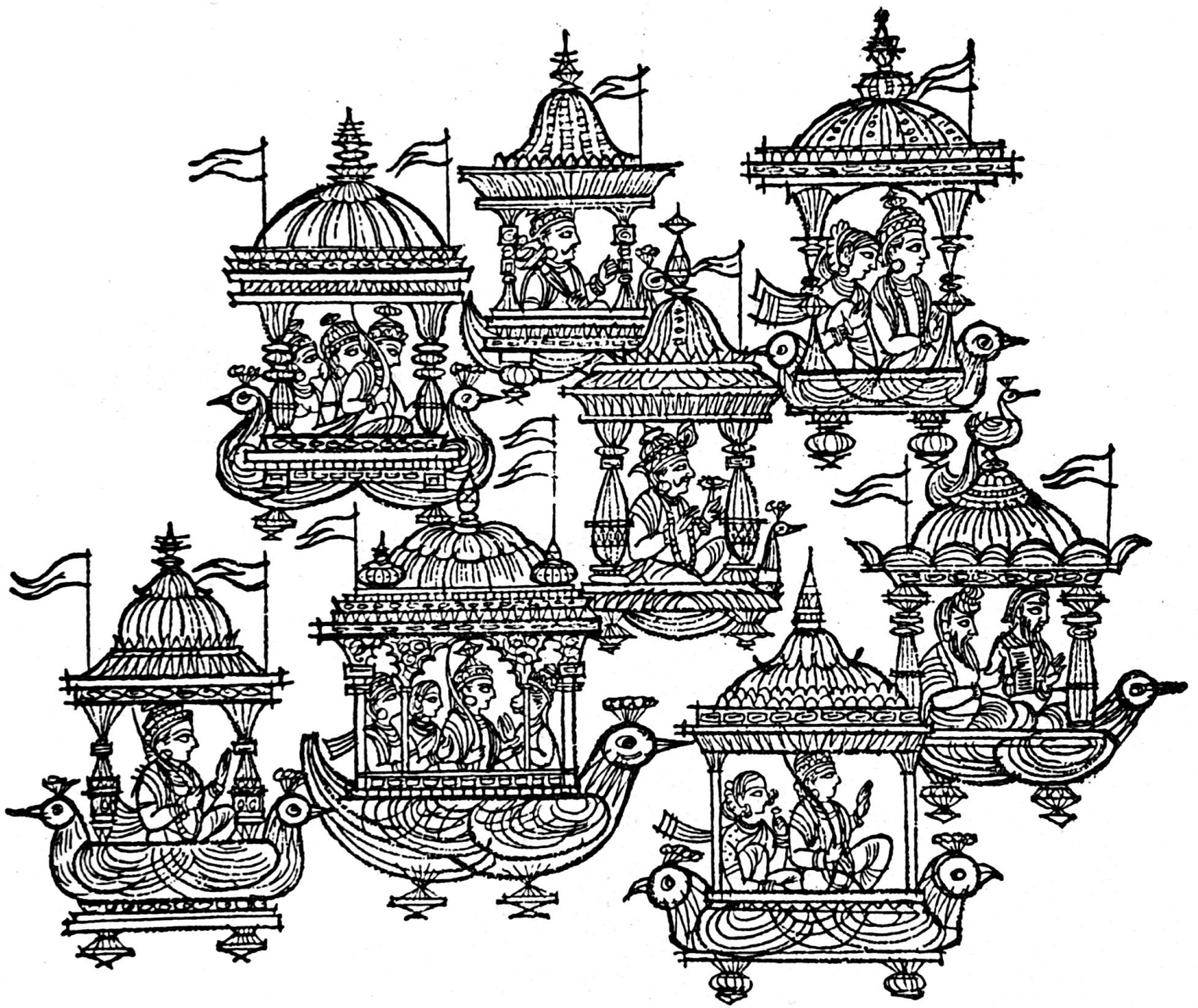
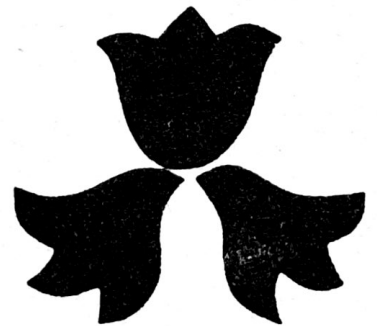


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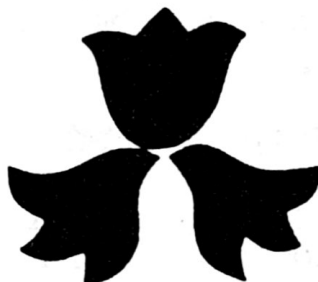
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CONFERENCE NOTES

SPECIAL NOTE: This is your copy of the Conference program. Please bring it with you when you come. Additional programs are \$1.00 at the Conference. Thank you.

ABSTRACT BOOKLET: "Abstracts of Papers Presented at the 14th Annual Conference on South Asia" is available for \$1. in the Conference Office.

THE CONFERENCE OFFICE is Room 115 Lowell Hall; phone number 263-2986. The Office will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. November 1 & 2, & from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on November 3.

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION: Please be sure to register -- all participants & attendees, including students. Pre-registration rates (before October 1, 1985) were \$20. for regular registration & \$9. for students. Registration after October 1 & at the door is \$25. & \$10. for students. Students must be prepared to show their campus ID cards at the Registration Desk. All pre-registered attendees should pick up Conference materials at the Registration Desk in the Main Lounge Area at Lowell Hall.

LOWELL HALL/FRIEDRICK CENTER TRANSPORT SERVICE: A shuttle vehicle will be available to transport Conference attendees back & forth between Friedrich Center & Lowell Hall at key times. Check at the Main Desk at either building for times & other details.

A-V EQUIPMENT: Panelists experiencing any problems with audio-visual equipment are asked to report them **immediately** to the Main Desk at Lowell Hall or Wisconsin Center.

PANEL LOCATION: Panels are being held in Lowell Hall Conference Headquarters, Wisconsin Center, & the Elvehjem Art Center. See Conference Area Map on page 7 for locations. Please check the program booklet carefully for location assignments for panels & other events.

PRESENTATION OF PAPERS: Papers will be presented on each panel in the order listed in the program booklet. All panelists for each panel are asked to report to the panel chairperson at the beginning of the appropriate panel session.

TEACHING WORKSHOPS: Three workshop/panel sessions for K-12 classroom teachers are scheduled & may be identified by the words "Teaching Workshop" preceding each title in the program booklet. All Conference attendees are invited to attend & participate in discussion.

VIDEO TAPES: A variety of videocassette tapes are available for viewing in Rooms 116 & 426 Lowell Hall, throughout the Conference (see page 9).

FILM SHOWINGS: Documentary films will be shown continuously in Room 117, Lowell Hall, on Friday & in the Wisconsin Center Auditorium on Saturday (see page 8).

THE CORNERSTONE: Lowell Hall's weekday cafeteria will be open for lunch service on Friday, November 1, from 11:30 to 1:00 in the Dining Room on the Lower Level. The Friday feature will be Gujarati Peas With Parsley & Coconut. Conference attendees are welcome to have lunch there.

ART LECTURE PRECEDES CONFERENCE: Dr. Pratapaditya Pal, Senior Curator Indian & Southeast Asian Art, Los Angeles County Museum of Art, will present a special lecture on Wednesday, October 30, at 8:00 p.m. in Room 160 of the Elvehjem Museum of Art on the UW-Madison campus. His topic, illustrated with slides, is "The Erotic Rasa (Flavor) & Indian Art". A reception follows in Paige Court; both are free & open to the public. Conference participants are cordially invited.

INDIAN ART EXHIBIT: An exhibition entitled "The Art of Storytelling: Art of India from Wisconsin Collections" opened at the Elvehjem Museum of Art on the UW-Madison campus on October 26 as an official event of the Festival of India. Running through January 12, the exhibition explores 2 major facets of the narrative tradition in the visual arts of India. Sculptures & paintings depicting mythological events centering on the activities of deities are complemented by coins, ivories & terracottas of related time periods. Other paintings depicting poetic verses in allegorical fashion, as well as courtly events, are displayed in conjunction with actual decorative artifacts. A Gallery Guide is available at the exhibit. Museum hours are 9:00 a.m. - 4:45 p.m. Friday & Saturday & 11:00 a.m. - 4:45 p.m. on Sunday. Conference attendees are encouraged to visit this exhibit.

