

KARNATAKA SAMSKRIT UNIVERSITY



PROSPECTUS 2020-2021

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TENTATIVE CALENDAR

Calendar of Events for BA/MA/M.Phil/Ph.D courses in the University for the Academic Year 2020 -21

| Sl No. | Academic Activity | Range of Dates |
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| 1 | Notification for BA/MA/MPhil/Ph.D | 18 th August 2020 |
| 2 | Commencement of III Semester Classes/BA III and last date for submission of applications for new admissions | 4 th September 2020 |
| 3 | Commencement of MA I Semester Classes / B.A I & BA II | 14 th September 2020 |
| 4 | Entrance Examination for M.Phil/Ph.D | 5 th November 2020 |
| 5 | Commencement of Coursework for M.Phil/Ph.D | 26 th November 2020 |
| 6 | End of I & III Semester Classes | 4 th January 2021 |
| 7 | Commencement of I & III Semester Examinations | 5 th January – 16 th January 2021 |
| 8 | Commencement of Valuation of both I & III Semesters | 18, 19, 20 January 2021 |
| 9 | Vacation for Teachers | 20 th January to 14 th February 2021 |
| 10 | Re-opening of Classes for II & IV Semesters | 15 th February 2021 |
| 11 | End of II & IV Semesters | 29 th May 2021 |
| 12 | Commencement of Examinations | 1 st June - 12 th June 2021 |
| 13 | Valuation | 14,15,16 June 2021 |
| 14 | Vacation For Teachers | 17 th May to 31 st June 2021 |

*** This is tentative calendar. Dates are subject to changes depending upon the Covid – 19 situation and the State Govt. orders**

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

Sanskrit language has a rich tradition of knowledge synthesis, which has immensely contributed to the overall development of all the branches of learning. It is one of the oldest languages in the globe, and has many dimensions of learning like Poetry, Logic, Grammar, Philosophy, Aesthetics, and Science & technology, mathematics and allied subjects as well. Reconstruction of Indian History, Philosophy, Culture, Art and Aesthetics too can be achieved with the help of Sanskrit learning and Research. The Karnataka Samskrit University is established with the soul motive of promoting higher learning, research and comprehensive development of Sanskrit.

The University was established by the State Government of Karnataka in the year 2010 by passing the KARNATAKA SAMSKRITA VISHWAVIDYALAYA ACT 2009, in the Karnataka State Legislature. The university is recognized by the University Grants Commission under section 2F of UGC Act.

The Karnataka Samskrit University is on a mission of attracting students all over the world. The programs offered by the University covers a wide range of Sanskrit language and Literature, Traditional Shastras, advanced research and also career oriented programs.

LOCATION :

The University is based in one of the progressive cities of India, Bengaluru which is popularly known as the Silicon Valley of India. The University is situated at Chamarajpet, near the Kananda Sahitya Parishat and the Makkalakoota and is at a distance of 4k.m from the Bengaluru city Railway station and Kempegowda (majestic) Bus stand.

LOGO :

Motto for the university has been chosen from the epic Mahabharata of Vedavyasa. The motto has been represented in Devanagari script in the logo.

'prajvālito jñānamayah pradīpah' indicates the **supremacy of knowledge**. This motto represents the objective of the university to unite ancient and modern knowledge systems. The lamp of knowledge should light up this world, going beyond place and time – this is the objective.

This lamp will never be extinguished. It is fueled by the knowledge oil itself, and will continue to burn forever. The logo and motto of the university represent this dream, with which the university has been set up.

