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Prime Minister's visits to Germany, Spain, Russia and France (May 29 - June 3, 2017)



Prime Minister visited Germany, Spain, Russia and France from 29 May-3 June 2017. On May 29, Chancellor of Germany, H.E. Dr. Angela Merkel I hosted Prime Minister at her official Meseberg Country Retreat where the two leaders would discuss issues of mutual interest. PM and Chancellor held the 4th India-Germany Intergovernmental Consultations [IGC] on 30 May. The upcoming Prime Minister's visit gave further boost to this special relationship. From Berlin, Prime Minister travelled to Spain on 30 May on an official visit. He met with President of the Government of Spain H.E. Mr. Mariano Rajoy and discussed bilateral and other issues of mutual interest. As part of the programme, Prime Minister called on King Felipe VI of Spain. He also had a Round-Table interaction with leading Spanish business leaders who are keen to invest in India. Prime Minister was in Russia on June 1-2, 2017 for holding the 18th India-Russia Annual Summit in St. Petersburg on June 1, 2017 with the President of the Russian Federation H.E. Vladimir V. Putin. It was the first time that the Annual Summit was held in Russia outside Moscow. Following

the Summit, Prime Minister participated, also for the first time, in the St. Petersburg International Economic Forum on June 2, 2017 as Guest of Honour. Russia was the first country with which India instituted Annual Summits. This had followed the Declaration of Strategic Partnership between India and the Russian Federation in October 2000 in New Delhi. Since then annual Summits have been held regularly every year. PM visited Paris, France on 2-3 June. He held official talks with President of France H.E. Mr. Emmanuel Macron on 3 June and discussed issues of mutual interest with a view to further strengthen India-France strategic ties.

PM's bilateral meetings on the sidelines of SCO Summit in Astana

(June 9, 2017)



Prime Minister, Narendra Modi in a group photograph at the Shanghai Cooperation Organisation Summit (SCO) Summit, in Astana, Kazakhstan on June 09, 2017.

The Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi, held bilateral meetings with the leaders of Kazakhstan, China and Uzbekistan, on the sidelines of the SCO meeting in Astana. In his meeting with President Nursultan Nazarbayev of Kazakhstan on Thursday, the Prime Minister congratulated Kazakhstan for membership of the UN Security Council in 2017-18. President Nazarbayev received the Prime Minister warmly and recalled his earlier visit to Kazakhstan in 2015. Both leaders reviewed progress on decisions and agreements made during that visit. Kazakhstan is currently the largest supplier of uranium to India, and both sides agreed to maintain the partnership. Cooperation in this area of hydrocarbons was also discussed. The Prime Minister invited Kazakhstan to become a member of the International Solar Alliance. Both leaders also discussed the importance of enhancing connectivity. In this context, connectivity through the Chabahar port in Iran was also discussed. Two flights connecting Delhi and Astana will be launched soon. Prime Minister Modi had a cordial and positive meeting with Chinese President Xi Jinping today. Prime Minister thanked him for his support to India's accession to the SCO. Both leaders noted that in a multipolar world, and at a time of global uncertainty, India-China relations are a factor of stability, and it is important for both countries to work together. Themes such as trade, investment, connectivity, youth and cultural exchanges came up for discussion. The Prime Minister had a warm and productive meeting with Uzbekistan President Shavkat Mirziyoyev. Stronger linkages in the spheres of economy, trade and health came up for discussion.

Diplomats in Delhi join Celebration of Third International Day of Yoga

(June 21, 2017)



Diplomats celebrating International Yoga Day at the US Embassy in New Delhi.

In a unique event, the first of its kind, the Ministry of External Affairs in collaboration with the Ministry of AYUSH, organised a special yoga session for the 3rd International Day of Yoga (IDY) for nearly 100 diplomats from scores of Diplomatic Missions in New Delhi. The participation at the Pravasi Bharatiya Kendra was led by the External Affairs Minister (EAM) Smt Sushma Swaraj and attended by MEA officers. In her brief remarks at the beginning of the event, EAM recalled global support for Prime Minister Modi's initiative in 2014 for the United Nations to designate 21st June as International Day of Yoga. She stressed that Yoga belongs not merely to India, but to the whole world and is a complete system for well being and harmony within ourselves,

as well as with nature and the world. EAM thanked the international community for its tremendous support for yoga's recognition at UNESCO as intangible heritage of mankind, and for the enthusiastic celebration of IDY in all nations over the past three years at iconic global locations and world capitals. The Acting Dean of the Diplomatic Corps, Ambassadors/High Commissioners and diplomats of several countries twisted, turned and stretched, practiced key asanas and pranayam, synchronizing their breath with their movements and with the energy of thousands of yoga practitioners all over the world. There was considerable enthusiasm on the occasion and with diplomats turning out in large numbers from the Missions of countries near and far, the main auditorium of the Pravasi Bharatiya Kendra was packed to capacity. In line with EAM's emphasis on yoga's significance for world peace, the special event saw- also for the first time- a unique rendering of 11 ancient prayers (Sanskrit shlokas) for peace, brotherhood and harmony. All the prayers for peace ended with chanting of shanti, shanti, shanti (peace, peace and peace).