COURTESY CAR TO ELVEHJEM: A courtesy car will transport interested Conference attendees from Lowell Hall at 1:00 & 3:00 on Friday to the Elvehjem for attendance at two art-related panels & for exhibition viewing. The car will make return trips to Lowell Hall at 3:00 & 5:00. Meet in the Conference Office, 115 Lowell Hall, if you wish a ride. Other trips will be arranged as needed through the Conference Office.

ANCILLARY GROUP MEETINGS:

The Society for South Indian Studies is meeting in conjunction with the Annual Conference. See pp. 5 & 10.

The Nepal Studies Association will hold a business meeting Friday noon. See page 13.

The Nepal Studies Association will have a Social Hour from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Saturday in the Wisconsin Center. Members of the Association & persons interested in the Himalayan area are invited to attend. Cash bar. Check the assignment board in the Center lobby for the exact room location.

The Committee on South Asian Women (COSAW) will hold a meeting Sunday. Current & prospective members are welcome. See page 33.

The American Nepal Education Foundation is holding 2 meetings on Saturday afternoon in Room 138, Wisconsin Center. The ANEF grantees will meet first, followed by an Open Meeting to discuss matters pertaining to ANEF scholarship aid for Nepalese. Of interest to possible applicants & their advisors. See page 30.

Conference Notes continued on page 4 --

CONFERENCE NOTES CONTINUED--

DISPLAYS:

Books & educational materials are on display in the Lower Lounge at Lowell Hall from: Wisconsin South Asian Area Center, South Asia Books, Asian Humanities Press, Motilal Banarsidass, Advent Books, Inc., Apt Books, Inc., The Riverdale Co., The Scholar's Choice, Princeton University Press, AMIE, Inc., The Toronto South Asian Review, Powell's Bookstore, The Asia Society, Asian Sky Travel Service, & others.

EXHIBITS:

"The Flowering of the Lotus: Buddhist Art of India" is a photographic exhibit by John C. & Susan L. Huntington, Ohio State Univ, & is a Festival of India touring exhibit. It will be on display throughout the Conference in the Lower & Upper Lounges at Lowell Hall.

"American Publications on India" is an exhibit of some of the books being collected in conjunction with the Festival of India through Ford Foundation & A.I.I.S. The titles represent U.S. imprints since 1940 & will be listed in The Guide to U.S. Publications which is being prepared by A.I.I.S. & will survey approximately 5000 titles. The collection will be placed in the Nehru Library in Delhi. A few representative books plus a comprehensive list of the books to be included in The Guide can be seen in Room 115, Lowell Hall.

"Hindus of Bhojpur" is a photographic exhibit by Bradley Hertel, Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State Univ. It will be displayed in the Main Lounge Area at Lowell Hall throughout the Conference.

PLENARY SESSION: A Special Plenary Session on **BHOPAL** will be held Friday evening at 8:00 in Room B-1, Lowell Hall. See page 20.

ALL CONFERENCE PROGRAM: Festival of India: Indo-American Dialogue will be presented Saturday at 4:00 in Room B-1, Lowell Hall. See page 31.

FEATURED SPEAKER: Francis Zimmermann will speak following the Saturday noon All Conference Luncheon in the Lowell Hall Dining Room. See page 27.

CULTURAL PROGRAM: The Langas & Manganiyars will present Folk Music of Rajasthan Saturday evening at 8:00 in Mills Concert Hall, Humanities Building. See page 32. Also see Conference Area Map on page 7.

FRIDAY NOON HOUR: Special presentations include a Reading of Verse Translations & Slide Lectures on Sigiriya. See page 13.

MUSICAL PRESENTATION: Brian Silver will present selections on the sitar Sunday morning in Room B-1, Lowell Hall at 9:00. See page 33.

ABBREVIATION: WISAAC refers to Wisconsin South Asian Area Center.

INDEXES: See back of this program book for Index of Panels (pages 37-39) & Index of Participants (pages 40-43).

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31

S.S.I.S. PANEL

STRUCTURAL VARIATION IN SOUTH INDIAN MARRIAGE ALLIANCE

Room 426, Lowell Hall

Organizer: David Rudner, University of Pennsylvania

The Society for South Indian Studies is sponsoring a 3 part panel in conjunction with the 14th Annual Conference on South Asia, in addition to holding their business meeting. The first segment of the panel meets on October 31 with the other segments following on Friday morning, November 1 (see page 10). The panelists have all recently completed research on the historical role & internal social organization of different caste groups in South Asia. During the course of their independent research, it became apparent to them that important characteristics of each caste could only be understood as a response to specific historical conditions. By focusing on diversity rather than universality, they address the structure of diversity & the association of this structure with distinctive properties of the history & cultural ecology of specific caste groups.

5:30 to 6:00 p.m. Coffee & Tea

6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Panel

8:30 p.m. Dinner & Business Meeting of SSIS
 (at local restaurant)

PANEL:

STRUCTURAL VARIATION IN SOUTH INDIAN MARRIAGE ALLIANCE, Part I

CHAIR: Pauline Kolenda, Univ of Houston

"Marriage & Levels of Exclusiveness Among Udaiyars of Northern Tamil Nadu"

Geoffrey Burkhart, American Univ

"Merchants, Marriage & Dravidian Kinship: The Case of the Nattukottai Chettiars"

David Rudner, Univ of Pennsylvania

DISCUSSANTS: Anthony T. Carter, Rochester Univ, &
Thomas Trautmann, Univ of Michigan

Parts II & III of this panel are listed on page 10.

= SCHEDULE OF EVENTS =

Thursday, October 31: S.S.I.S. Panel & Meeting
(see page 5)

Friday, November 1:

8:30 am	REGISTRATION, Lowell Hall, Main Lounge Area (Coffee & Tea)
9:00 - 11:45 am	PANEL SESSIONS, Lowell Hall & Wisconsin Center, pp. 10-12
12:00 - 1:00 pm	LUNCH BREAK: See page 13 for meetings & events during this time
1:15 - 3:00 pm	PANEL SESSIONS, Lowell Hall & Elvehjem Museum & Wisconsin Center, pp. 14-16
3:00 - 3:15 pm	BREAK
3:15 - 5:00 pm	PANEL SESSIONS, Lowell Hall & Elvehjem Museum & Wisconsin Center, pp. 17-19
5:00 - 6:00 pm	SOCIAL HOUR, Lowell Hall, Main Lounge Area, Cash Bar (see page 20)
6:00 - 7:30 pm	ALL CONFERENCE DINNER, Lowell Hall Dining Room (Lower Level) (see page 20)
8:00 - 10:00 pm	SPECIAL PLENARY SESSION: BHOPAL, Lowell Hall, Room B-1 (see page 20)

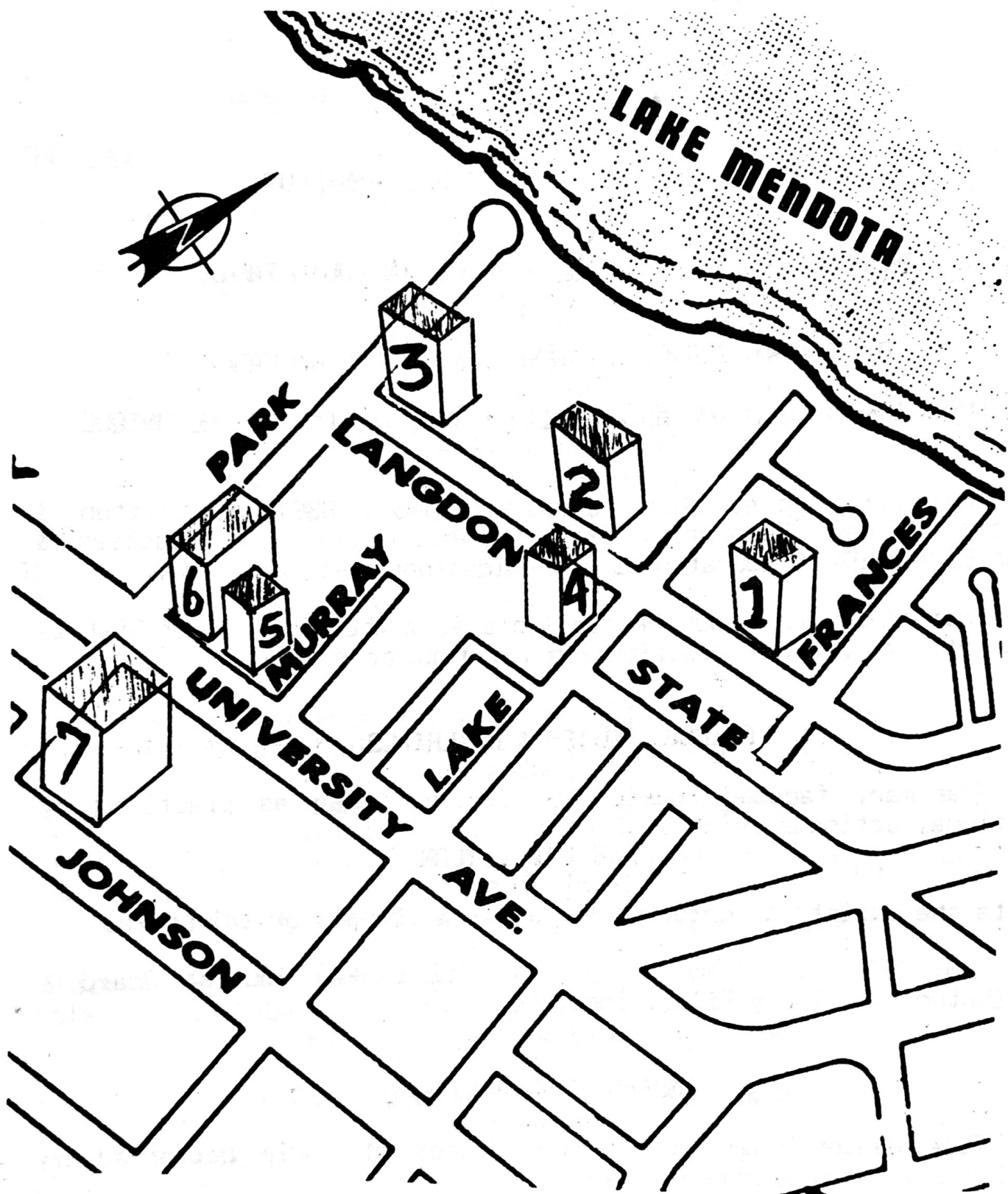
Saturday, November 2:

8:00 am	REGISTRATION, Lowell Hall, Main Lounge Area (Coffee & Tea)
8:15 - 10:00 am	PANEL SESSIONS, Lowell Hall & Wisconsin Center, pp. 21-23
10:00 - 10:15 am	BREAK
10:15 - 12:00 N	PANEL SESSIONS, Lowell Hall & Wisconsin Center, pp. 24-26
12:00 - 2:00 pm	ALL CONFERENCE LUNCHEON, Lowell Hall Dining Room (Lower Level) (see page 27)
2:00 - 3:45 pm	FEATURED SPEAKER: Francis Zimmermann PANEL SESSIONS, Lowell Hall & Wisconsin Center, pp. 28-30
3:45 - 4:00 pm	BREAK
4:00 - 6:00 pm	SPECIAL FESTIVAL OF INDIA EVENT, Lowell Hall, Room B-1 (see page 31)
6:00 - 7:00 pm	SOCIAL HOUR, Lowell Hall, Main Lounge Area, (Cash Bar) (see page 32)
8:00 pm	PERFORMANCE: Langas & Manganiyars, Mills Concert Hall, Humanities Building (see pages 32 & 7)

Sunday, November 3:

8:00 am	SOCIAL HOUR, Lowell Hall, Main Lounge Area, (Coffee & Tea & Muffins)
9:00 - 10:00 am	SPECIAL EVENT: Brian Silver, Sitar Lowell Hall, Room B-1 (see page 33)
10:15 - 1:00 pm	PANEL SESSIONS, Lowell Hall, pp. 34-36
1:00 pm	CONFERENCE ADJOURNMENT

CONFERENCE AREA MAP



1. Lowell Hall
2. Wisconsin Center
3. Memorial Union
4. Memorial Library
5. Elvehjem Art Center
6. Humanities Building
(Mills Concert Hall)
7. Vilas Hall

CONTINUOUS FILM SHOWINGS

Room 117, Lowell Hall
Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Auditorium, Wisconsin Center
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Stop by & request the films you wish to see.

GIVEN TO DANCE: INDIA'S ODISSI TRADITION

57 minutes

Ron Hess, Filmmaker

MODERN BRIDES: ARRANGED MARRIAGE IN SOUTH INDIA

30 minutes

Happy Luchsinger, Filmmaker

THE FOURTH STAGE: A HINDU'S QUEST FOR RELEASE

57 minutes

AN APPOINTMENT WITH THE ASTROLOGER: DIAGNOSTICIAN OF THE UNIQUE IN HINDU SOCIETY

40 minutes

Above two films directed by David Thompson (BBC), & written & produced by Paul Kuepferle. Executive-Producers: Edward Bastian & Joseph Elder; BBC & Educational Communications co-productions.

Above four films will soon be available from the WISAAC Film Distribution Office. Contact Distribution for further details.

MAKERS, MOTIFS & MATERIALS

21 minutes

Shows the many faceted handicrafts of Sri Lanka as practiced by traditional artisans using indigenous raw materials.

FESTIVALS OF CEYLON

15 minutes

Depicts the variety of colorful festivals & rituals of Sri Lanka.

Above two films courtesy of Ceylon (Sri Lanka) Tourist Board & Distributed by Tribune Films, Inc., New York.

INDIAN FOLK DANCES

12 minutes

Shows folk dances from some of the States of India performed on Republic Day Celebrations in 1978.

BHUTAN

41 minutes

A travel film about the Buddhist kingdom in the Himalayas.

GOA MARCHES ON

15 minutes

Shows the progress achieved by Goa in various fields.

HERITAGE OF GOA

21 minutes

Depicts evidence of Goa's past glory of both temples and churches.

Above four films courtesy of Embassy of India Information Wing, Washington, D.C.

VIDEOTAPE SHOWINGS

Room 116, Lowell Hall

Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. & Sunday: 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon

Room 426, Lowell Hall

Saturday: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Stop by & request the videocassettes you wish to see.

THE BUDDHIST WHEEL OF LIFE: CENTRAL TEACHINGS FROM A TIBETAN PAINTING

30 minutes

Writer/Producer: Edward Bastian, Executive-Producer: Joseph Elder. An Educational Communications production. Soon to be available as a 16 mm documentary film from WISAAC Distribution Office.

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FESTIVAL OF INDIA: "ADITI"

41 minutes

This video depicts craftsmen & performers at the Aditi Exhibition. A slide show of the Exhibit & objects also available for viewing. Both shown courtesy of Educational Outreach, Smithsonian Institution.

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A NATION UPROOTED: AFGHAN REFUGEES IN PAKISTAN

60 minutes

This tape is available for rent from the Center for Afghanistan Studies, Univ of Nebraska at Omaha.

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FIVE PILLARS OF ISLAM

30 minutes

This tape is available for loan from the Resource Library of the Middle East Center, University of Pennsylvania.

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PEACE THROUGH HUMAN UNDERSTANDING

60 minutes

A talk by His Holiness The 14th Dalai Lama in Edinburgh, Scotland, June 1984.

CONTRIBUTION OF THE INDIVIDUAL TO THE WORLD PEACE

75 minutes

A talk by His Holiness The 14th Dalai Lama in Coventry Cathedral, England, July 1984.

THE ESSENCE OF MAHAYANA BUDDHISM

60 minutes

THE ESSENCE OF BUDDHIST PHILOSOPHY

70 minutes

Talks by His Holiness The 14th Dalai Lama at Samye Ling, Eskdalemuir, Scotland, June 1984.

DALAI LAMA OF TIBET: 25 YEARS IN EXILE

60 minutes

The above five videocassettes are available for viewing courtesy of Lobsang Nyima, Aye Trulku of New York City.

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SLIDE SET

"MUNNI ('Little Girl'): CHILDHOOD & ART IN MITHILA"

A slide set of 40 slides + script and/or audio tape, from the film of the same name. This brand new slide set is geared for junior high & high school classrooms, & general audiences. It can be viewed in the Videotape Room during the Conference & is available for preview and/or purchase from the WISAAC Film Distribution Office. The film is also available from Distribution.

FRIDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 1
9:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.

Session 1 Room 426 Lowell Hall

STRUCTURAL VARIATION IN SOUTH INDIAN MARRIAGE ALLIANCE

Parts II & III

CHAIR: David Rudner, Univ of Pennsylvania

"Marriage Negotiations Among Marameeri Nadars in Tamil Nadu: A Dravidian Marriage Rule in Action"

Linda May, Univ of Pennsylvania

"The Obligation to Accept, The Right to Take, The Right to Receive"

E. Valentine Daniel, Univ of Washington

"Marriage Transactions Among the Kongu Vellalar Kavuntar"

Manuel Moreno, Northeastern Illinois Univ

BREAK

"Marriage & Structural Equality Among the Royal Kallars of Pudukkottai"

Nicholas Dirks, California Institute of Technology

"Matriclan Alliance & Caste Identity In a Hindu/Muslim Region of Eastern Sri Lanka"

Dennis B. McGilvray, Univ of Colorado, Boulder

"Definition of Caste Boundaries"

Pauline Kolenda, Univ of Houston

DISCUSSANTS: Anthony T. Carter, Rochester Univ &

Thomas Trautmann, Univ of Michigan

SESSION 2 Room 118 Lowell Hall

THE SOUTH ASIAN LANDSCAPE: A SERIES OF SELECTED RECENT RESEARCH TOPICS, PART I

CHAIR: Charles H. Kennedy, Wake Forest Univ

9:05 "Asian Indian Experience in the United States"

Parmatma Saran, Bernard M. Baruch College, CUNY

9:30 "Japanese Imperialism & the Indian Nationalist Response: Dependency, Adventurism, or Political Realism?"