SALIENT FEATURES & OBJECTIVES:

- ▶ Karnataka Samskrit university has been formed exclusively for the promotion of Sanskrit language in the state.
- ▶ To retain the Traditional shastric learning intact.
- ▶ To bridge the gap between the Traditional and the Modern learning.
- ▶ To function as a high level teaching and research institution in sanskrit language, literature, philosophy, vedic studies and shastras such as Vedanta, Nyaya and Vedanta.
- ▶ To facilitate and regulate advance study and research fields like Geeta based Management science, Yoga based human Psychology; Eco-balance related health related traditional Knowledge, Ancient History, Archaeology, Vedic Astronomy, Science and Technology etc.
- ▶ The most significant aspect of this university is that there is no age cap for joining this institution. Anybody with the driving zeal to learn sanskrit are invited to join irrespective of their profession.
- ▶ Academy of Sanskrit Research, Melkote is fully committed in bringing out new inputs in the field of Sanskrit research.
- ▶ Since, the university is in the heart of the city, it is easily accessible and provides a golden ample opportunity for Sanskrit enthusiasts to learn sanskrit.
- ▶ There are many recognized Research Centres, Colleges, Yoga Centers, Astrology Study Centers come under the University.

OFFICERS OF THE UNIVERSITY:

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| VICE CHANCELLOR(I/C) : | Prof. V Girish Chandra Email: vc.ksu2014@gmail.com Land line: 080 – 26701303 |
| REGISTRAR (I/C): | Prof. Veeramarayana N K Pandurangi Land line: 080 – 26705387 Email: registrarksu@gmail.com |
| FINANCE OFFICER (I/C) | Sri Panchalingaswamy S Land line: 080 – 26701303 |
| DEANS | |
| PROF. V GIRISH CHANDRA | DEAN, LANGAUGE FACULTY |
| DR VEERANARAYANA N K PANDURANGI | DEAN, VEDANTA FACULTY |
| DR. B V VENKATARAMANA | DEAN, SHASTRA FACULTY |

PROGRAMS OFFERED:

The university offers traditional P.G & U.G programs in Vedanta Shastra , Nyaya & Vaisheshika Shastra, Vyakarana Shastra , Alankara Shastra and Samskrit Language & Literature and Manuscriptology. Other programs leading to Diploma, P.G.Diploma, and Research degrees are also offered under various Departments.

REGULAR COURSES

Following are the Regular courses offered by the University.

U.G. Programs

Bachelor of Arts (B.A) in Samskrit

Duration : 3 years

Age : Minimum 17 years {as on 18/08/2020}

Eligibility : Must have passed PUC/Sahitya or equivalent course with Samskrit as a subject or Must have passed the B.A Entrance Exam conducted by the University for the students who have studied PUC or equivalent course without Samskrit.

Annual Fees :

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| Tuition Fee | Rs 3700/- |
| Admission Fee | Rs. 500/- |
| Library Fee | Rs 100/- |
| Application Fee | Rs 100/- |
| ID Card Fee | Rs 100/- |
| Total | Rs 4500/- |

(Exam Fees will be intimated at the time of Exams)
Relaxation for the SC/ST candidates will be as per state govt. norms.

P.G. Programs

Master of Arts (M.A) in Six Shastras

Duration : 2 years {4 semesters}

Age : 20 years {as on 18/08/2020}

Eligibility : Any Degree with Samskrit as a subject or Must have passed Sahitya or equivalent course with Any Degree or Must have passed Certificate/ Diploma Course in Samskrit/ Pali/ Prakrit/ Manuscriptology with Any Degree or Must have passed 'Pravesha' Exam conducted by Surasaraswti Sabha, Sringeri with Any Degree or Must have passed 'Kovida' Exam conducted by Samskrit Bharati with Any Degree or Must have passed the M.A Entrance Exam conducted by the University for the students who have passed any Degree

Annual Fees :

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| Tuition Fee | Rs 5600/- |
| Admission Fee | Rs. 500/- |
| Library Fee | Rs 200/- |
| Application Fee | Rs 100/- |
| ID Card Fee | Rs 100/- |
| Total : | Rs 6500/- |

(Exam Fees will be intimated at the time of Exams) Relaxation for the SC/ST candidates will be as per state govt. norms.