PMs visit to Portugal, USA and Netherlands (June 24-27)



The Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi paid his visit to Portugal, USA and Netherlands on June 24-27. The PM said that this visit was aimed at enhancing the bilateral engagement in various areas. Our close historical and friendly ties have picked up momentum after H.E. Prime Minister Antonio Costa's visit to India in January 2017, emphasized PM. He also discussed ways to further enhance the bilateral engagement, especially in the areas of economic cooperation, science & technology, space collaboration and people to people ties. The Prime Minister visited Washington, D.C. on 24-26 June at the invitation of President Donald J. Trump. India's partnership with the United States is multi-layered and diverse, supported by not just Governments but all the stakeholders on both sides, said PM. Apart from official meetings with President Trump and his cabinet colleagues, he met some prominent American CEOs. The PM also visited the Netherlands on 27 June 2017. Both countries are celebrating 70 years of the establishment of Indo-Dutch diplomatic relations this year. During the visit, PM had an official meeting with the Dutch Prime Minister H.E. Mr. Mark Rutte. He also called on King Willem-Alexander of the Netherlands and meet Queen Maxima. The Netherlands is India's 6th largest trading partner in the EU and 5th largest investment partner globally. The Dutch expertise in areas such as water and waste management, agriculture and food processing, renewable energy and ports and shipping, matches with Indian development needs. Indo-Dutch economic engagement is a win-win proposition. PM discussed with PM Rutte as to how the two sides should work to further harness the synergies. There are strong people to people relations between the two countries with the presence of second largest Indian Diaspora in Europe in the Netherlands.

Yoga Tourism in India

Various States in India have well established ancient yogic practices and holistic wellness centres which promote Yoga among the people. These States offer a diverse basket of healthcare services and rejuvenation amenities like Yoga, meditation, ayurveda, homeopathy, naturopathy, unani, etc to tourists at reasonable prices.

Some of the States with proven capabilities of Yoga tourism are mentioned below.

1. Uttarakhand

Rishikesh is one of holiest spiritual destinations located on banks of the sacred Ganga in Uttarakhand, India. Known as **Yoga Capital of the World**, it attracts lots of pilgrims every year from India and all over the world. Rishikesh is known for Yoga and meditation therapies where many ashrams in Rishikesh offers courses on meditation, yoga, and philosophy.

Rishikesh has some of the most popular and renowned Yoga Ashrams and centres, mainly Parmarth Niketan Ashram, Shivananda Ashram, Patanjai Yogpeeth, Yoga Study Centre (for Hatha Yoga), Yoga Niketan, Sri Ved Niketan, Dayananda Vedanta Ashram, Brahma Niwas, and the famous Transcendental Meditation Centre of Maharishi Mahesh Yogi.

2. Kerala

Kerala is renowned for health tourism facilities and owes a lot to Yoga and Ayurveda treatment facilities. The State promotes apart from the scenic beauty of nature, Yoga and Ayurveda therapies for its popularity as a wellness tourism State. The huge number of Yoga retreat centres in Kerala affirm its priority to Kerala's tourism.

3. Maharashtra

The State's tourism policy has Yoga and meditation as an integral component which aims at attracting international tour operators and tourists. Mumbai,

Pune and Nagpur are home to some of the best state of the art hospitals in South Asia. These institutes also have rich experience in research and development and have a unique culture of practicing wellness, Yoga, Ayurveda etc. in the State. The State provides complete packages of such above mentioned practices to these tourists as well as domestic travellers.

4. Assam

Assam Government through Assam Bikash Yojana, a Self-employment Generation Scheme in Tourism Sector, has facilitated and sponsored the development of Yoga training centres at various tourist places in the State. Further, Assam government has decided to set up Yoga development centres in more than 300 development blocks across the State. The centres will have the objective to inculcate scientific temperament by imparting Yoga knowledge to the youth.

5. Karnataka

Karnataka, home to the world renowned yoga master B K S Iyengar and the Iyengar yoga, continues to marvel and attract people to yoga training which is also complemented by world-class hospitals that provide qualitative and cost-effective treatment in cities like Bangalore and Mysore. Ayurveda, Yoga, Naturopathy, Homeopathy, Allopathy and other recognised forms of treatment are promoted under health tourism.

6. Puducherry

Puducherry is the spiritual land where many Siddhas and Saints attained salvation. In this beautiful and peaceful spiritual land, many research works were done on yoga where two Yoga Institutions of world fame are functioning. The Government of Puducherry has been conducting Yoga Festivals regularly which comprises Yogasana practicals, Presentation of papers, discourses & workshops, Yoga Therapy, Yogic food, Yogic music & dance etc. which is a major attraction for tourists.

