

Central Sanskrit University

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**Announcement of Financial Support for Faculty Members of Sanskrit Institutions/Sanskrit Departments/
Sanskrit Research Centres/ Sanskrit Cells/Buddhist and Jain Institutions in India to attend the
World Sanskrit Conference 2025**

Central Sanskrit University invites applications to participate in the upcoming World Sanskrit Conference (WSC) scheduled to be held on 26-30 June, 2025 in Kathmandu, the capital city of Nepal. The WSC is a prestigious international platform dedicated to the advancement and promotion of Sanskrit studies and cultural heritage.

The World Sanskrit Conference is organized under the aegis of the International Association of Sanskrit Studies (IASS), which was founded in 1972. The association has been instrumental in fostering scholarly exchange and collaboration among Sanskritists worldwide. The conference serves as a meeting ground for academicians, researchers, practitioners, and enthusiasts of Sanskrit to discuss and present their work in various domains, including literature, philosophy, linguistics, history, arts, and culture.

Significance of the Kathmandu Conference

Kathmandu, known as the "City of Temples," holds a special place in Sanskrit traditions, being a hub of ancient knowledge and culture. Hosting the WSC in Nepal reaffirms the global significance of Sanskrit and its role in fostering cultural and academic ties.

The WSC 2025 conference will feature:

Academic paper presentations, Cultural performances, Workshops and panel discussions, and Exhibitions showcasing Sanskrit manuscripts and art.

The Financial Support:

CSU is planning to support financially to the faculty members associated with Sanskrit Institutions, Sanskrit Research Centres, Sanskrit Departments, Sanskrit Cells & Units, Buddhist & Jain Institutions, and Interdisciplinary Institutions with Sanskrit to participate in WSC 2025 in Kathmandu. The Financial Assistance will be extended to the candidates whose paper has already been selected by the Evaluation Committee of WSC. The assistance will be provided for Conference Fee, Accommodation and Travelling Expenses with specific terms and conditions. The financial assistance will be provided to those who are living in India only.

CSU has reserved rights to consider the applications or reject of the application for financial assistance. The Financial Assistance will be the subject to the approval of the Grants-in-Aid Committee, Finance Committee, & Executive Council of CSU, and availability of funds. The Selection Committee has the power to nominate to any scholar for participation in the WSC.

Guidelines regarding Financial Assistance for Participation of Faculty Members of Sanskrit Institutions/ Sanskrit Departments/ Sanskrit Research Centres/ Sanskrit Cells in India to attend the World Sanskrit Conference 2025

- Already selected participants by the Selection Committee of WSC 2025 may apply for the financial Assistance.
- Submission of an abstract of the research paper and Acceptance Letter of Selected Paper of the Faculty by Selection Committee are mandatory.
- The abstract of Selected Research Paper (in Unicode Fonts only).

Instructions for Submission of the Application

- Link for submission of selected abstract and application for financial assistance:
<https://forms.gle/vqaHPnwsYHiTR5s39>
- Deadline for submission: February 28, 2025.
- **Link for conference brochure:**
<https://www.nepalworldsanskrit.org/Third%20Circular%2019%20WSC%202025.pdf>
- For more information, please contact: wsc@csu.co.in

We look forward to the enthusiastic participation in making this event a grand success. Let us come together to celebrate and advance the timeless legacy of Sanskrit.

This is issued with the approval of the competent authority.

Sd/-

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