Asst. Professor, Madras Sanskrit College, Mailapur)
- 14 - 11 - 2019 - Prathama Mithyatvalakshanavichara - Dr.K.S.Maheswaran
- 15- 11 - 2019 - Dvithiya Mithyatvavichara - Dr.Pushkar Deo Poojari (Asst.Professor in Vedanta, Calicut Adarsha Sanskrit Vidyapeetha ,Balusseri)
- 16 - 11 - 2019 - Dvithiya Mithyatvalakshanavichara - Dr. Pushkar Deo Poojari
- 18 - 11 - 2019 - Trithiya Mithyatvalakshanavichara - Dr.Sreejith T.G (Asst.Professor, Dept.of Vedanta, DB College, Sasthamkotta)
- 19 - 11 - 2019 - Chaturthamithyatvalakshanavichara - Prof.K.P.Babudas (Rtd.Professor ,Dept. Of Sanskrit,SSC)

The workshop was filled with eleven sessions and each session was led by scholars of Vedanta from different Universities and Colleges so that the students were able to imbibe the nectar of Advaita philosophy and each session ended with clarifications of queries and discussions .

Video Links of the Programme

1. https://youtu.be/YXhbwWYzMso?si=TkVZZO1dkUxE_80h
2. <https://youtu.be/uzxfwz2ZyLs?si=Ifi8DcDEOYvMwyl6>
3. https://youtu.be/oKQ1td6vFC8?si=SAS5Z_vuFwq1peSC

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Photos



Prof. Ramakrishna Bhat (SSUS Kalady)
Delivering lecture on 1st lakshana of Mithyathva



Dr. Suvarnani Antherjanam (HoD) delivering vote of thanks



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Namasthe..!

Advaita Vedanta being the philosophical representation of all beings illumines the nature of Truth unnegotiable among the multifarious appearances in the perceived universe. The true knowledge hidden within the covering of golden luster imparted by the ancient sages subjected to various interpretations from time to time. In the 19th century philosophical discourses a transformation in the formal presentation of Advaita was forcibly implemented due to the changing style of philosophizing. Truth is always beyond all artificial thinking and is difficult to identify. The present text Advaitasiddhi embodies the philosophical specifications in Advaita Vedanta with a much bolder, clearer and intelligent manner. The perspective of Advaita leads to a culture of thinking with difference where all differentiations find their concluding stature, where all logic reaches there definite goal, where all kinds of knowledge and cognitions precisely form there true essence. The text, in its introductory portion narrates the focal theme of Advaita polemics that deal with the falsity of the perceived universe. The true purport of scriptures pointing to the falsity of the world is made more clear by demonstrating the five kinds of interpretations by five different preceptors. These are graspable only with the help of eminent Scholars. For the correct understanding of the philosophical points highlighted in Advaitasiddhi, this workshop is organized.

We humbly welcome your esteemed presence throughout the session.

Smt. Manju V Kumar
Smt. Sreelekshmi R
(Co-Ordinators)

Dr. Suvarnnani Antherjanam
(Head of the Department)

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Dr. A. Suresh
Principal

13th November 2019

Inaugural Session

Prayer

Welcome : Dr. Suvarnani Antherjanam
(HoD. Dept. of Sanskrit)

Presidential Address : Dr. A. Suresh
(Principal, Sree Sankara College, Kalady.)

Inauguration : **Sri. K. Anand**
(Manager, Adi Sankara group of Institutions)

Key-note Address : **Dr. V. Ramakrishna Bhatt**
(Rd. Professor and Dean,
Dept. of Vedanta SSUS, Kalady)

Felicitation : Prof. C.P Jaisankar
(C.O.O., Adi Sankara group of institutions)
: Dr. Preethi Nair
(Co-ordinator, IQAC)

Vote of thanks : Smt. Manju V Kumar
(Co-ordinator)

SCHEDULE

| Date | Topic | Resource Person |
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| 13. 11. 19 | विप्रतिपत्तिविचारः | Dr. K.S. Maheswaran |
| 14. 11. 19 | प्रथममिथ्यात्वलक्षणविचारः | Dr. K.S. Maheswaran |
| 15. 11. 19 | द्वितीयमिथ्यात्वलक्षणविचारः | Dr. Mani Dravid Sastri |
| 16. 11. 19 | द्वितीयमिथ्यात्वलक्षणविचारः | Dr. Mani Dravid Sastri |
| 18. 11. 19 | तृतीयमिथ्यात्वलक्षणविचारः | Dr. Sreejith T. G. |
| 19. 11. 19 | चतुर्थपञ्चममिथ्यात्वलक्षणयोर्विचारः | Prof. K.P. Babudas |

Mahamahopadhyaya Dr. R. Mani Dravid. Siromani Vyakarana, Mimamsa Siromani and Acharya, Vedanta Acharya and Ph.D. (Asso. Professor. Madras Sanskrit College, Mylapore)



BoS and Academic Council Member in Madras University and Sree Vnkiteswara University, Tirupati, He is also part of various educational organizations like Sri Chandrasekarendrasaraswati Shastra vidyasthanam etc. He is the recipient of more than 26 prestigious awards that include 'Maharshi Badarayana Vyasa Samman' by the President of India, 'Advaitavadadiggaja' from Bhandarikeri Mutt, 'Sastranadhi' from Sri Avadhoota Datta Peetham Mysore and 'Mahamahopadhyaya' from Sri Lal Bahadur Shastri Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha etc.

Prof. K.P. Babudas. MA (Rtd. Professor (Vedanta), Sree Sankara College Kalady)

Veteran scholar in Advaita Vedanta, he is a disciple of N.S. Krishna Sharma Sastrikal and K.Narayanabhatta Sastrikal who was the Asthana Vidwan of Sringeri Mutt. He is awarded with 'Suvarnanguliya' by Jagadguru for his remarkable participation in Sringeri Vakyartha Sadas. Arangu, Aham Brahmasmi, Sansdarsanam, Saurayagunam etc. are his remarkable contributions to Malayalam literature. He has been awarded with Kerala Kalamandalam Award, Kairali Childrens' book trust Award, Gold Medal Vedanta Scholar from Trichur Thekkemadom and Chennai Vaidya Subrahmanya Smaraka Vedanta Puraskaram etc.



Dr. K.S. Maheswaran. MA, Ph.D, Sastravaridhi, Tenali (Asst. Professor, Madras Sanskrit College, Mylapore)



Native of Peringode in Palakkad district of Kerala, he has undergone traditional learning of Nyaya, Mimamsa and Vedanta systems under Mahamahopadhyaya V. Swaminatha Sastrikal, Mani Dravida Sastrikal, and K.E.Devanathacharya. He is awarded with 'Suvarnanguliya' by Jagadguru for his remarkable participation in Sringeri Vakyartha Sadas,

Vedanta Scholar Award by Abhinava Vidyatirtha trust Chennai and 'Badarayana Vyasa Samman' from the president of India in 2015. He got the title 'Darsana Kalanidhi' from Sri Satguru Vasudevananda Saraswathi Samadhi Mandir, Pune. He has published a Sanskrit book 'Adhyasa Bhashya' from Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, Tirupathi.

Dr. Sreejith T.G. MA, B.Ed, Ph.D, Sastravaridhi (Asst. Professor, Dept. of Sanskrit Vedanta, D.B. College, Sasthamcotta)

Native of Nilur in Kottayam District of Kerala, he is constantly participating in Vakyartha Sadas in Vedanta. He has published two books respectively 'Mithyatvanumane Hetuvicharah' from R.S.V. Tirupathi and 'Daivadasakam ee nuttandinte Upanishad'.



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