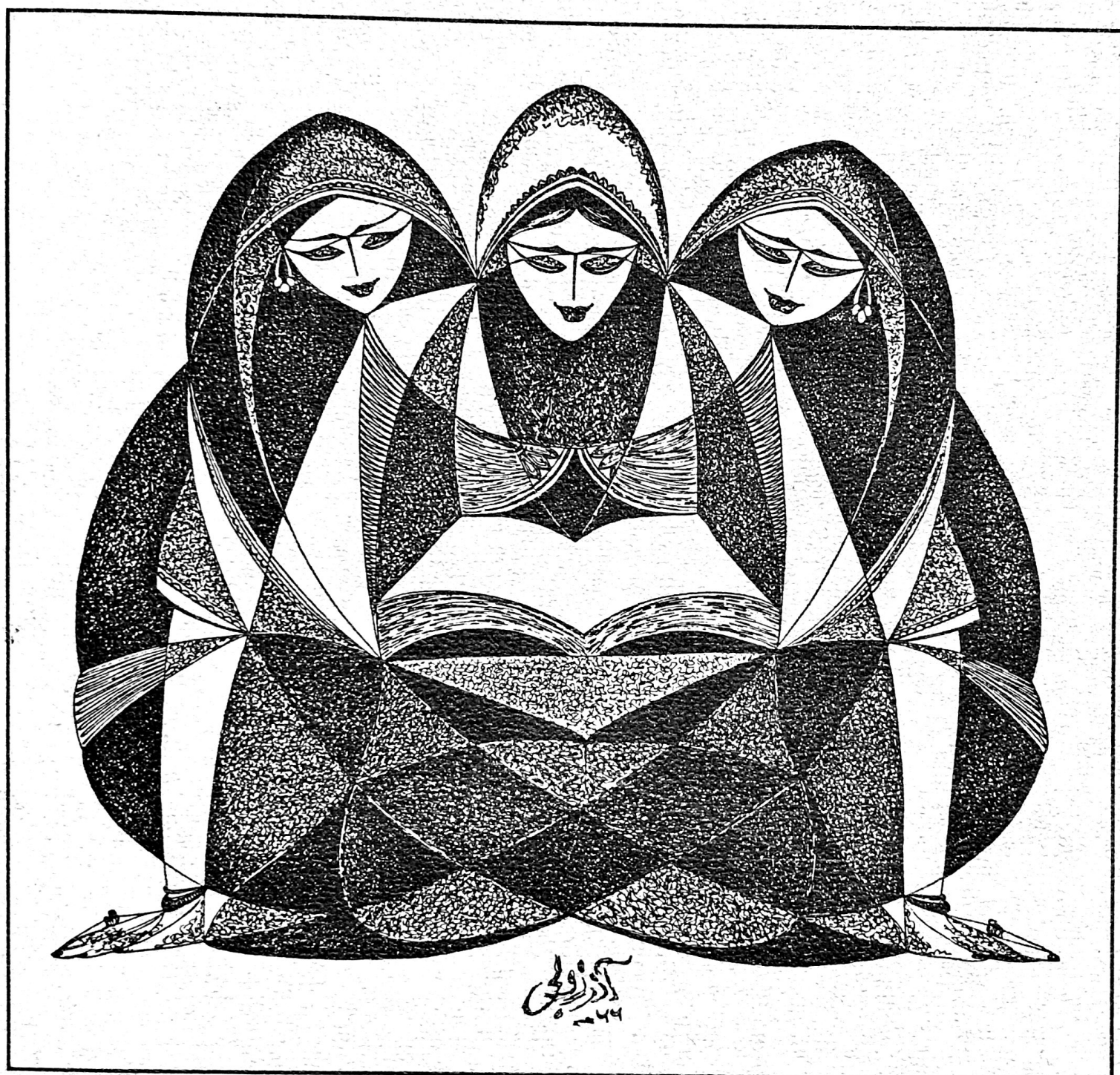


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Schedule of Events

Friday, November 3:

8:30 a.m.	Registration, Lowell Hall, Main Lounge Area (Coffee and Tea)
9:00-11:00 am	Panel Sessions
11:00-1:15 p.m.	Lunch Break
1:15-3:00 p.m.	Panel Sessions
3:00-3:15 p.m.	Break
3:15-5:00 p.m.	Panel Sessions
5:00-6:30 p.m.	Social Hour, Lowell Hall, Main Lounge Area, Cash Bar
6:30-8:00 p.m.	All Conference Dinner, Lowell Hall Dining Room
8:00 p.m.	Special Invited Lecture, B1B Lowell Hall

Saturday, November 4:

8:00 a.m.	Registration, Lowell Hall, Main Lounge
8:15-10:00 a.m.	Panel Sessions
10:00-10:15 a.m.	Break
10:15-Noon	Panel Sessions
12:00-1:30 p.m.	All Conference Luncheon, Lowell Hall Dining Room
1:30-3:15 p.m.	Panel Sessions
3:15-3:30 p.m.	Break
3:30-5:15 p.m.	Panel Sessions
5:15-6:30 p.m.	Social Hour, Lowell Hall, Main Lounge Area, Cash Bar
8:00 p.m.	The Akshara Theatre of New Delhi performance of <i>The Ramayana</i>

Sunday, November 5:

8:00 a.m.	Social Hour, Lowell Hall, Main Lounge Area (Coffee, Tea and Muffins)
8:30-10:00 a.m.	Special Event, 118 Lowell Hall
10:15 a.m.-noon	Panel Sessions
	Conference Adjournment

Conference Information

Please Note: A copy of the program booklet is provided with each paid registration. Remember to bring it with you to the Conference - replacement programs are \$2.00.