RESEARCH PROGRAMS

M. Phil (Vishishtacharya)

Following are the subjects in which the M. Phil (Vishishtacharya) courses are offered : Nyaya , Vyakarana, Sahitya, Jyotisha , Vedanta, Veda, Meemaamsa etc.,

Duration : 1 year

Eligibility : Acharya {M.A.}

or equivalent degree in the concerned subject with at least 55% marks , whereas 5% relaxation for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes.

Procedure of selection : As per the UGC regulation 2016 Entrance test will be conducted for 100 marks. The minimum qualifying marks of the test would be 50%. The syllabus of the entrance test shall consists of 50% research methodology and 50% shall be subject oriented. The Entrance test would be conducted at the Karnataka samskrit university Campus only. The students qualified in the entrance test have to attend before interview committee for final selection. Medium : Sanskrit only (for Thesis writing also).

(Seat allocation will be as per the state govt. reservation policy and orders issued by the state govt. time to time)

VIDYAVARIDHI (Doctor of Philosophy)

VIDYAVARIDHI (Doctor of Philosophy) is offered in the following Subjects / Areas. – Nyaya & vaisheshika, Vyakarana, Advaita vedanta, Vishistadvaita Vedanta, Dwaita Vedanta, Shakti – vishishtadvaita vedanta, Sankya and yoga, Dharmashastra, Veda, Sahitya and Inter- disciplinary subjects.

The Karnataka Samskrit University, Bengaluru will award the degree of Vidyavaridhi to the students admitted as per rules, after completion of their research work duly evaluated by the examiners appointed by the University.

The Sanskrit version of the degree will bear the name Vidyavaridhi and the corresponding version of the degree will be DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY.

Procedure of selection for VIDYAVARIDHI (Doctor of Philosophy)

As per the UGC regulation 2016 Entrance test will be conducted for 100 marks. The minimum qualifying marks of the test would be 50%. The syllabus of the entrance test shall consists of 50% research methodology and 50% shall be subject oriented. The Entrance test would be conducted at the Karnataka Samskrit university Campus only. The students qualified in the entrance test have to attend before interview committee for final selection. Medium : Sanskrit only (for Thesis writing also).

(Seat allocation will be as per the state govt. reservation policy and orders issued by the state govt. time to time)

Vidyavachaspati (D.Litt)

Any Masters Degree holders of Karnataka Samskrit University or of any other University equivalent thereto, provided the candidate has obtained his / her Master's degree in M.A in Sanskrit with a specialization in any one of the disciplines at least 10 years prior to submission of application.

OR

Any person who has contributed to the development of any field of Sanskrit Shastras or inter disciplinary field related to Sanskrit with not less than 20 years.

- a. Candidates who apply for consideration for the award of the degree shall submit copies of the published work(s) / collection of research papers / book (s)/thesis.12 copies of the synopsis of each book / thesis/ work/work(s) and/or 12 copies of abstract of the research papers at the time of submitting the application.

- b. Such an application shall be accompanied by declaration duly signed by the candidate to the effect that such thesis / book / book(s) / work(s) are original and that it has not / they have not previously formed the basis for award of any degree/diploma or any other similar title of any University.
- c. The candidate must also send the DD for the Fee amount prescribed by the University for the Degree along with the application. However, scholar invited by the university is exempted from the fees.
- d. Fees will be decided by the university and announced thereon.