Sudata Gupta, Univ of Illinois at Urbana

9:55 "The Grass-root Movements in India & Its Implications"

Rajendra Dave, Syracuse Univ

10:20 "Third World - A Misnomer of Political Terminology: A Case in Point - India"

Mohini Gupta, Univ College of Cape Breton

10:45 "Afghanistan From Queen Victoria to Mikhail Gorbachev"

Hafizullah Emadi, Honolulu, Hawaii

11:10 "Folk Songs & Dances of Goa"

(Paper to be preceded by a demonstration of Deknni Dance, a colorful Goan folk dance.)

Iona Loyola-Nazareth, Town of Mount Royal, Quebec, Canada

FRIDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 1
9:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.

Session 3 Room B1-B Lowell Hall

AFGHAN REFUGEES INSIDE & OUTSIDE AFGHANISTAN (9:00-10:25)

CHAIR: Richard Newell, Univ of Northern Iowa

"The Plight of the Afghan Middle Class"

Grant Farr, Portland State Univ

"Afghan Refugees in Peshawar, Pakistan"

Kerry Connor, Univ of Nebraska-Omaha

"Health Care for Civilian Population & Mujahideen"

Ralph Magnus, Naval Post Graduate School, Monterey, CA

DISCUSSANTS: Louis Dupree, Duke Univ &

John F. Shroder, Jr., Univ of Nebraska-Omaha

AFGHANISTAN UPDATE: POLITICS & ECONOMICS (10:35-12:00)

CHAIR: John F. Shroder, Jr., Univ of Nebraska-Omaha

"The Economic Effect of Soviet Occupation of Afghanistan"

Nake Kamrany, Univ of Southern Calif

"The Impact of the Gorbachev Leadership on Soviet Policy Toward Afghanistan"

Anthony Arnold, Navato, CA

"A View From the U.S. State Department"

Charles Dunbar, Dept. of State, Washington, DC

DISCUSSANT: Richard Newell, Univ of Northern Iowa

Session 4 Room B1-A Lowell Hall

DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES IN PAKISTAN (9:00-10:25)

CHAIR: Mushtaq Rahman, Iowa State Univ

"Evaluation of Agricultural & Rural Development in Pakistan"

Abid Hussain & Bashir Qasmi, Iowa State Univ

"Education Needs Assessment in Pakistan: A Strategy for Development"

Mohammad Shafiq, Iowa State Univ

"Impact of New Tillage System on Corn Agriculture in Pakistan"

Saqib Mukhtar, Iowa State Univ

"Extension Education & Agriculture in Pakistan"

Syed Saban Shah Bukhari, Iowa State Univ

SOCIO-POLITICAL CONFLICT & FORCES OF CHANGE IN PAKISTAN (10:35-12:00)

CHAIR: Izhar H. Kazmi, Voice of America

"Telecommunications & National Development Revisited: A Strategy for Pakistan"

Naqi A. Jaffery, Michigan State Univ

"Socio-cultural Change, Pseudo Change & Media Manipulation in Pakistan"

Qaisar Abbas, Univ of Wis-Madison

"Faiz Ahmed Faiz: Poetic Expression & Socio-Political Change"

Izhar H. Kazmi, Voice of America

DISCUSSANTS: Joseph Elder, Univ of Wis-Madison &

Muhammad Umar Memon, Univ of Wis-Madison

Friday 9:00 panel sessions continued on page 12-

Session 5 Room 226 Wisconsin Center

CULTURAL MULTIPLICITY & GROUP DIFFERENTIATION IN NEPAL

CHAIR: David Holmberg, Cornell Univ

ORGANIZER: Terry Cooke, San Pablo, CA

"Social Interaction & Ethnicity Among the Gurungs"

Ernestine McHugh, Univ of Calif-San Diego

"Diminished Ethnicity: The Karnali Zone"

Nancy Levine, UCLA

"Some Perspectives on Jaisi Brahmins in Nepal"

Al Pach, Univ of Wis-Madison

DISCUSSANT: Kathryn March, Cornell Univ

"Wealth, Caste & Ethnic Boundaries: Who Is the Real Thakali"

Barbara Parker, Univ of Michigan

"Tributary Relations, Trade Regulation & the Emergence of
Nishyang Identity"

Terry Cooke, San Pablo, CA

"Tamang in (Re)Construction"

David Holmberg, Cornell Univ

DISCUSSANT: Kathryn March, Cornell Univ

Session 6 Auditorium Wisconsin Center

**COOPERATION & CONFLICTS ON ECONOMIC & TECHNOLOGICAL ISSUES
IN SOUTH ASIA**

CHAIR: G. M. Naidu, Univ of Wis-Whitewater

"What Accounts for the Varying Growth Rate in India, Pakistan,
& Bangladesh, 1950-1980?"

Joseph Krislov, Univ of Kentucky

"Politics of Technology"

K. G. Bhansali, Mississippi State Univ

"The Emerging Regional Cooperation & Organization in
South Asia"

Ravindra Varma, Univ of Udaipur, India

"India & the Middle East: Analysis of National Self-Interests"

Richard E. Ward, Northern Kentucky Univ

"The Economic Feasibility of Biogasification in India"

M. Bhatia & R. Subramanian, Univ of Manitoba

DISCUSSANTS: Amin Islam, Wright State Univ (discussing
papers 1, 3, & 4), &

P. V. Arunachalam, S.V. Univ, Tirupati, India & Univ
of Wis-Madison (discussing papers 2 & 5)

FRIDAY LUNCH BREAK PERIOD: NOON TO 1:00 P.M.

ANCILLARY MEETINGS & SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

Room 226, Wisconsin Center

Nepal Studies Association
Business Meeting

Auditorium, Wisconsin Center

THREE KINDS OF KAVYA:
A READING OF VERSE TRANSLATIONS

Henry Heifetz
New York City

Room 118, Lowell Hall

SLIDE LECTURES ON SIGIRIYA

12:00

"Excavations of The Water Gardens at Sigiriya (Sri Lanka)"

Robert Lindley Vann

Director, UM Sigiriya Project

University of Maryland

School of Architecture

12:30

"Sigiriya, The Lion Mountain"

Henry Tissera Basnayake

University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka

Department of History

Session 7 Room 426 Lowell Hall

ISLAMIC STATES & THE AFGHAN ISSUE

- CHAIR: Sulayman S. Nyang, Howard Univ
"Afghanistan & the West Asian Muslim States"
Tahir Amin, M.I.T.
"Pakistan, the OIC & the Afghan Question"
S. S. Nyang, Howard Univ
"The Afghan Resistance Movement & the Muslim World"
Mubin Shorish, Univ of Illinois

Session 8 Room 226 Wisconsin Center

REBELLIOUS INDIA & THE SECOND WORLD WAR

- CHAIR: Peter Ward Fay, Caltech
"The Suppression of a Civil Rebellion: Bengal, 1942"
Paul Greenough, Univ of Iowa
"Defendants at the Red Fort: traitors or Torturers?"
Peter Ward Fay, Caltech
"Rebels Against the Raj"
Sugata Bose, Tufts Univ
DISCUSSANT: Sugata Bose, Tufts Univ

Session 9 Room 118 Lowell Hall

**ASPECTS OF THE KATHMANDU VALLEY CIVILIZATION:
CULTS, TIBETAN CONTACTS, LANGUAGE, & RITUAL**

- CHAIR: Ter Ellingson, Univ of Washington
ORGANIZER: Mick Novak, Madison, Wis.
"The Origin of Karttikeya Kumara"
Gautam Vajracharya, Univ of Wis-Madison
"Newar/Tibetan Contacts Inside the Kathmandu Valley"
Todd T. Lewis, New York City
"A Comparison of the Verb in Newari & Nepali"
Krishna Pradhan, Univ of Wis-Madison
"An Evolutionary Model of Newari Ritual Traditions"
Linda Iltis, Univ of Wis-Madison
DISCUSSANT: Ter Ellingson, Univ of Washington

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 1
1:15 to 3:00 p.m.