Conference Registration: All participants and attendees are expected to register, including students.

The pre-registration rate for panelists is \$25 (\$12.50 for student and K-12 teacher panelists). The same rate applies to participants who register in advance before October 1. Registration rates after that date and at the door are \$30 for regular registration and \$15.00 for students and K-12 teachers. Conference materials are available at the registration desk in the main lounge area at Lowell Hall.

Abstracts: "Abstracts of Papers Presented at the 18th Annual Conference on South Asia" is available for \$2.00 in the Conference Office and at our booth in the Book Exhibit Room (Lower Lounge).

Panels are presented in both Lowell Hall and the Wisconsin Center. For panels scheduled in the Wisconsin Center be sure to check the monitor in the main lobby to confirm locations.

Papers will be presented in the order they are listed in the program booklet. Panelists are asked to report to the panel chairperson at the beginning of their session.

A special Teaching Workshop is offered for K-12 teachers. All Conference attendees participants are invited to attend.

A Conference Area Map is located on page 6.

The Conference Office is Room 115 Lowell Hall. The office will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. November 3 and 4, and from 9:00 am to noon on November 5.

A message board is available near the registration desk at Lowell Hall throughout the Conference.

(Conference Information, continued)

Shuttle Service is provided between the Friedrich Center and Lowell Hall at key times. Check the main desk at either building to sign up for transportation.

A-V equipment problems should be reported immediately to the main desk at Lowell Hall or the Wisconsin Center.

There will be a special lecture by David Shulman, Hebrew University, Jerusalem, on Friday evening, November 3 at 8:00 p.m. in room B1B Lowell Hall.

The Akshara Theatre of New Delhi will perform *The Ramayana* on Saturday evening, November 4 at 8:00 p.m. in Mills Hall, 2340 Humanities. The performance is free to all Conference participants.

A special presentation of the new film *Kamala's Story: We Are All One* will be Sunday morning, 8:30 a.m., room 118 Lowell Hall.

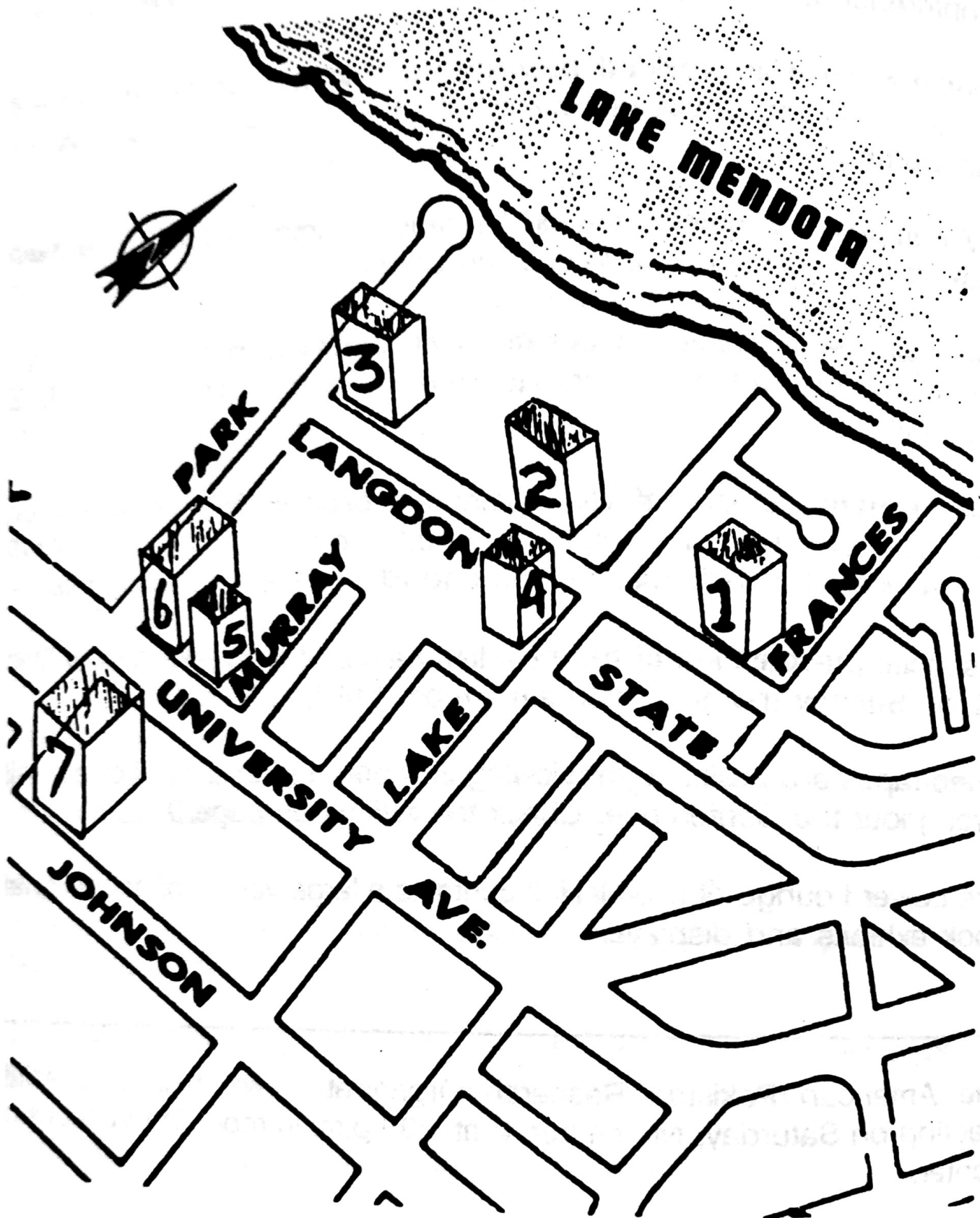
Video-tapes are available for viewing in rooms 116 and 117 Lowell Hall throughout the Conference. Check the listings on page 9.