OTHER PART TIME COURSES

| Sl No | Name of the course | duration | Eligibility | Department | Fees |
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| 1 | Short Term course on Indian epistemology | 3 months | PUC or equivalent | Nyaya & Vaisheshika | 3,000/- |
| 2 | Short Term course on Dvaita Vedanta | 3 months | PUC or equivalent | Vedanta | 3,000/- |
| 3 | Short Term course on Kashmir Shaivism | 3 months | PUC or equivalent | Vedanta | 3,000/- |
| 4 | Certificate Course in Advaita Vedanta (Subject to the approval of the Academic Council & number of applications received) | 6 months | PUC or equivalent | Vedanta | 2,000/- |
| 5 | Diploma Course in Yoga | 1 Year | PUC or equivalent | Language & Literature | 2,500/- |
| 6 | PG Diploma Course in Yoga (Subject to the approval of the Academic Council & number of applications received) | 1 Year | Bachelor DEGREE or equivalent | Language & Literature | 3,000/- |
| 7 | PG Diploma Course in manuscriptology | 1 Year | Bachelor DEGREE or equivalent | Manuscriptology | 3,000/- |
| 8 | PG Diploma Course in Sabdabodha & Computational Linguistics | 1 Year | Bachelor DEGREE or equivalent | Vyakarana | 3,000/- |

Relaxation for the SC/ST candidates will be as per state govt. norms

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENTS:

Dept. of NYAYA & VAISHESHIKA :

Nyaya Nyaya represents one of the finest products of human intellect that has been sustaining India's Intellectual culture for the last few centuries. This shastra offers devices of logical argumentation and supplies us with the novel set of terminology for mapping reality. This school of philosophy exerted influence on different systems of thought so much that they adopted the Navya Nyaya methods to counter their opponents and propagate their thesis.

A re-look of Navya Nyaya language and methodology at this modern age may be highly rewarding. Classes are conducted by eminent and sagacious scholars in Nyaya and vaisheshika shastra.

Faculty of the Department :

Dr. B.V.Venkataramana{H.O.D.} **09632608266**
Professor

Dr. Bhaskar Bhatt Joshi **09742269403**
Assistant Professor

Dr. K.E.Sri Venkatanathan **09676973444**
Assistant Professor

Dr. V.V.S.R. Lakshmi **09398712450**
Assistant Professor

Dept. of VYAKARANA : It is one of the pillars of Sanskrit learning. Grammar has always been an integral part of our studies since ages. The Paninian grammar is considered to be one of the greatest productions of human mind. Grammar evolves as a process of the complete formation of each word from its root, by means of suffixes, additions, changes and minor modifications. The study of Paninian grammar will be an intellectual treat. Sanskrit Grammar can also be studied on a comparative basis, in the light of allied Indo-European languages. The classes are being taken by efficient dedicated scholars of the department.

Faculty of the Department :

Dr. Shivani {H.O.D} 09497680167
Professor
Dr. Anupama B 09379779278
Assistant Professor

Dept. of MANUSCRIPTOLOGY:

A Manuscript speaks of the past, reveals history, unfolds perspectives & reflects socio – cultural scenes of its time. Its contents are significant literarily, scientifically and historically. It form is fascinating Paleographically, calligraphically and technically. Thus, manuscripts are concrete examples of humanistic & artistic activities of the past. It may be mentioned that the formal aspect of a manuscript deals with structural analysis of elements related to the visual & aesthetic qualities. The department is fully committed to the revival of this ancient treasure.

Faculty of the Department :

Dr. Vinayaka Namannavara {H.O.D} 09448641523
Assistant Professor
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Assistant Professor
Dr. Prabhuswamy S. 09482075373
Assistant Professor

Dept. of Samskrit Language & Literature :

The Samskrit Language, whatever may be its antiquity, is considered to be more perfect than the Greek, copious than Latin & more exquisitely refined than either due to its wonderful structure. It is the nature of a spoken dialect that it undergoes constant changes.

The Sanskrit language has been used for poetic and other literary works in all the periods of Indian history and continues to be so even today. In general, so much emphasis on the beauty and charm of Sanskrit language is laid, it would only be proper to notice that Sanskrit literature contains some wonderful ideas appealing to the modern thinking. The classes are being taken by efficient dedicated scholars of the department.

