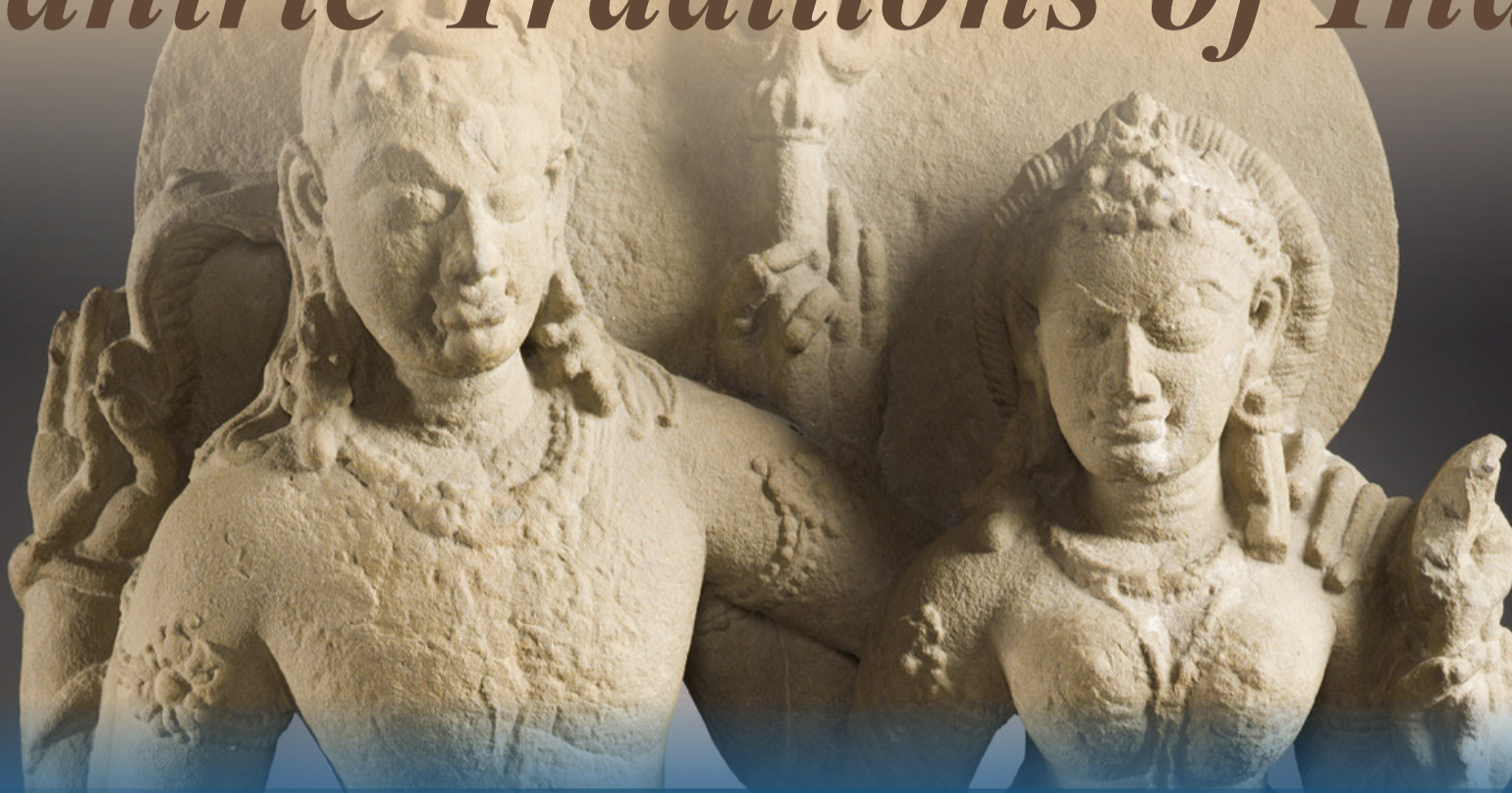


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Three-day Workshop on *Tantric Traditions of India*



This workshop concerns the history, textual sources, ritual, philosophies, and social contexts of India's tantric traditions, and examines their influence in the broader cultural and religious landscape. Focused on Śaiva and Śākta traditions, the workshop will also explore tantric traditions of Buddhism, Vaiṣṇavism, and Jainism.

Traditions centered around the rituals and doctrines of the tantras flourished throughout the subcontinent and the lands of its influence from at least the 6th century CE, and some remain vital living traditions today. Though long neglected and misunderstood, academic study of the tantric traditions has advanced significantly in recent decades. This introductory workshop provides an historical overview of these traditions, while exploring key topics in tantric practices and philosophies. Highlights include sessions on the tantric traditions in relation to traditional medicine, art, and Haṭhayoga.

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Date:

2 - 4 August, 2019

Venue:

**Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham,
Bengaluru Campus,
Kasavanahalli,
Bengaluru - 560035**

All are welcome.

Workshop participants will be
awarded a certificate.

Fee (Per Person):**Indian General:**

- **Rs. 3500/-** (with food & accommodation)
- **Rs. 2400/-** (with lunch only)

Indian Students (other than Amrita
Bengaluru campus):

- **Rs. 2400/-** (with food & accommodation)
- **Rs. 1800/-** (with lunch only)

International Participants:

- **USD 100/-** (with food & accommodation)

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