Session 10 Room 130 Elvehjem Museum

**SHADOW PUPPETRY IN SOUTH & SOUTHEAST ASIA: ICONOGRAPHY,
NARRATIVE DEVELOPMENT & TRANSMISSION**

CHAIR: Jonathan R. GoldbergBelle, Beloit College

"Text & Transmission in Javanese Literary & Dramatic Discourse"

Laurie Jo Sears, Univ of Wis-Madison

"Literate Texts in Oral Performance: The Role of the
Ranganatha Ramayana in the Shadow Puppet Theatre of
Andhra Pradesh"

Jonathan R. GoldbergBelle, Beloit College

"A Picture is Worth a Thousand Words -

Ramayana, A Twice-Told Tale"

Mel Helstein, UCLA

DISCUSSANT: Phillip Zarrilli, Univ of Wis-Madison

NOTE: See page 3 for information on transportation to the Elvehjem
Museum of Art.

Session 11 Auditorium Wisconsin Center

POTENTIAL FOR DETENTE IN SOUTH ASIA: MULTINATIONAL PERSPECTIVES

CHAIR: Stephen P. Cohen, U.S. Dept. of State,

Member for South Asia, Policy Planning Staff

"India & Pakistan at the Negotiating Table"

Douglas Makeig, Library of Congress

"The Security & Military Dimensions of Detente in South Asia"

Amarmath Kakkar, Allahabad Univ & Univ of Illinois

"China's Views on South Asia's Affairs:

China's Relations With Major States of South Asia"

Zhang Guoging, Univ of Illinois

"The Role of the Smaller States in Promoting Detente
in South Asia"

Jalaluddin Ahmad, Bangladesh Army & Univ of Illinois

DISCUSSANTS: Kanti Bajpai, Univ of Illinois, &

Kavita R. Khory, Univ of Illinois

Friday 1:15 panel sessions continued on page 16--

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 1
1:15 to 3:00 p.m.

Session 12 Room B1-B Lowell Hall

BIHAR: A STATE IN CRISIS

CHAIR: C. M. Naim, Univ of Chicago

"'Crisis,' Social Transformations & Their Political Expression:
The Elections of 1984 & 1985 in Bihar"

Walter Hauser, Univ of Virginia

"The Historical Roots of Bihar's Agrarian Crisis:
A District View"

Anand A. Yang, Univ of Utah

"Cultural Crisis in Chotanagpur"

Bisheshwar Prasad Keshari, Ranchi Univ, India

"The Nature of Inter-Ethnic Rivalry in Chotanagpur"

Ram Dayal Munda, Ranchi Univ, India

DISCUSSANT: Gyan Prakash, Univ of Pennsylvania

Session 13 Room B1-A Lowell Hall

THE SOUTH ASIAN LANDSCAPE: A SERIES OF SELECTED RECENT RESEARCH
TOPICS, PART II

CHAIR: Ismail Shariff, Univ of Wis-Green Bay

1:20: "A Methodology to Stimulate the Evolution of Farmer
Organizations: The Catalyst Agent Approach, Gal-Oya,
Sri Lanka"

Chandra M. Wijayarathna, Cornell Univ

1:45: "Coverage of South Asia in U.S. Print Media During the
American Election Month of November"

Tahmina Ahmad, Dhaka, Bangladesh

2:10: "Why Do Bangladesh People Remain so Poor, Though They
Work & Save? Some Reflections After Nine Years There"

Clarence Maloney, USAID, Dhaka, Bangladesh

2:35 "Food Policy, Food Production, & Income Distribution in
Developing Countries: Recent Experiences & Future
Challenges in Bangladesh"

Baker A. Siddiquee, Univ of Manitoba

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 1
3:15 to 5:00 p.m.

Session 14 Auditorium Wisconsin Center

SOCIAL DYNAMICS OF CONFLICTS ON BOTH SIDES OF THE KHYBER PASS

CHAIR: Joseph W. Elder, Univ of Wis-Madison

"The Implications of the Durand Line on Afghan-Pakistan Foreign Policy Relations"

Sultan A. Gulzad, Univ of Wis-Madison

"The Roles of Agnatic Rivalry & Islam in the Political Processes of Afghanistan, 1919-Present"

Shah Mahmud Hanifi, Univ of Wis-Madison

"An Analysis of Babrak Karmal's Policies Towards the Minorities in Afghanistan"

Ann P. Kalayil, Univ of Wis-Madison

DISCUSSANT: Joseph W. Elder, Univ of Wis-Madison

Session 15 Room 226 Wisconsin Center

PERCEPTIONS OF BASIC NEEDS: AN INTERDISCIPLINARY APPROACH TO DEVELOPMENT IN SRI LANKA

CHAIR: Robert C. Oberst, Nebraska Wesleyan Univ

"Global Development: An Eclectic Approach"

Peter N. Hess, Davidson College

"Buddhism & Development in Sri Lanka"

George D. Bond, Northwestern Univ, &

Patricia L. Masters, Univ of Hawaii

"Nutrition & Food Consumption in Sri Lanka"

Eloise Carter, Tuskegee Institute

"Foodstamps & Government Nutrition Policy"

Robert C. Oberst, Nebraska Wesleyan Univ

DISCUSSANTS: Roger Alexander, Manitowoc, Wis.

Friday 3:15 panel sessions continued on pp. 18-19--

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 1
3:15 to 5:00 p.m.

Session 16 Room B1-B Lowell Hall

SOUTH ASIA LIBRARY COLLECTIONS IN THE 1980's:

COLLECTION POLICY IN A CHANGING ENVIRONMENT

CHAIR: Jack C. Wells, Univ of Wis-Madison

"Maintaining Graduate Collections With Diminishing Resources:
Is There Life After 'Dollar Day'?"

Jack C. Wells, Univ of Wis-Madison

"A South Asian Collection for Undergraduate Education"

Merry Burlingham, Univ of Texas-Austin

"Collection Planning in a State-Wide Library System"

Kenneth R. Logan, Univ of California-Berkeley

"The Role of the Library of Congress in Maintaining National
South Asia Bibliographical Resources"

Louis Jacob, Library of Congress-South Asia Division

"South Asian Studies & Libraries in the United Kingdom:
Now & The Future"

Barry Bloomfield, India Office Library & Records, London

DISCUSSANT: N. Gerald Barrier, Univ of Missouri-Columbia

Session 17 Room 118 Lowell Hall

TEACHING WORKSHOP: INTERNATIONAL INFORMATION TRACKDOWN:

A FUN WAY TO LEARN ABOUT THE WORLD (3:15 to 4:15)

CHAIR: Jane Joyce, Nicolet High School, Glendale, Wis.

PRESENTERS:

Thulsi Bhala, Nicolet High School

Jane Joyce, Nicolet High School

TEACHING WORKSHOP: AN APPROACH TO THE STUDY OF DEITY

(4:15 to 5:00)

PRESENTER: Abbie Ziffren, Univ of Wis-Madison

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 1
3:15 to 5:00 p.m.

Session 18 Room B1-A Lowell Hall

DOGMA & PRACTICE IN INDIAN MYSTICISM

- CHAIR: Girdhari L. Tikku, Univ of Illinois
"Indian Mysticism: The Kashmiri Experience"
Girdhari L. Tikku, Univ of Illinois
"From the Profane to the Transcendent: Japa in Medieval
Bhakti Poetry"
Rajeshwari Pandharipande, Univ of Illinois
"Method & Meaning in J.Krishnamurti's Commentaries on Living"
Makarand Paranjape, Univ of Illinois
DISCUSSANT: Klaus Witz, Univ of Illinois

Session 19 Room 130 Elvehjem Museum

STUDIES IN THE ART OF TANTRA

- CHAIR: John C. Huntington, Ohio State Univ
"The Jnana Dakini Mandala"
A. W. Hanson-Barber, Middleton, Wis.
"Chaplets & Turbans in Gandharan Buddhist Iconology"
Carolyn W. Schmidt, Ohio State Univ
"Lineage Paintings of the Tibetan Sakyapa Sect"
(Illustrated)
George Hibbard, St. Louis, MO
"Tantric Practice in Sri Lanka: Part I: The Material Evidence"
John C. Huntington, Ohio State Univ

NOTE: See page 3 for information on transportation to the Elvehjem
Museum of Art.

FRIDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 1

SOCIAL HOUR (No Host Bar): 5:00 to 6:00 P.M.
Main Lounge Area, Lowell Hall

ALL CONFERENCE DINNER: 6:00 to 7:30 P.M.
Lowell Hall Dining Room

WELCOME & INTRODUCTORY REMARKS BY:

Manindra K. Verma

Chairman, 14th Annual Conference Program Committee
University of Wisconsin-Madison

SPECIAL INTRODUCTIONS

DINNER MENUS

Vegetarian

Malai Baigan (Aubergine With Sour Cream)
Chhole
Mushrooms With Tomatoes
Vegetable Pulao
Pita Bread
Mango Ice Cream
Beverage

Non-Vegetarian

Indian Yogurt Chicken
Chhole
Mushrooms With Tomatoes
Vegetable Pulao
Pita Bread
Mango Ice Cream
Beverage

Note: Please display your dinner ticket near your coffee cup at your place at the table. Tickets will be collected as dinner is served.

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SPECIAL PLENARY SESSION

8:00 TO 10:00 P.M.

Room B-1, Lowell Hall

BHOPAL

CHAIR: Arthur B. Sacks, Institute for Environmental Studies,
University of Wisconsin-Madison

Ashok Bhargava, Department of Economics,
University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

"Union Carbide & Bhopal: A Multi-National Perspective"

Marc Galanter, Law School,
University of Wisconsin-Madison

"The Legal Response to the Bhopal Disaster"

Susan Haddon, LBJ School of Public Affairs,
University of Texas-Austin

"The Implementation of Environmental Policy in India"

Sheila Jasanoff, Program on Science, Technology & Society,
Cornell University

"Regulating Transferred Technologies: Matching Knowledge to Power"

R. S. Khare, Department of Anthropology,
University of Virginia

"Risk & Karma: Cultural Notions of Accountability in India"

SATURDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 2
8:15 to 10:00 a.m.

Session 20 Room 212 Wisconsin Center

THINKING ABOUT THE CAUSES OF EVENTS IN EVERYDAY LIFE

CHAIR: Charles W. Nuckolls, Univ of Chicago

"Faith, Fate & Foul Play: Oriya Perspectives on Causality"

Kathleen Chattin, Univ of Chicago

"Prediction, Diagnosis & Casual Thinking in
a Telugu Fishing Village"

Charles W. Nuckolls, Univ of Chicago

"Causal Interaction of Reproductive Phenomena With Every-
day Events"

Ellen Zimmerman, Univ of Chicago

DISCUSSANT: Norman Cutler, Univ of Chicago

Session 21 Room 227 Wisconsin Center

HINDU DHARMA: PAST & FUTURE

CHAIR: Dipankar Chatterjee, Univ of Utah

"Can a Sanatana Dharma Have a Past & a Future?"

Arvind Sharma, Univ of Sydney, Australia

"Modern Hindu Dharma: The Secular & The Sacred"

S. S. Rama Rao Pappu, Miami Univ

"Hindu Ascetic Dharma: Past & Present"

Lynn Teskey, Concordia Univ

DISCUSSANT: Ann Berliner, Calif State Univ-Fresno

Session 22 Room 316 Wisconsin Center

HIMALAYAN RESEARCH IN PSYCHOLOGY: IMPLICATIONS FOR EDUCATIONAL
DEVELOPMENT

CHAIR: King Beach, CUNY Graduate Center

"Educational Needs & Resources for Disabled Children in Nepal:
Implications from an Epidemiologic Perspective"

Milan Dixit, Shanta Dixit & Maureen Durkin-Longley,
New York City

"Projective Profiles of the Personality of Gurung Children
From Western Nepal: Some Educational Implications"

M. P. Regmi, Tribhuvan Univ

"Cognitive Development of Primary School Age Children in Nepal:
Study on Reasoning"

G. M. Shrestha, Research Centre for Educational Innovation
& Development, Nepal

"Himalayan Research in Psychology Applied to Education:
Future Prospects"

King Beach, CUNY Graduate Center

DISCUSSANT: Hugh B. Wood, American-Nepal Education Foundation

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SATURDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 2
8:15 to 10:00 a.m.

Session 23 Room 313 Wisconsin Center

**SOUTH ASIA & THE MODERN WORLD-ECONOMY: Panel 1:
THE INCORPORATION & PERIPHERALIZATION OF SOUTH ASIA**

CHAIR: Immanuel Wallerstein, SUNY-Binghamton

ORGANIZER: Fernand Braudel Center, SUNY-Binghamton

"The Incorporation & Peripheralization of South Asia, 1600-1950"
Nesar Ahmad, Kenneth Barr, Vinay Bahl, James Matson,
Ravi Palat, South Asia Research Working Group, SUNY-
Binghamton

DISCUSSANTS: Nicholas B. Dirks, Calif Institute of Technology, &
Robert E. Frykenberg, Univ of Wis-Madison, &
David Ludden, Univ of Pennsylvania, &
David Washbrook, Univ of Warwick, England

Session 24 Room 224 Wisconsin Center

ETHNOSOCIOLOGY OF SOUTH ASIAN MUSLIMS: FOCUS ON THE PERSON

CHAIR: Sufia Ahmed, Univ of Dhaka & Alverno College

ORGANIZER: Carol Prindle, Chicago, Ill.

"Bangladeshi Muslim Conceptions of Person"

Carol Prindle, Chicago, Ill.

"The Shaping of Muslim Personality"

Katherine P. Ewing, Chicago, Ill.

"Cinema & the Self: Images of Gender, Passion, & Destiny
in Urdu Films"

Judy F. Pugh, Michigan State Univ

DISCUSSANTS: McKim Marriott, Univ of Chicago, &
Marcia Hermansen, McGill Univ

Session 25 Room 118 Lowell Hall

**TRADITIONAL TIBETAN POLITY, 7: TRADITIONAL TIBET &
THE INTERNATIONAL SETTING**

CHAIR: Geshe Sopa, Univ of Wis-Madison

ORGANIZER: Jeanette Snyder, Milwaukee, Wis.

"A Review of Traditional Tibetan Polity"

Lobsang Nyima, Aye Trulku, New York City

"Tibet as a Focus for International Interests"

Beatrice D. Miller, Madison, Wis.

"Tibet: Seeds of Change"

Tenzin Tethong, Office of Tibet, NYC

AUGMENTED DISCUSSION:

Jeanette Snyder, Milwaukee, Wis.

Robert J. Miller, Univ of Wis-Madison

Gautam Vajracharya, Univ of Wis-Madison

Ter Ellingson, Univ of Washington

Paljor Tsarong, Univ of Wis-Madison

SATURDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 2
8:15 to 10:00 a.m.

Session 26 Room B1-B Lowell Hall

EDUCATION & THE AFGHANISTAN RESISTANCE

CHAIR: Thomas E. Gouttierre, Univ of Nebraska-Omaha

ORGANIZER: Esmael Burhan, Univ of Nebraska-Omaha

"Education in National Liberation Movement: Afghanistan
& Other Cases"

Louis Dupree, Duke Univ

"Educating Afghans Under the Soviet Yoke"

Thomas E. Gouttierre, Univ of Nebraska-Omaha

"Sovietization of Afghanistan & Institutions & Culture:

George Glidden & Moqim Rahmanzai, Univ of Nebraska-Omaha

DISCUSSANT: Grant Farr, Portland State Univ

Session 27 Room B1-A Lowell Hall

NUMISMATIC CONTRIBUTIONS TO INDIAN HISTORY & ART

CHAIR: A. K. Narain, Univ of Wis-Madison

"Iconography of the Deity PHARRO on Kushan Coins"

Martha Carter, Madison, Wis.