The Lower Lounge of Lowell Hall contains a large variety of educational book exhibits and displays.

The American Pakistan Research Organization will hold a special meeting on Saturday, November 4, at 1:30 p.m. in room 311 Wisconsin Center.

The American Institute of Pakistan Studies will hold a special meeting on Saturday, November 4, at 3:30 p.m. in room 311 Wisconsin Center.

Conference Area Map



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

Special Panel Session

Boundaries of Political Loyalty in 18th Century South Asia

Friday, November 3

9:00 a.m. to Noon, 118 Lowell Hall

and 1:30 to 3:15 p.m., 118 Lowell Hall

Chair: Robert E. Frykenberg, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Papers:

"Some Notes on Political History and State Formation in India"

Andre Wink, University of Leiden/University of Wisconsin-Madison

"[Naukars, Rajputs, and Sepoys: Transfers of Power in North India]"

Dirk H. A. Kolff, University of Utrecht

"The Bind that Ties: Thomas Munro's Patrimonialism"

Burton Stein, University of London

"Limited Loyalties: Rajas and the Old Regime in 18th Century Bengal"

John R. McLane, Northwestern University

Discussants:

Ravinder Kumar, Nehru Memorial Library, New Delhi

Tapan Raychaudhuri, St. Antony's College, Oxford University

Sylvia Vatuk, University of Illinois-Circle Campus

Centennial Colloquium

Nehru in World Perspective: An International Colloquium

Saturday, November 4

10:15 a.m. to Noon, 118 Lowell Hall and

1:30 to 5:15 p.m., 118 Lowell Hall

Chair: Robert E. Frykenberg, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Speakers:

"Nehru and India"

Ravinder Kumar

Nehru Memorial Museum and Library

"Nehru and Britain"

William Roger Louis

University of Texas-Austin

"Nehru and America"

Ainslie T. Embree

Columbia University

"Nehru and the World"

Tapan Raychaudhuri

St. Antony's College, Oxford University

Discussant:

Burton Stein, University of London

Videotape Showings

Friday and Saturday, 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Sunday, 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon

Rooms 116 and 117 Lowell Hall

Tapes are available at the Conference Office, 115 Lowell Hall.

Kamala's Story: We Are All One

Michael Camerini, Producer

Joseph W. Elder, Executive Producer

For sales information contact the South Asian Film Distribution Office, University of Wisconsin, 1269 Van Hise Hall, Madison, Wisconsin 53706, phone 608/262-9690.

Who's Children?

Meera Dewan, Producer/Director

For rental/sales information contact Meera Dewan, 46 Gibson Avenue, Toronto, Ontario, M5R 1T5, Canada.

Slide Set Previews

Slide sets are available at the Conference Office, 115 Lowell Hall.

Slide Presentation Packets on South Asia by Christopher L. Scholes. For sales information contact Nalini Shetty, Delphi International, Washington D.C., telephone 202-466-7951.

Bazaar People in South India. The visual wonders of the bazaar and the excitement they provide are recorded.

Living Gods, Hindu Faces. Based on the acclaimed exhibit of the same title, this presentation shows Hindu devotees engaged in meditation, prayer, and rituals in the temples of South India.

Tradition in Modern Indian Life. As India modernizes, tradition maintains a strong hold on rural life and even within rapidly developing urban areas. The result is a fascinating juxtaposition of the old and new.

Friday Morning, November 3
9:00 to 11:00 a.m.

Session 1 B1A Lowell Hall
Omnibus

Chair: Rama Rao Pappu, Miami University

"Water, Social Organization and Polity in Central Rajasthan"

R. Thomas Rosin, Sonoma State University

"He Who owns the Stick Owns the Buffalo: Voices of Justice in Rajasthan"

Erin Moore, University of California-Berkeley

"Here, There and Everywhere: Place and Person in Nepalese Explanations of Illness"

Stacy Leigh Pigg, Cornell University

"Spuds Mackenzie and Beds of Nails: Images of the Hindu Ascetic"

Kirin Narayan, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"Temporality, Substance, Liberation in Vaisheshika and Buddhism"

B. David Burke, Asia in Review, Managing Editor

Session 2 B1B Lowell Hall
Omnibus

Chair: Francine Weinbaum, University of Illinois

"Basic and Derived Categories in Urdu-Hindi Complex Predicates"

Asif Agha, Chicago, Illinois

"New Evidence for the Origin of the Arapacana Syllabary"

Richard Salomon, University of Washington

"A Modernist Rebel: Krishnakamal Bhattacharya"

Asit Kumar Bhattacharyya, Korak

"Cross-Cultural Translation: Examining the 'Orientalist' Gaze"

Mahasweta Sengupta, Amherst, Massachusetts

"Search for Self: Reflections on the Novels of Paul Scott"

Francine Weinbaum, University of Illinois

Friday Morning, November 3

9:00 to 11:00 a.m.