Faculty of the Department

Prof. V Girish Chandra (HOD) 9448623240
Professor
Dr C Palaiah 9900523117
Professor
Dr Rekhadevi S H 9591071457
Assistant Professor
Dr. Jayarevanna M V 9972005782
Assistant Professor

Dept. of ALANKARA:

The Sanskrit language and literature have become an inalienable part of religion & culture. Several hymns of Rigveda are looked upon as genuine specimens of fine poetry. The first systemization perhaps started with the Natya Sutra of Bharata. This work though primarily a work on drama, marks itself as the conception for the origins of systematization of the poems as a science. Poets like kalidasa, dandin and others have enriched this school on poems through their prolific writings. The classes are being taken by efficient dedicated scholars of the department.

Faculty of the Department :

Vidwan Rishidev Bhargav N (HOD) 9446701203
Assistant Professor
Vidwan Vanaraja B K 9731027548
Assistant Professor
Sri Bheema Naik S 7795634009
Assistant Professor

Dept. of Vedanta :

Indian Philosophy is broadly classified into two namely orthodox and heterodox. Astika darshana again consists of six schools namely Sankhya , Yoga, Nyaya, Vaisheshika , Purva-meemamsa and Vedanta. Vedanta is a philosophical culmination which brings the message of sages for the spiritual enlightenment of one and all.

The study of the classical texts of Vedanta, together with a comparative perspective is the need of the hour. Keeping this in view, courses in vedanta are being offered where the student studies the classical texts of Sri Shankaracharya , sri Ramanujacharya , Sri Madhwacharya. Classes in Vedanta are conducted by eminent and profound scholars in Advaita, Vishishtadvaita and Dvaita Vedanta.

Faculty of the Department :

Dr. Veeranarayana NK Pandurangi 7676202725
(HOD) Professor

Dr P Vinay 9845324894
Assistant Professor

Dr Manjunath Bhat 9483824050
Assistant Professor

Dr. Sharat Chandra Swamy 9900128882
Assistant Professor

LIBRARY

The Library began its journey with the establishment of Sri Chamarajendra Samskrit College in 19th century which was greatly patronized by His Highness, Sri Jayachamarajendra Wodeyar, the then King of Mysore. The mission of the University Library is to preserve and maintain ancient manuscripts that have significant scientific, historical or aesthetic value and to acquire, organize and disseminate new knowledge based information resources pertaining to Sanskrit language including books, manuscripts, thesis and journals, to satisfy the information needs of the academic fraternity. At present, the library has the great stock of 8000 rare books on Vedas, Upanishads, Dharmashastra, Puranas and Mahakavyas (literature) written in Sanskrit language. Apart from rare books, the library is equipped with 2300 books written in Samskrit, Kannada and English language. The library also houses many manuscripts which are written in a number of different scripts like Telugu script, Grantha script, Devanagari script, Halegannada script, available on different disciplines like Shastra, Vyakarana, Puranas, Veda studies etc. The library has adopted Koha library management software to carry out library activities and all the books have been bar-coded.

Library Staff Members

- 1. Sri Arunkumar H.S.** Ph : 9008507180
Asst Librarian
- 2. Sri Ramesh S. Puttannanavar** Ph : 9743993835
Asst Librarian
- 3. Smt. Kavita Biradar** Ph : 9611244093
Asst Librarian
- 4. Sri Prashant D Radaratti** Ph : 6360431187
Library Assistant

Courses Offered in the COLLEGES

Courses offered in the Colleges are as follows:

B.A : Shastri (Sahitya, Alankara, Vyakarana, Dharmashastra, Nyaya, Poorva Mimamsa, Adwaita Vedanta, Dwaita Vedanta, Vishishtadvaita Vedanta, Shakti Vishishtadvaita Vedanta, Jaina Siddhanta, Jyotishya) & Veda Courses.

M.A : Acharya (Sahitya, Alankara, Vyakarana, Dharmashastra, Nyaya, Poorva Mimamsa, Adwaita Vedanta, Dwaita Vedanta, Vishishtadvaita Vedanta, Shakti Vishishtadvaita Vedanta, Jaina Siddhanta, Jyotishya) & All Veda Courses.

