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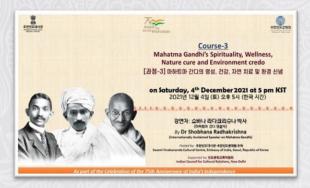
Swami Vivekananda Culture Centre or Indian Cultural Centre as it is popularly known is the cultural wing of the Embassy of India in Seoul promoting Indian culture in the Republic of Korea. Fulfilling a long-held desire to provide a platform to showcase India's rich cultural heritage and serve as the nodal point for cultural exchanges between India and Republic of Korea, this Centre was established on 1st July 2011. Since its inception, Centre has been providing regular classes on Yoga, Indian classical and contemporary dances, musical instruments like Tabla, Harmonium and languages such as Hindi and Sanskrit. It also organises Special Lectures, Symposiums and Workshops on diverse aspects of Indian culture, politics and society by involving renowned Indian and Korean scholars and academia. Over the years, the Cultural Centre has also built an extensive network of partnership with various cultural organisations, administrations and provincial governments across country intending to broaden the stakeholders and promoting Indian culture in Republic of Korea.

At this time, when the whole world is experiencing an unprecedented crisis because of the spread of COVID-19 virus, and restrictions on social gatherings, the Cultural Centre has initiated online activities in its endeavour to keep in touch with the India lovers and Indian cultural enthusiasts in Republic of Korea.

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Online Certificate Course on Mahatma Gandhi's Philosophy: Global Pursuit for Truth and Non-Violence (Course 3)

December 4, 2021



Under Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, Online Certificate Course on Mahatma Gandhi's Philosophy: Global Pursuit for Truth and Non-Violence was organised for the Korean participants. The Course-3 titled 'Mahatma Gandhi's Spirituality, Wellness, Nature cure and Environment credo' was conducted by famous Gandhian scholar Dr. Shobhana Radhakrishna.

Dr. B. R. Ambedkar's Mahaparinirvan Divas

December 6, 2021



Mahaparinirvan Divas was celebrated at the Embassy of India, Seoul on the occasion of the 66th Death Anniversary of the architect of Indian Constitution and one of the legendary figures among the makers of Modern India, Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar on December 6, 2021. Given the restrictions on social gatherings, the programme was organized with the India based and local staff of the Mission.

Online Certificate Course on Mahatma Gandhi's Philosophy: Global Pursuit for Truth and Non-Violence (Course 4)

December 11, 2021



Under Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, Online Certificate Course on Mahatma Gandhi's Philosophy: Global Pursuit for Truth and Non-Violence was organised for the Korean participants. The Course-4 titled 'Mahatma Gandhi's Ashrams, Khadi, Charkha, Swadeshi and Minimalistic living' was conducted by famous Gandhian scholar Dr. Shobhana Radhakrishna.

INDIA'S RICH CULTURAL HERITAGE

International Quiz Competition on Buddhism

December 15, 2021



As a part of outreach initiative under Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, International Quiz Competition on Buddhism was announced in collaboration with Jogye Order of Buddhism in Korea.

Special Exhibition 'Drawing Odyssey'

December 24, 2021





The Team of Cultural Centre participated at the Special Exhibition titled 'Drawing Odyssey' on travel to India by artists and authors from Republic of Korea showcasing India's cultural heritage and diversity through paintings based on their travel diaries to India. The event was organised by Maison India in collaboration with the Nami Island.