**Session 3 224 Wisconsin Center
Issues in Economic Development**

Chair: Harish Batra, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

**"Social and Economic Preconditions & Repercussions of
Revitalizing Traditional Irrigation & Irrigation Management in
Karnataka, India"**

James Heimann, Neelambar Hatti

**"Computers and Handlooms: An Analysis of Recent Development
Strategies in Modern India"**

Mohini Gupta, University of Cape Breton

**"Urbanization in the Less Developed Nations: Population Growth
Versus Industrial Growth"**

Ansaruddin Ahmed, Rochester, New York

**"Conundrums of Growth in South Asia: High Savings, Low Growth
in India: Low Savings, High Growth in Pakistan"**

John Adams, University of Maryland

**Session 4 226 Wisconsin Center
Omnibus**

Chair: Joan Raducha, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"Regional and Subregional Styles in Nolambavadi"

Andrew Cohen, Chicago, Illinois

**"The Sava-Vahana as Purusa in Orissan Images: Camunda to
Kali/Tara"**

Thomas Donaldson, Cleveland State University

**"The Harsat-Mata Temple at Abaneri (Rajasthan): Form and
Meaning"**

Cynthia Packert, Beverly, Massachusetts

"Contemporary Malaysian Theatre from an American Viewpoint"

Nancy Funk, Pennsylvania State University

Friday Morning, November 3
9:00 to 11:00 a.m.

Session 5 316 Wisconsin Center
Communications in South Asia: Culture,
Development and Policy

Chair: A. Nimbark, Dowling College

"The Position of Television in the Cultural Map of India"

Ananda Mitra, University of Illinois-Urbana

"Rabindranath Tagore in China"

Liu Jian, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"Underneath the Lotus Flowers-- The Life and Writings of Kasi Prasad Ghosh: The First English Language Poet of India"

R. Alain Everts, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"The Emic-Etic Interface: An Intercultural Communication Model Using Ghalib's Urdu Ghazals"

Syed H. Pasha, State University, New York

Lunch Break 11:00 a.m.-1:15 p.m.

Friday Afternoon, November 3
1:15 to 3:00 p.m.

Session 6 B1A Lowell Hall
Congresses, Communities, and Counter-Colonial
Discourse in Indian Nationalism
Part One: Constituting Nationalist Identities

Chair: *John D. Kelly, Princeton University*

"A Sanctuary for Men': The Anglo-Indian Social Clubs and the Colonial Politics of Masculinity"

Mrinalini Sinha, Albion College

"Authorizing Gandhi"

Richard G. Fox, Duke University

"Indian Nationalism, Nepali Nationalism and the Gurkhas"

Mary Des Chene, Stanford University

"The Nationalist Strategy and the Symbolic Construction of Handwoven Textiles in India"

Dulali Nag, Iowa State University

Discussant: Ranjini Obeyesekere, Princeton University

Friday Afternoon, November 3
1:15 to 3:00 p.m.

Session 7 B1B Lowell Hall

**Multivalence and Identity: The Gods and Their
Worshippers in Kathmandu Valley Society**

Chair: Todd Lewis, Montclair State College

"Conflict and Communitas: The Politics of Devotion to Bungadya"
Bruce Owens, Columbia University

**"Forms of a Formless God: Multivalence and Flexibility in Newar
Culture"**

Ter Ellingson, University of Washington

**"19 Gods, 8 Ghosts, and 2 Dogs: Masked Gods and Multiple
Meanings in Newar Religion"**

Linda L. Ittis, University of Washington

Discussant: Todd Lewis, Montclair State College

Session 8 224 Wisconsin Center

**Revisiting Tradition: Innovations in Contemporary
Indian Thought**

Chair: Krishna Mohan, Southern Connecticut State University

"Revisiting Hinduism: Some Reflections on Aurobindo's"
Bina Gupta, UMC

"Muhammad Iqbal and the 19th Century Muslim Revival"
Donald Bishop, Washington State University

"God, Jivacide, and Ramana Maharshi"

Authur Herman, University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point

Discussant: Krishna Sivaraman, Mc Masters University

Friday Afternoon, November 3
1:15 to 3:00 p.m.

Session 9 226 Wisconsin Center
Omnibus

Chair: A.K. Narain, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"In the Footsteps of Sawan Mal: Colonel G.W. Hamilton of Multan"

J. Royal Roseberry III, Columbia, South Carolina

"Pre-dynastic Ganga Valley -- An Introductory Outline"

Arun K. Nag, Visva-Bharati

"On the Origin of the Concept of Metric Systems of Weights and Measures"

Anjan Kumar Bhattacharyya, Calcutta, India

"The Making of C.P. Brown (1798-1884), A British Civilian Scholar of South India"

Peter L. Schmitthenner, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Session 10 316 Wisconsin Center
The Ever-Shorter Short Chronology: Fact or Fiction?