"Provenance in Coinage Attribution: The Case of
Ajay Raja & Somala Devi Chauhan"

Barry Michie, Kansas State Univ

"Bahmanid Art & Coinage"

Marie H. Martin, American Numismatic Society, NYC

"The Padishah is Dead...Numismatic Evidence of the Succession
to Emperor Aurangzeb Alamgir"

William F. Spengler, Univ of Wis-Madison

DISCUSSANT: John S. Deyell, Canadian International Development
Agency, Ottawa, Canada

SATURDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 2
10:15 a.m. to 12:00 noon

Session 28 Room 212 Wisconsin Center

CHANGING EXPRESSIONS OF IDENTITY

CHAIR: Anand Yang, Univ of Utah

"The Emergence of Communalism: Expressing 'Hindu' & 'Muslim' Community Identities in U.P. 1911-1913"

Sandria B. Freitag, Univ of California-Berkeley

"The Hindi Movement in Banaras 1868-1914: Forging a New Linguistic Identity"

Christopher R. King, Univ of Windsor

"Changing Language Labels & Stable Speech Communities in Banaras"

Beth Simon, Univ of Wis-Madison

DISCUSSANT: David Gilmartin, North Carolina State Univ

Session 29 Room B1-A Lowell Hall

THE SOUTH ASIAN LANDSCAPE: A SERIES OF SELECTED RECENT RESEARCH TOPICS, PART III

CHAIR: William Jackson, Indiana Univ

10:20 "Financial Policy, Historic Preservation, & the Tourist Industry: The Case of Nepal"

Ramesh Vaidya, Univ of Minnesota-Duluth

10:45 "Some Constructions About Women & the Nepalese Twice-born Domicile"

Vivienne Kondos, Univ of Sydney

11:10 "Gandhi & God, Personal & Impersonal"

Michael W. Sonnleitner, Univ of Northern Iowa

11:35 "Once Again On Vipratishedha"

Rama Nath Sharma, Univ of Hawaii

Session 30 Room 118 Lowell Hall

TEACHING WORKSHOP: TRADE & HISTORY

CHAIR: Marilyn Turkovich, Associated Colleges of the Midwest, Urban Education Program

"Cloth Crafts of India: Cotton & Silk"

Peggy Mueller, ACM Urban Education Program

"The Cloth Timeline"

Sarah Lane, ACM Urban Education Program

"Trekking & Trade"

Marilyn Turkovich, ACM Urban Education Program

SATURDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 2
10:15 a.m. to 12:00 noon

Session 31 Room 313 Wisconsin Center

SOUTH ASIA & THE MODERN WORLD-ECONOMY: Panel 2:

SOUTH ASIA IN THE MODERN WORLD-SYSTEM: SOME RESPONSES

CHAIR: Robert E. Frykenberg, Univ of Wis-Madison

ORGANIZER: Fernand Braudel Center, SUNY-Binghamton

"Indigeneous Banking Practices & the Finance of
Intra-Asian Trade, 1500-1900"

David Rudner, Univ of Pennsylvania

"Reorganization of Production Relations in South Asia:
Changing Form of Labour Bondage in South Bihar, c.1300-1930's"

Gyan Prakash, Univ of Pennsylvania

"The Colonial State in South Asia: An Analysis of State
Formation & Policies in Colonial Sind"

Iftikhar Ahmad, SUNY-Binghamton

DISCUSSANTS: The South Asia Research Working Group at the
Fernand Braudel Center, SUNY-Binghamton

Session 32 Room 224 Wisconsin Center

PERSPECTIVES ON MICRODEMOGRAPHY IN SOUTH ASIA

CHAIR: Susan S. Wadley, Syracuse Univ

"Gender Bias in Age Reporting & Birth & Death Recall:
Evidence from West Bengal"

Sujata Warriar, Syracuse Univ

"The Seasonality of Vital Events in South Asia"

Anthony T. Carter, Univ of Rochester

"200 Years of Demographic Change in a South Indian
Muslim Lineage"

Sylvia Vatak, Univ of Illinois-Chicago

"Aspects of the Fertility History of Karimpur"

Susan S. Wadley & Bruce W. Derr, Syracuse Univ

DISCUSSANT: Thomas Poffenberger, Reno, Nevada

Session 33 Room 227 Wisconsin Center

NEW APPROACHES TO THE STUDY OF SANSKRIT KAVYA LITERATURE

CHAIR: Richard Salomon, Univ of Washington

"Beginnings"

Robert Hueckstedt, Brown Univ

"Towards a Definition of Kavya Style"

Indira Peterson, Mount Holyoke College

"Principles of Organization in the Sisupalavadha"

Gary Tubb, Harvard Univ

"Like Father, Like Son: A Study of Bhasa's Dramatic Technique"

Richard Salomon, Univ of Washington

DISCUSSANT: Henry Heifetz, New York City

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SATURDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 2
10:15 a.m. to 12:00 noon

Session 34 Room B1-B Lowell Hall

ISLAM & MARXISM IN SOUTH ASIA

CHAIR: Zillur R. Khan, Univ of Wis-Oshkosh
"Islam & Marxism: An Islamic Perspective"

Hafeez Malik, Villanova Univ
"Islam & Marxism: A Marxian Perspective"
Aijaz Ahmed, Rutgers Univ

DISCUSSANTS: Brigadier Abdul Hafiz, Bangladesh Institute of
Strategic Studies, Dhaka, &
Minoo Adenwalla, Lawrence Univ, &
Yasmin Begum, Univ of Manchester, UK, &
Syed Bashir Hussain, Univ of Wis-Oshkosh

Session 35 Room 316 Wisconsin Center

SOUTH ASIAN WOMEN: IN THE FAMILY & BEYOND

CHAIR: Abbie Ziffren, Univ of Wis-Madison
"Women & Resettlement: Social Impact of the Mahaweli Ganga
Project, Sri Lanka"

Janet E. Benson, Kansas State Univ
"The Status of Young Indian Women Living in
Patriarchal Families"

Sujata Varma, Deshbandhu College, Univ of Delhi
"Socio-Economic Analysis of Marriage & Family in a Tibetan-
Culture Society: A Study Among the Lobas of Mustang, Nepal"
Ram Bahadur Chhetri, East-West Center, Hawaii

"Marriage & the Status of Newar Women (Kathmandu Valley, Nepal)"
Michael Allen, Univ of Sydney

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 2

12:00 Noon to 2:00 P.M.
Lowell Hall Dining Room

12:00
ALL CONFERENCE LUNCHEON

WELCOME & INTRODUCTORY REMARKS BY
Manindra K. Verma
Chairman, 14th Annual Conference Program Committee
University of Wisconsin-Madison

1:00
FEATURED SPEAKER

The Wisconsin South Asian Area Center
is pleased to present

FRANCIS ZIMMERMANN
Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique,
Paris,
and
Visiting Professor, Departement d'Anthropologie,
Universite de Montreal

speaking on

**MADNESS IN FEVER & FEVER IN THE EYES
(POLYTHETIC WAYS OF DIAGNOSIS IN AYURVEDIC MEDICINE)**

INTRODUCTION BY
David Knipe
14th Annual Conference Program Committee
University of Wisconsin-Madison

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LUNCHEON MENU

Chef's Salad
(with choice of vegetarian or non-vegetarian toppings)
Choice of Dressings
Vegetable Samosa
Assorted Nut Breads & Butter
Lemon Bars & Cookies
Beverage

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 2
2:00 to 3:45 p.m.

Session 36 Room 313 Wisconsin Center

RE-EMERGENCE OF MINORITY PROBLEMS IN SOUTH ASIA IN THE 1980's

CHAIR: Paul Wallace, Univ of Missouri-Columbia

"The Dilemmas of Development & Dependence: Sri Lanka Since 1977"

Amita Shastri, California Institute of Technology

"The Ahmadiyyas, A Minority in Pakistan, & Human Rights"

Khalil Nasir, Syosset, NY

"The Sikhs as a 'Minority' in a Majority State"

Paul Wallace, Univ of Missouri-Columbia

"Theoretical Reflections on Class Gender & Ethnicity in India"

Amrita Basu, Amherst College

DISCUSSANTS: Murray Leaf, Univ of Texas-Dallas, &
Amrita Basu, Amherst College

Session 37 Room 212 Wisconsin Center

DISASTER MANAGEMENT IN SOUTH ASIA

CHAIR: Angela S. Burger, Univ of Wis-Marathon Center

"Socio-Political Response to Natural Calamities:
The Case of Bangladesh"

Ruhul Amin, Univ of Wis-Barron County Center

"Handling Landslips, Floods Cyclones in Sri Lanka"

Angela S. Burger, Univ of Wis-Marathon Center

"The Bhopal Incident & Union Carbide: Ramifications of an
Industrial Accident"

Ashok Bhargava, Univ of Wis-Whitewater

DISCUSSION

Session 38 Room 227 Wisconsin Center

RELIGION & POLITICS IN TWENTIETH-CENTURY HINDU INDIA

CHAIR: Robert Baird, Univ of Iowa

"Jawaharlal Nehru: Politics Without Religion"

Boyd Wilson, Hope College

"Aurobindo Ghose: Religion Without Politics"

Paul Mundschenk, Western Illinois Univ

"Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan: Political Religion"

Robert N. Minor, Univ of Kansas

"Mohandas Gandhi: Religious Politics"

Ishwar Harris, College of Wooster

DISCUSSANTS: Robert Baird, Univ of Iowa, &
Arvind Sharma, Univ of Sydney

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 2
2:00 to 3:45 p.m.