ACADEMY OF SAMSKRIT RESEARCH, MELUKOTE

Melukote has been a holy shrine renowned for its history, tradition and rich heritage. Diverse Puranic accounts accord an epithet 'Jnanamantapa' (the abode of knowledge) to this place as great legacy of tradition, culture and Sanskrit learning has been associated with it. A living vibrant temple tradition along with traditional learning ways is an integral part of its society. The harmonious social fabric brought about by Acharya Sri Bhagavat Ramanuja one thousand years ago which lives here even today has to be significantly remembered as his greatest contribution to the society considering present social conditions everywhere.

Both his philosophical treatises as well as his social commitments bear the stamp of clarity, integrity and equanimity. His divinity, power and genuine social concern has been the invisible factor working positively for Melkote even to this day.

Keeping in mind the special position of philosophy, school of thought, tradition, social values and the vision of Sri Bhagavad Ramanujacharya, Government of Karnataka established the Academy of Sanskrit Research in Melkote in 1976.

The academy has completed four decades of meaningful existence in pursuit of excellence with financial grant coming from the government.

It has collected and preserved 10000 invaluable palm leaf manuscripts and 31000 books of immense value in the library. It has been constantly engaged in research and publication activity. It has brought forth 166 publications till date. The list of publication includes critical editions, research works, and translations in Sanskrit, Kannada and English.

Keeping in view further development of the academy, the state government on 15-12-2015 has brought it under the administrative and executive control of Karnataka Samskrit University, Bengaluru.

AFFILIATED COLLEGES :

Govt. Colleges

| Sl.No. | College Name & Address | Principal | Contact No. |
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| Constituent Colleges | | | |
| 1. | Sri Chamarajendra Samskrit College Pampamahakavi Road, Chamarajpet Bangalore-560018. | Dr. S. Dayashankar | 91139 99686 |
| 2. | Maharaja Samskrit College New Sayyaji Road Mysore -570024 | Dr. K.M.Mahadevaiah | 99800 57563 |
| 3. | Govt. Samskrit College Melukote-571431 PandavapuraTaluk, Mandya Dist. | Vidwan V Venkatesha | 98452 54470 |
| 4. | Sri Medha Dakshinamurthy Vedabhavana Samskrit College Gokarna, KumataTaluk Uttara Kannada District | Dr. Krishna Joshi | 9448124207 |

Aided Colleges

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| 5. | Sri Kalabhairaveshwara Veda Agama Samskrit College Sri AdichunchanagiriKshetra NagamangalaTaluk, Mandya District -571811 | Dr. Krishnamurthy G. Koorse | 9449259233 |
| 6. | Sri Siddalingeshwara Veda Sa mskrit College Siddaganga Math, Tumkur-572104 | Vidwan S.S. Niranjanamurthy | 9980777276 |
| 7. | PoornaprajnaVidya peeta Samskrit College Poornaprajna Nagar Kattariguppe Main Road Bangalore-560028 | Vidwan H. Satyanarayana Rao | 9449710675 |
| 8. | CLY Sa mskrit College Kumareshwara Nagar Belagavi Road Dharawad-580008 | Vidwan Sridhara Shastri N Inamadara | 9449742466 |
| 9. | Sri Srimata Samskrit College Ummachagi, Yallapur Taluk Uttara Kannada District-581347 | Vidushi Sharavati Bhat | 87265 74388 |
| 10. | Sri Raghavendra Bharathi Saveda Samskrit College SubrahmanyaSurakatte Honnavaara, Uttara Kannada - 581334 | Dr. Nagapati Bhat | 08387- 279864 94818 71483 |