Chair: Sara Schastok, Evanston, Illinois

"Narrative Modes in Ajanta Cave 17"

Vidya Dehejia, Columbia University

"Progress in Plans at Ajanta: Implications for our consideration of the Short Chronology"

George Michell, Freer/Sackler Gallery

"Seeing Things in Proportion at Ajanta"

John Mosteller, University of Pennsylvania

"Painting at Ajanta: An Embarrassment of Riches?"

Leela Wood, University of Michigan

Discussants: Susan Huntington, Ohio State University

Walter Spink, University of Michigan

Friday Afternoon, November 3

3:15 to 5:00 p.m.

Session 11 B1A Lowell Hall

**Congresses, Communities, and Counter-Colonial
Discourse in Indian Nationalism**

Part Two: Religious Identities and Nationalism

Chair: Mary Des Chene, Stanford University

"Brotherhood of the Pure: The Poetics and Politics of Transgression"

Harjot Oberoi, University of British Columbia

"The Gandhian Origins of Hindu-Muslim Communalism: Non-Cooperation, the Khilafat Movement, and the Growth of Religious Identity in a Western Indian City, 1919-1929"

Douglas E. Haynes, Dartmouth College

"An Indian National Congress, The Arya Samaj, and Colonial Authority in Fiji: The Failure of Two Organizing Projects, 1929-1932."

John D. Kelly, Princeton University

"Sathya Sai Baba in Trinidad: Politics and Religion in an Overseas Indian Society"

Morton Klass, Barnard College

Discussant: Ronald Inden, University of Chicago

Session 12 B1B Lowell Hall

Recent Research in Himalayan and Nepal Studies

Chair: Nanda R. Shrestha, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

"Towards a Theory of Landlessness in Agrarian Societies"

Nanda R. Shrestha, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

"States in Regional Conflict: Perspectives on Indo-Nepal Relations"

Anup Pahari, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"Origin of Chinnamasta"

Elisabeth Benard, College of Wooster

"Participatory Evaluation: A Proposed Approach to the Evaluation of Extension Education in Nepal"

Kalyani Rai, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Discussant: John Metz, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

Friday Afternoon, November 3
3:15 to 5:00 p.m.

Session 13 118 Lowell Hall
National Parks as a Response to the Environmental Crisis in Nepal

Chair: John J. Metz, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"A Reassessment of the Causes and Effects of Deforestation in Nepal"

John J. Metz, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"National Parks and People: Living in the Langtang National Park"

Naomi H. Bishop, University of Massachusetts-Boston

"Managing Environmental Crisis in Sagarmatha National Park"

Barbara Brower, University of Texas-Austin

Session 14 224 Wisconsin Center
Jawaharlal Nehru: Scholar, Diplomat, Statesman, Ideologue, Visionary . . ."

Chair: Zillur R. Khan, University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh

"Multifaceted Personality of Nehru: A Study of the Social, Literary, Educational, and Humanistic Aspects of Jawaharlal Nehru"

Bhagwan P. Majumdar, Patna University

"Nehru's Dialectical Ideology: A Study of Three Strains of Thought (Tribenisangam) in Nehru"

Anjishnu Roy, University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh

"Jawaharlal Nehru and Rabindranath Tagore: Similarity of Their Outlooks"

Prasanta Kumar Basu, University of Toronto

"Nehru and World Order"

Zillur R. Khan, University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh

Discussant: Minoo Adenwalla, Lawrence University

Friday Evening, November 3

Social Hour

(no host bar)

5:00 to 6:30 p.m.

Main Lounge Area, Lowell Hall

All Conference Dinner

6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Lowell Hall Dining Room

Welcome and Introductory Remarks by
Muhammad U. Memon

Chair, 18th Annual Conference Program Committee
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Please display your dinner ticket near your coffee cup at your place setting. Tickets will be collected as dinner is served. Wine service is available upon request.

The Wisconsin South Asian Area Center

presents

a special lecture by

David Shulman

***Hebrew University
Jerusalem***

***"On Having a Body:
Nayaka Notions of the Person"***

Room B1-B Lowell Hall

8:00 p.m.

Saturday Morning, November 4
8:15 to 10:00 a.m.

Session 15 B1A Lowell Hall
Recent Research in Himalayan Studies: The
Maintenance of Individual and Group Boundaries

Chair: Todd T. Lewis, Rutgers University

"Shifting Patterns of Satar Identity: A Case of the Sapha Hod"
Premlata Ghimire, Bryn Mawr

"Self, Space, and Healing Among Yolmo Sherpas"

Robert Desjarlais, University of California-Los Angeles

"Growing Up Newar: Childhood and Tradition in Chittadhar
Hridaya's"

Todd T. Lewis, Rutgers University

Discussant: Linda Iltis, University of Washington

Session 16 B1B Lowell Hall
Issues in Economic Geography

Chair: Ismail Sharriff, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay

"Managing Tea Plantations in Sri Lanka: A Comparative Analysis
of Size and Productivity Relationships Within Two Elevation
Zones"

Patrick Mendis, University of Minnesota-Minneapolis

"Floods, Famines and the Peasants in Bangladesh"

Md. Matiur Rahman, University of Manitoba

"Economic Life of the People of the Central Himalayan Region
of India During the Colonial Rule"

A.K. Mittal, Kumaun University

"'Double Mission' and Introduction of Modern Industries -- A
Perspective in Comparison Between India and China, 1850's-
1910's"

Fan Tie-Cheng, Huazhong Normal University

Saturday Morning, November 4
8:15 to 10:00 a.m.

