

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE



DAY 1 - 10 MARCH 2025

VENUE - C.D. DESHMUKH AUDITORIUM

10:00 to 11:00 am

INAUGURAL SESSION

- OFFERING OF FLOWERS TO THE BUDDHA
- INVOCATION AND WELCOME REMARKS BY SHARTSE KHENSUR JANGCHUP CHOEDEN RINPOCHE, SECRETARY GENERAL, IBC
- ADDRESS BY SPECIAL GUEST - VEN. GESHE DORJI DAMDUL, DIRECTOR, TIBET HOUSE
- INTRODUCTION TO FILM FESTIVAL BY MR. ABHIJIT HALDER, DIRECTOR GENERAL, IBC
- ADDRESS BY GUEST OF HONOUR - MR. CHITTARANJAN TRIPATHY, DIRECTOR, NATIONAL SCHOOL OF DRAMA

11:00 to 12:30 pm - FILM SCREENING

FILM-1

DISSEMINATION OF BUDDHA DHAMMA IN ASIA

Directed by Prof. Dr. Ravindra Panth | 6:50 MIN

FILM-2

THE CUP

Directed by Ven. Khyentse Norbu | 93 MIN

12:30 to 12:40 pm

SPECIAL ADDRESS BY GUEST OF HONOUR - MR. MOHIT CHAUHAN, EMINENT INDIAN PLAYBACK SINGER

12:40 to 01:10 pm - PANEL DISCUSSION 1

RELEVANCE OF BUDDHIST FILMS IN INDIA - PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE

MODERATOR
PROF. DR. SHASHI BALA

SPEAKER 1
MR. ARJUN PANDEY

SPEAKER 2
MR. RAHUL DONGRE

01:10 to 02:00 pm - LUNCH

02:00 to 04:30 pm - FILM SCREENING

FILM-3
PATH OF COMPASSION
Directed by Prof. Benoy K. Behl | 18:43 MIN

FILM-4
GESHE MA IS BORN
Directed by Ms. Malati Rao | 56 MIN

FILM-5
UNTIL SPACE REMAINS - THE DALAI LAMA & INDIA
Directed by Mr. Gaurav Saxena | 54:12 MIN

04:30 to 05:00 pm - PANEL DISCUSSION 2

OPPORTUNITY & CHALLENGES IN SPIRITUAL FILMMAKING

MODERATOR
PROF. BENOY K. BEHL

SPEAKER 1
MR. ANURAG PUNETHA

SPEAKER 2
MS. APARNA SANYAL

05:00 pm - HIGH TEA

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE



DAY 2 - 11 MARCH 2025

VENUE - SEMINAR HALLS I & II

10:00 to 10:10 am

OPENING REMARKS BY MR. ABHIJIT HALDER, DIRECTOR
GENERAL, IBC

10:10 to 10:20 am

ADDRESS BY MR. GAGAN MALIK, EMINENT INDIAN &
INTERNATIONAL ACTOR

10:20 to 12:30 pm - FILM SCREENING

FILM-6

KUSHOK BAKULA RINPOCHE

Directed by Dr. Hindol Sengupta | 44:09 MIN

FILM-7

NALANDA - A JOURNEY THROUGH TIME

Directed by Mr. Surinder Talwar | 48:39 MIN

12:30 to 01:00 pm - PANEL DISCUSSION 3

CONCEPT OF ART IN BUDDHA DHAMMA

MODERATOR

MR. SUBODH PODDAR

SPEAKER 1

DR. HINDOL SENGUPTA

SPEAKER 2

MR. ANKUR NAIK

01:00 to 02:00 pm - LUNCH



02:00 to 04:30 pm - FILM SCREENING

FILM-8

MONK WITH A CAMERA

Directed by Guido Santi & Tina Mascara | 90 MIN



SPECIAL SESSION

MR. RAJESH KALRA IN CONVERSATION WITH MR. ADIL HUSSAIN, EMINENT INDIAN & INTERNATIONAL ACTOR

FILM-9

GURU PADMASAMBHAVA

Directed by Ms. Aparna Sanyal | 23 MIN

FILM-10

KUNG FU NUNS

Directed by Mr. Chandramouli Basu | 26:10 MIN



04:30 to 05:00 pm - PANEL DISCUSSION 4

MINDFUL COMMUNICATION

MODERATOR

MR. SURINDER TALWAR

SPEAKER 1

MS. RAJNI BASUMATARY

SPEAKER 2

MR. SIDDHARTH SINGH & MS. GARIMA WAHAL

05:00 to 05:15 pm

VALEDICTORY ADDRESS

PROF. RAVINDRA PANTH, HEAD OF ACADEMIC DIVISION, IBC

05:15 pm - HIGH TEA