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| 11. | Srimanmadhvasidhanta Prabodhaka Samskrit College Udupi- 57610 | Dr. N. Lakshminarayana Bhat | 9481750414 |
| 12. | Sri Lakshminarasimha Samskrit College Jamakhandi, 9449629588 Bagalakote District-587301 | Vidwan Ramakanta Joshi | 9448986404 |
| 13. | Sri Rajarajeshwari Samskrit College SondaSvarnavalliMatha Mathadevala Post, SirasiTaluk Uttara Kannada District-581336 | Vidwan Narasimha Narayana Bhatta | 9449629588 08384- 279477 |

Unaided Colleges

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| 14. | Sri Malemahadeshwara Samskrit College Kollegala, Chamarajnar District | Vidwan C. Rajashekara murthy | 9902636890 |
| 15. | Sri Gajanana Samskrit College Soodi, Rona Taluk, Gadag District | Vidwan S B Arera | 9886074468 |
| 16. | Sri Adichunchanagiri Samskrit College Ravindranagara, Hassan-573201 | Vidwan Muddurangaiah B R | 9141400876 |
| 17. | Sri Phirangiswamy Samskrit College AnkanahalliMatha, KunigalTaluk, Tumkuru District | Vidwan | 9448039792 |
| 18. | Sri VedavijnanaShodhaSamsthana ® Channenahalli, Magadi Road Bangalore-562130 | Dr. Mahabaleshwara Bhatta | 9480404552 |
| 19. | Sri Kabeeranandaswamy Samskrit College Karuvinakatte, Chitradurga | Vidwan Ganapathi Shastri | 9739422254 |
| 20. | Sri Shankara Vilasa Samskrit College Sri Aramane Japadakatematha Shankaramatha Road, 2 nd Cross Khille mohalla, Mysore-570004 | Vidwan Srinivasamurthy | 9480201459 |
| 21. | Sri Jagadguru Renukacharya Samskrit Veda College Sri Jagadguru Rambhapuri Veerasimhasana MahasamsthanaPeeta, Balehonnur-577112 | Vidwan Chandrashekhar | 9113505305 |
| 22. | Sri Nirvanaswamy Samskrit College Sri Degulamatha Kanakapur, Ramanagar District-562117 | Vidwan Shivakumar | 9110255629 |
| 23. | Sri Rudreshwara Samskrit College Rajaghatta, KasabaHobli, DoddaballapurTaluk, Bangalore Rural District-562133 | Vidushi Y Leelavati | 9611007708 |
| 24. | Sri Mahalingeshwara Samskrit College Sri BasavannaDevaramatha, Nelamangala Bangalore Rural District-562133 | Vidwan Veerappaji | 8197340551 |
| 25. | Sri Jagadguru Gurubasaveshwara Samskrit College Sri Bekkinakalmatha Sri MallikarjunMurugharajendra Circle, Shimoga-577202 | Vidwan C. Renukaradhya | 9448244093 |
| 26. | Sri Channamallikarjunaswamy Samskrit College Hirekalmatha, Honnali Davanegere District-577217 | Vidwan H M Guruprakash | 9611843012 |

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| 27. | Sri Gurusarvabouma Veda Samskrit College NSRS Matha, Javaharanagar Raichur | Vidwan Kadapa Raghavendrachar | 9985356744 |
| 28. | JSS Sanskrit College Suttur Math Mysore-570004 | Vidushi Sunanda Gurappa Bhupali | 9880601226 |
| 29. | Ujjayini Jagadguru Siddeshwara Samskrit College Guggarahatti, Bellary - 583 102 | Vidwan Chandrashekharaiiah | 9620172414 |
| 30. | Sri Gurushanteshwara Saveda Samskrit College Hukkeri, Belagavi District | Vidwan Chandrashekharaiiah | 9008190647 |
| 31. | Sri Kumareshwara Samskrit College ShivayogaMandir, BadamiTaluk, Bagalakote District- 587201 | Sri Siddhaveeraswamy | 8073638330 |