Session 17 118 Lowell Hall
Representation of the Self in Oral, Visual, and Written Formats

Chair: Lloyd I. Rudolph, University of Chicago

"The Self as Other in Autobiographical Presentation: New Perspectives in Ethnographic Interpretation"

Lloyd I. Rudolph, University of Chicago

"Mortal Self As Immortal Text: Vulnerability and Authority in the Vedic Brahman"

David M. Knipe, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"Cultural Rules as Contested Subjects in the Amar Singh Diary"

Susanne Hoeber Rudolph, University of Chicago

"Discontinuous Life Histories: How Women Construct their Lives"

Geraldine Forbes, Syracuse, New York

Discussant: Joan Landy Erdman, Columbia College

Session 18 224 Wisconsin Center
The Transformation of South Asian Labor Markets

Chair: Florence McCarthy, Cornell University

"Formalizing the Unorganized Sector: The Capitalization of Petty Commodity Production"

Florence E. McCarthy, Cornell University

"The Changing Rural Landscape: Emerging Proto-Industrial Interests in Bangladesh"

Shelley Feldman, Cornell University

"Forms of Empowerment and Participation Among Female Program Beneficiaries in Bangladesh"

Monwar Sultana, Boston, Massachusetts

"Communication in the Social Marketing of Contraceptives: A Woman - Centered Analysis"

Rashmi Luthra, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Discussant: Manju Parikh, St. Benedict's College

Saturday Morning, November 4
8:15 to 10:00 a.m.

Session 19 226 Wisconsin Center
Topics in Indo-Islamic History

Chair: *Gavin R.G. Hambly, University of Texas-Dallas*

"Numismatic Evidence of Ghori Personal Nomenclature and Royal Titulature"

William F. Spengler, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"Problems of Legitimacy, Authority and Succession in the Delhi Sultanate"

Fritz Lehmann, University of British Columbia

"Parallel Development of Architecture and Coinage: The Bahmanis"

Marie H. Martin, American Numismatic Society

"The Worm's Eye View of Mughal Administration of Justice: A Case Study of Early 17th Century Bengal"

Richard M. Eaton, University of Arizona

Session 20 227 Wisconsin Center
Omnibus

Chair: *M.U. DeSilva, Ruhuna University*

"Study of Regional Nationalism in Colonial India: A Theoretical Perspective"

Bishnu N. Mohapatra, St. Anthony's College

"Islam in Bangladesh"

Syed Serajul Islam, University of Dhaka

"Sri Lanka: Observations on Ethnic Conflict, Separatism, and Politics in a Divided Society"

Michael D. Monahan, School for International Training

"Role of Regional Political Parties in India - A Case Study of Telugu Desam Party Under the Leadership of Shri N.T. Rama Rao, Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh"

S. Sri Krishna, Sri Venkateswara University

"Two Views of Afghanistan After the Soviet Withdrawal, March 1989"

Krish Bhansali, Mississippi State

Saturday Morning, November 4
8:15 to 10:00 a.m.

Session 21 311 Wisconsin Center
Recent Developments in South Asian Archaeology,
Part 1

Chair: J. Mark Kenoyer, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"Fossil Evidence of Early Man in South Asia"

Kenneth A.R. Kennedy, Cornell University

"The Sindh Archaeological Project: The Kirthar Surveys and Ghazi Shah Excavations"

Louis Flam, Rutgers State University

"Watgal, Preliminary Investigations in the Protohistory of Northern Karnataka"

Jim G. Shaffer, Case Western Reserve University

"The Vijayanagara Metropolitan Survey Project: 1988"

Carla Sinopoli, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Saturday Morning, November 4
10:15 a.m. to Noon

Session 22 B1A Lowell Hall
Culture and Context in Tamang Childbearing,
Childcare and Parenting (NEPAL)

Chair: Catherine Panter-Brick, Oxford University

"Tamang Parenting: Mothers and Fathers, Families and Selves"

Kathryn S. March, Cornell University

"Childcare and Child Wellbeing"

Catherine Panter-Brick, Oxford University

"Child Devouring Demons, Orphans and Other Evils"

David Holmberg, Cornell University

"Domestic Structure, Monetization and Intergenerational Cash Flows"

Tom Fricke, University of Michigan

Discussant: Nancy Levine, UCLA

Saturday Morning, November 4
10:15 a.m. to Noon

Session 23 B1B Lowell Hall
Changing Cultural Geographical Patterns in South Asia

Chair: P.P. Karan, University of Kentucky-Lexington

"Differentiation in South Asian Agrarian System in the 13th Century"

Brian Murton, University of Hawaii

"Impact of Boundary Changes in Population Distribution in Nepal"