Session 39 Room B1-B Lowell Hall

BANGLADESH 1985

CHAIR: Zillur R. Khan, Univ of Wis-Oshkosh

"The Unfolding of Political Consciousness of Bengal's Muslims"
Tazeen Murshid, Univ of Oxford

"The Indian Role in the Sociopolitical & Economic Life
of Bangladesh"

Mohammad Ayub, Univ of Singapore

"Rural Development in Bangladesh"

A.Z.M. Obaidullah Khan, Ambassador of Bangladesh to
the United States

"Abdul Hamid Khan Bhashani & the Peasantry of Bangladesh"
Zillur R. Khan, Univ of Wis-Oshkosh

DISCUSSANTS: Daud Khan Majlish, Voice of America, &
M.A. Rahim, Univ of Hawaii, &
Kamaluddin Ahmed, Jahangir Nagar Univ, &
A. Martin Gruberg, Univ of Wis-Oshkosh

Session 40 Room 316 Wisconsin Center

**NEW MODELS, NEW ROLES: FOREIGN WOMEN & SOCIAL CHANGE IN
NINETEENTH & TWENTIETH CENTURY INDIA**

CHAIR: Robert E. Frykenberg, Univ of Wis-Madison

"Covering India: Western Women Journalists' Portrayal of
Indian Women in the Early 20th Century"

Barbara Ramusack, Univ of Cincinnati

"Women of Two Worlds: Sister Nivedita & The Mother &
Social Change in India"

Michelle Fagan, Univ of Arizona

"Teachers, Doctors, Evangelists, Wives: American Presbyterian
Women Missionaries in North India, 1870-1930"

Leslie Flemming, Univ of Arizona

"Tamil Women & the Danish Mission Society"

Geoffrey Burkhart, American Univ

DISCUSSANT: Judith Benade, Univ of Wis-Madison

Session 41 Room 118 Lowell Hall

**TEACHING WORKSHOP: TEACHING/LEARNING IS COMMUNICATION:
TEACHING ABOUT INDIA BY USING THE SENSES & OTHER STRATEGIES**

CHAIR/PRESENTER: Carol M. Hansen, Association for Asian
Studies

Saturday 2:00 panel sessions continued on page 30--

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 2
2:00 to 3:45 p.m.

Session 42 Room 224 Wisconsin Center

HEROES, DEMONS, SAGES, & CRITTERS OF THE MAHABHARATA

CHAIR: David Gitomer, Univ of Chicago

"Raksasa Bhima"

David Gitomer, Univ of Chicago

"The Two Grandfathers of the Epic: Vyasa & Bhishma in the Mahabharata"

Bruce M. Sullivan, Univ of Texas-Austin

"Snakes, Birds & Horses in the Adi Parvan of the Mahabharata"

Wendy O'Flaherty, Univ of Chicago

DISCUSSANT: Alf Hildebeitel, George Washington Univ

Session 43 Room B1-A Lowell Hall

THE SOUTH ASIAN LANDSCAPE: A SERIES OF SELECTED RECENT RESEARCH TOPICS, PART IV

CHAIR: Jashu Patel, Chicago State Univ

2:05 "Comparative Analysis of the Transition to Deliberate Fertility Control in Nepal, Pakistan, Bangladesh & Sri Lanka"

Ramesh Narsingh Amatya, Univ of Southern California

2:30 "Health & Ethnic Boundary"

Anjali Bhattacharyya, Macedonia, Ohio

2:55 "The Vertical Neighborhood: Life in a Calcutta High Rise"

Lauren Anita Corwin, Cleveland State Univ

3:20 "Population Education & Adult Education Programmes in India: Formal Attempts Through Informal Methods"

Najma Akhtar, Aligarh Muslim Univ

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 2, Room 138, Wisconsin Center

2:00 to 3:00 p.m. American Nepal Education Foundation Grantees Meeting

3:00 to 4:00 p.m. American Nepal Education Foundation Open Meeting

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SATURDAY AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 2

**4:00 to 6:00 P.M.
Room B-1, Lowell Hall**

ALL CONFERENCE PROGRAM

FESTIVAL OF INDIA:

INDO-AMERICAN DIALOGUE

**The Wisconsin South Asian Area Center
is pleased to present**

THE HONORABLE K. S. BAJPAI
Ambassador of India to the United States

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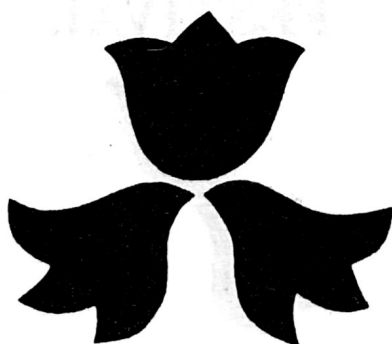
MICHAEL PISTOR
Formerly Minister-Counselor for Public Affairs,
American Embassy, New Delhi
Currently Director of Press & Publications,
U.S. Information Agency

speaking on

"INDIA AND THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA"

INTRODUCTION BY
Manindra K. Verma
Chairman, 14th Annual Conference Program Committee
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FESTIVAL



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1985-1986

SATURDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 2

SOCIAL HOUR
(No Host Bar)
6:00 to 7:00 P.M.
Main Lounge Area, Lowell Hall

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PERFORMANCE

8:00 P.M.
Mills Concert Hall
Humanities Building
(Enter center of building from Park Street-
Hall is on street level)

The 14th Annual Conference on South Asia
is proud to present

FOLK MUSIC OF RAJASTHAN

LANGAS & MANGANIYARS

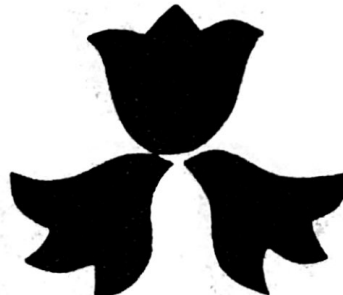
A touring troupe of the Festival of India

Produced by the American Institute of Indian Studies
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School of Music
Department of Theatre & Drama

INTRODUCTION BY
Mark Kenoyer
University of Wisconsin-Madison

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See program/flyer in your Conference portfolio
for further details.

SUNDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 3

SOCIAL HOUR
(Coffee & Tea & Muffins)
8:00 A.M.
Main Lounge Area, Lowell Hall

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Committee on South Asian Women (COSAW) Meeting
Jyotsna Vaid, Coordinator
Room 118, Lowell Hall
8:00 to 10:00 A.M.
See page 3, Conference Notes

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A SPECIAL PRESENTATION

9:00 to 10:00 A.M.
Room B-1, Lowell Hall

The 14th Annual Conference on South Asia
is happy to bring you

BRIAN SILVER
Duke University

on Sitar

INTRODUCTION BY
Phillip Zarrilli
University of Wisconsin-Madison

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SUNDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 3
10:15 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Session 44 Dining Room Lowell Hall

WORKSHOP ON OPPORTUNITIES FOR PUBLISHING, & ASSOCIATED
PROBLEMS, IN THE SOUTH ASIAN FIELD TODAY

CHAIR: Margaret Case, Princeton Univ Press

DISCUSSANTS:

N. Gerald Barrier, Univ of Missouri-Columbia

Margaret Case, Princeton Univ Press

Frank Reynolds, Univ of Chicago

DISCUSSION FROM FLOOR

Session 45 Room 118 Lowell Hall

TWO ASPECTS OF WOMEN'S STATUS IN INDIA:

WOMEN & THE MASS MEDIA, AND WOMEN & WORK

CHAIR: Jyotsna Vaid, Univ of Calif-San Diego

"'All That Glitters...': An Assessment of Feminist Conscious-
ness in Indian Films"

Shamita Das Dasgupta, New School for Social Research, NJ

"Popular Myths From the Screen: Indian Women"

Rajini Rao, Philadelphia, PA

"Coverage of Women's Issues in the Indian Immigrant Press of
the U.S."

Rashmi Luthra, Univ of Wis-Madison

DISCUSSANT: Ashakant Nimbark, Dowling College

"Impact of Agricultural Development on the Status of Rural
Women in India"

Huma Ahmed Ghosh, San Diego, CA

"Women in Rural Energy Crisis in India"

Deipica Bagchi, Southern Ill Univ at Edwardsville

DISCUSSION

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Gopal Kulkarni, Indiana Univ of Pennsylvania

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INTERPRETATIONS OF RELIGION & CULTURE

CHAIR: William C. McCormack, Univ of Calgary

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William J. Jackson, Indiana Univ

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We feel that this welcome to delegates to a **14th Annual Meeting** in New Delhi, is also appropriate to welcome participants to our **14th Annual Conference** in Madison nearly 30 years later. Here is the balance of the text, adapted suitably, to welcome you to the 14th Annual Conference on South Asia:

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May Surya, the Sun God, shine softly upon you.

May the gentle rays of Soma, the Moon God,
cast enchantment over the land
we proudly spread before you.

And may the ancient deities of wisdom
and success attend your panels.

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