RESEARCH CENTERS:

| Sl.No | Research Center | Address |
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| 1. | Shri Veda Vijnana Shodha Samsthana | Magadi road, Channenahalli, Bengaluru – 562130 |
| 2. | Sanskrita Bharati | 'Iksharam', 8th Cross, 2nd Phase, Girinagar, Bangalore-560085 |
| 3. | Tattva samshodhana Samsat | Shri Palimaru Math, Rathabeedi, Udupi-576101 |
| 4. | Vidyadheesha PG Sanskrit Research Centre | Uttaradi Math Road, Basavanagudi, Bangalore-560004 |
| 5. | Vadiraja Research Centre | Puttige Math, Udupi-576101 |
| 6. | Shruti shankara Samskritshodha Pratishthana | Mattur, Shivamogga-577203 |
| 7. | SAKSHI(Sri Aurobindo Kapali Sastry Institute of Vedic Culture) | #63, 13th Main Road, 4th Layout,Jayanagar, Bangalore-560011 |
| 8. | Swamy Research Institute | Sri Ganapathi Sacchidananda Ashram, Dattanagar, Ooty Road,Mysore- 570025 |
| 9. | Pali Institute | Siddartha Law College Campus,Court road, Kalburgi - 585102 |
| 10. | Development Foundation | Mylsundra Village I.T.S.E.Z Pattanagere, RVCE Post, Mysore Road,Bangalore-560059 |
| 11. | Dwaita vedanta Adhyayana and Samshodhana Kendra | Bull Temple Road, Bangalore-04. |
| 12. | Mahabodhi Society | 14, Kalidasa Road, Gandhinagar, Bengaluru – 560 009 |
| 13. | S.M.S.P Research Centre | Udupi – 576 101 |
| 14. | Sri Vedavyasa Research Centre | Sri Subramanya Math, Kukkesubramanya, SulyaTaluk, D.K. District – 574 238 |
| 15. | Akhila Karnataka Jyotirvijanana Samstha | Tadapatri Galli, Hubli – 500028 |
| 16. | Vyasateertha Samshodhana Pratishthanam | Sri Vyasaraaja Mutt, 1226, 3 rd Main, 2 nd Cross, Krishnamurthypuram, Mysore -570 004 |
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“A must attend for seekers looking upto our tradition and culture for answers about purpose of life. Inspiring teachers bringing years of traditional Gurukula Experience in a modern and sustainable setting to enable working population to experience Samskrit” -**Uma Subramanyam, MA (2018-19)**

I joined KSU in Sep, 2016, filled with apprehension that Sanskrit would be too tough to learn and the subject matter very dry. Instead, I was mesmerised on day one by the classes and concepts covered. Each subject showed a new and vibrant world, and the professors' thorough knowledge made the classes comprehensible and enjoyable. - **Warija Adiga, former IT professional, MA Sanskrit Shastras, KSU (2016-18)**

It is my dream of more than four decades that has come true in this Samskrita M A course that I am finishing now. KSU has done a commendable job by introducing this course for serious learners of Samskrita without any age bar. That our teachers are thorough scholars in various Shastras and literature surely makes it worth the efforts of everyone of us. -**S. Vaidehi, Shastra Faculty. (MA 2017-19)**

The 2 year MA course that I did in KSU was a very enriching experience. Learning sanskrit kavyas , shasthras and vedas from reputed scholars in sanskrit medium of instruction was a like a blessing, which has inspired me to pursue further studies at KSU. - **Hamsa, Alumni, Shastra Faculty, KSU (2016-18)**

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-**Prahlad IS, MA (2018-19)**

'MA (Nyaya vaisheshika) course at KSU has been an enriching experience. Learning shastram from reputed scholars has been memorable. KSU has done a good job of initiating us into the rich world of Indian darshanas, and helped us overcome challenges some of us faced, due to our non-shastra background.'

- **Padma Sriram, Nyaya Dept. (2018-20)**

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- For me, MA at KSU, has been an excellent learning experience. It has really transformed me as person and widened my outlook with respect to everything. - **Nagendra Koushik, Vedanta Dept (2018-20)**



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