Mohan N. Shrestha, Bowling Green State University

"Toda Huts and Houses (The Nilgiris, Southern India)"

William A. Noble, University of Missouri

Discussant: David Dickason, Western Michigan University

Session 24 224 Wisconsin Center
Gandhara and the Art of the Silk Route

Chair: Susan L. Huntington, Ohio State University

"The Influence of the Gandharan Buddhist School on an Early Chinese Bronze Image of Maitreya Bodhisattva"

Carolyn W. Schmidt, Columbus, Ohio

"A Bronze Khotanese Buddha Head and its Significance"

Martha L. Carter, Madison, Wisconsin

"Gandhara and Miran"

Carol A. Bromberg, Wayne State University

"The Bei Liang Cave 275 at Dunhuang: The Gandharan Connection"

John C. Huntington, Ohio State University

Discussant: Bernard Goldman, Wayne State University

Saturday Morning, November 4
10:15 a.m. to 12:00 noon

Session 25 226 Wisconsin Center
Kumaon: Past and Present

Chair: Allen Fanger, Kutztown University

**"Economic Structure of Jumaon Himalaya under the Chandras:
An Introductory Study"**

Mareshwar P. Joshi, Kumaun University

**"Some Aspects of Diplomatic Relations between Kumaun and
the Mughal Darbar"**

C. M. Agrawal, Kumaun University

**"Impact of Industrialization on the Social Values of the People
of Kumaun Himalaya: Special Reference Female Population"**

P.C. Pande, Kumaun University

Session 26 227 Wisconsin Center
Omnibus

Chair: Kusum Nair, Manhattan, Kansas

**"Caste Hindu Views of Untouchables: The Dynamics of Biased
Perception"**

Lynn Vincentnathan, Aurora, Illinois

**"Selling Daughters': Caste, Gender and Marriage in Western
Nepal"**

Mary M. Cameron, Nepal

**"The Problem of Identity Formation Amongst the Scheduled
Castes in India"**

Rita Jalali, Stanford University

**"Social Contruction of Disorder and its Outcome in a South
Indian Community"**

S. George Vincentnathan, Aurora University

**"Social Implications of Change Among Women: A Study of the
Kashmiri Muslim Working Women"**

Bashir A. Dabla, University of Kashmir

Saturday Morning, November 4
10:15 a.m. to 12:00 noon

Session 27 311 Wisconsin Center
Recent Developments in South Asian Archaeology,
Part 2

Chair: J. Mark Kenoyer, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"Crop Processing and Its Implications for Archaeology"

Seetha Reddy, University of Wisconsin-Madison

**"Trans-Humant Population in Bharmour and Pangi Valley -
Himachal Pradesh"**

Indera Singh, Delhi University

"Ethnoarchaeology of Khambhat Bead Making"

J. Mark Kenoyer, University of Wisconsin-Madison

**"Persistent Lithics: Late Chipped Stone Technology in South
India"**

Kathleen P. Morrison, University of California-Berkeley and

Mark T. Lycett, University of New Mexico

**"Microartifacts and Macro-implications: New Trends in
Archaeology"**

**Carl P. Lippo and Mark E. Madsen, University of
Wisconsin-Madison**

Saturday Afternoon, November 4

All Conference Luncheon

Lowell Hall Dining Room

12:00 Noon to 1:30 p.m.

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Saturday Afternoon, November 5

1:30 to 3:15 p.m.

Session 28 B1A Lowell Hall

Compensation for Injury in India: Law, Ideology and Money

Chair: Robert M. Hayden, University of Pittsburgh

"Recovery for Personal Injury in India"

Marc Galanter, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"The Lok Adalat: State-Sponsored Mediation of Tort and Criminal Cases in South India"

Gene Kassebaum, University of Hawaii

"District Courts and Damages Cases"

Bob Moog, American Judicature Society

"Deformity and Injury in Indian Culture"

David Gitomer, University of Chicago

Discussants: Catherine S. Meschievitz, University of Wisconsin-Madison and Robert M. Hayden, University of Pittsburgh

Session 29 B1B Lowell Hall

TEACHER WORKSHOP

"The Mississippi Fulbright-Hays Group Project in India"

Eddie J. Girdner, Delta State University

A slide presentation produced for teacher/staff workshops for secondary teachers and for use in the secondary or college classroom. Focus will be on several aspects of Indian society including cultural, social, historical, economic, and political structure and change.

Saturday Afternoon, November 4
1:30 to 3:15 p.m.

Session 30 224 Wisconsin Center
The Politics and Rituals of India's "Appointed Day"

Chair: Anand A. Yang, University of Utah

"15 August 1947: Labour's Parting Gift to India"

Howard V. Brasted, University of New England

"The Magic Touch of Being Free: The Rituals of Independence on 15th August"

Jim Masselos, University of Sydney

"15th August 1947: The State of India's Political Economy"

Ashok Bhargava, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

Discussant: Frank Conlon, University of Washington

Session 31 226 Wisconsin Center
Omnibus

Chair: Narayana Rao, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"Division of Sacred Labor: How Priests Get Paid"

John A. Loud, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"Mangala: 'Auspiciousness/Well Being' and the Sakti Goddess in Bengal"

Suchitra Samanta, University of Virginia

"Food as Ritual in Buddhist Ladakh"

Abby Ripley, New Milford, Connecticut

"Ganesa's Popularity and the Indian Swaraj Reconsidered: A Contextualization of Religious Discourse and Practice"

Anne Enke, University of Minnesota

"A Short History of the Mazar-i Shahid-i Salis (Shrine of Nurullah Shustari)"

Wayne R. Husted, American Institute of Indian Studies

Saturday Afternoon, November 4
3:30 to 5:15 p.m.

Session 32 B1A Lowell Hall
Immigrant Experiences

Chair: Surjit Dulai, Michigan State University

"South Asian Ethnics in England and BBC: A Content Analysis of a Television Program"

Manindra K. Mohapatra, Kentucky State University

"An Overview of United States Immigration Laws and Their Impact on South Asian Immigration: Some Social and Economic Effects"

Shamim Naim & Gladis Kaufman, University of Wisconsin-Waukesha

"Bharati Mukherjee's Fiction"

Surjit Dulai,

Discussant: Ashok Bhargava, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

Session 33 B1B Lowell Hall
Temple Patronage in Medieval India

Chair: David Knipe, University of Wisconsin

"Kings, Brahmanas, and Temples in Ancient and Early Medieval Orissa"

Upinder Singh, McGill University

"Temple Donors in Medieval Andhra: Royal vs. Nayaka Modes"

Cynthia Talbot, Northern Arizona University

"Imitation Royalty or Upward Mobility?: Temple Women"

Leslie C. Orr, McGill University

"Temple Patronage and Networks of Social Control"

James Heitzman, Cazanovia College

Discussant: George Spencer, Northern Illinois University

Saturday Afternoon, November 4
3:30 to 5:15 p.m.

Session 34 227 Wisconsin Center
Omnibus

Chair: Peter Claus, University of California-Berkeley

"Preference Voting: Some Preliminary Remarks on the Sri Lankan Experience, 1987-1989"

C.R. De Silva, Bowdoin College

"Drug Abuse in Nepal: A Case Study of Kathmandu"

Bishnu Bhandari, Tribhuvan University

"Perspective of the Tribal Problem in India -- A case study of the Santals"

Suchibrata Sen, Visva-Bharati

Special Session 313 Wisconsin Center

The Nepal Studies Association presents
a special address by

Dr. Mohan Mansainju
Ambassador of Nepal

"Contemporary Nepal"

Saturday Evening, November 4

Social Hour

(No Host Bar)

5:15 to 6:30 p.m.

Main Lounge Area, Lowell Hall

The Wisconsin South Asian Area Center
presents

The Akshara Theatre of New Delhi
performance of

The Ramayana

8:00 p.m.

Mills Hall

2340 Humanities Building

University of Wisconsin Campus

(free to all Conference participants)

Sunday Morning, November 5

Social Hour

(Coffee, Tea, and Muffins)

8:00 a.m.

Main Lounge Area, Lowell Hall

Sunday Morning Special Event

An overview with excerpts from the new film

Kamala's Story: We Are All One

by the producer,
Michael Camerini

Introduction and Opening Remarks
by Joseph W. Elder
University of Wisconsin-Madison

8:30 to 10:00 a.m.
Room 118 Lowell Hall

Sunday Morning, November 5
10:15 a.m. to Noon

Session 35 B1A Lowell Hall
Contemporary Geographical Themes in South Asia

Chair: Shyam S. Bhatia, University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh

"Patterns of Physical Disability in India: A Comparative Approach"

Surinder Bhardwaj & M. Rao, Kent State University

"Water Resource Planning in Maharashtra: A Case Study of Upper Mula Basin, Maharashtra"

Thigale, Saxena & Kulkarni, University of Puna

"Determinants of Rural Service Use Amongst Households in North Arcot, Tamil Nadu, India"

Sudhir Wanmali, International Food Policy Research Institute

Discussant: Bheru Sukhwai, University of Wisconsin-Platteville

Session 36 B1B Lowell Hall
A Reappraisal of South Asian Art History

Chair: Joana Williams, University of California-Berkeley

"The Tamil Idea of Portraiture"

Padma Kaimal, Colgate University

"Art of the Early Licchavi Period"

Gautam Vajracharya, University of California-Berkeley

"Is the Present the Key to the Past?"

Joana Williams, University of California-Berkeley

"Ethno-History, Art History Competing Constant"

Michael Meister, University of California-Berkeley

Discussant: David Sanford, University of California-Berkeley

Sunday Morning, November 5
10:15 a.m. to Noon

Session 37 118 Lowell Hall
SAARC

Chair: Angela Burger, University of Wisconsin-Marathon

"Economic Prospects of SAARC"

J.S. Narayan Rao, Osmania University, Hyderabad

"Economic Integration, Regional Cooperation and Growth and Development in South Asia"

Baker A. Siddiquee, Sangamon State University

"SAARC: How Functional Is It?"

Rasheeda M. Didi, Temple University

"South Asian Security Scenarios"

Akhtar Majeed, Aligarh University

Discussant: Angela Burger, University of Wisconsin-Marathon

Sunday Afternoon, November 6
Noon - Conference Adjournment

Plan now to attend the 19th Annual Conference on South Asia, November 2, 3, and 4, 1989. Deadline for paper proposals is May 1.

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