7. Odisha

Odisha Government has proposed a 100 crore project for developing the Buddhist Circuit of Odisha under the Swadesh Darshan scheme of Central Government to promote wellness and religious tourism which are major attractions for tourists to the state. It encompasses mainly Yoga, performing arts, temple food and cuisine, and festivals.

8. Uttar Pradesh

Uttar Pradesh has been on the forefront for Yoga and Ayurveda and ancient treatment systems which are available there. For promotion of health tourism the UP Government has proposed various initiatives like opening of yoga wellness centers in all UP districts. While in 40 districts, the centers will come up in Ayurveda, Unani and Homeopathy government hospitals existing there, in remaining 35 districts the State Government will partner the Central Government for opening a centre in each of them.

Further, the Government will establish specialized centers of Ayurveda and Unani methods of treatment in Lucknow, Gorakhpur, Varanasi, Saharanpur and Banda along with starting post graduate courses in State Ayurveda College and Hospital in Varanasi and Unani College, Allahabad.

9. Gujarat

The state Department of AYUSH has decided to push Yoga not only as a mind and body fitness module, but also as a cure for various diseases. With this objective, the department has decided to conduct disease-oriented yoga sessions. These sessions would be held at ayurvedic hospitals in Ahmedabad, Patan, Rajkot and Limdi (Dahod). The Department of AYUSH would rope in specialised yoga instructors as well as take help from various NGOs in spreading awareness on these disease-oriented camps.

10. Goa

Goa has promoted itself as a Centre for wellness and Yoga tourism at the Arabian Travel Market (ATM) event held in Dubai to attract travelers from the Middle East during the monsoon season. Goa Tourism Development Corporation (GTDC) feels that during the monsoons, when the Sea & Sand tourism is low, they will promote Ayurveda, Yoga and wellness tourism during this season of the year. This will allow people to visit Goa with a different purpose and will boost tourism in the State.

11. Jammu and Kashmir

With an aim to give fillip to the tourism sector in Jammu, an International Yoga Centre (IYC) will come up at Mantalai in Udhampur district as part of the 'integrated development of tourist facilities' project at Mantalai—Sudhmahadev-Patnitop circuit. Under the Prime Minister's Development Programme Rs. 82.17 crore has been sanctioned by the Ministry of Tourism, Government of India, for the IYC at Mantalai as a part of integrated development of tourist facilities at Mantalai- Sudhmahadev-Patnitop circuit. The project includes construction of Yoga centre with associated infrastructure, wellness, spa, ayurveda complex, separate areas for traditional Indian spa therapies with library and archiving centre.

Hence, Yoga tourism in India is witnessing a huge increase in its demand supplemented by the following factors.

India's expertise in alternative healthcare practices like Yoga, Ayurveda, Homeopathy, Naturopathy etc. which motivates foreigners to visit India.

Reduced cost of international travel and low cost semi- luxury hotels & resorts,

Inclusion of "attending a short-term yoga programme" in the list of permissible activities under tourist visa by the Government

Improved transport and communication infrastructure

Availability of English speaking staff at Yoga centres.

Scope for moulding wellness tourism into lifestyle tourism by high end travellers.

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Intangible aspects of India's spiritual and religious heritage : Case study Yoga

Case Study Yoga

An eminent practitioner of Yoga, Swami Satyanand Saraswati, in his 'Asana Pranayama' stated: "Yoga is not an ancient myth buried in oblivion. It is the most valuable inheritance of the present. It is the essential need of today and the culture of tomorrow." Yoga is the science of right living and is derived from the Sanskrit word 'Yuj' which means unity. It establishes integration and harmony between thought, feeling and deed. Over the centuries, many branches of Yoga have developed but there is general agreement that it developed at the beginning of human civilisation, in pre-Vedic times in India. Today it is more relevant than ever before and is one of the most iconic elements of India's spiritual heritage.



Seals have been found at Mohenjo-daro depicting a figure standing on its head, and one sitting cross-legged(above); perhaps the earliest indication of the practice of yoga

India is developing a substantive case to ensure that yoga is inscribed on the List of Intangible Cultural Heritage of UNESCO by 2016. In that event, Yoga would become the 31st intangible cultural heritage that has been listed from India so far with UNESCO. Ayush Department of the Health Ministry has been asked to prepare a nomination dossier. The documentation process is in a nascent stage. A decision will be made to decide on which branches and streams of yoga would be included, through brain storming sessions to deliberate on including which type of practice and parparmpara (traditions) in the dossier. Inclusion of Yoga in the inscription list with the UNESCO would provide better visibility for it, help improve its significance besides offering international assistance for its promotion and preservation.

The inscription process is complicated. To get yoga inscribed on the List of Intangible Cultural Heritage, India would need to justify it is an Intangible Cultural Heritage in accordance with UNESCO's criteria. We would also have to demonstrate that yoga is in urgent need of safeguarding because its viability is at risk despite the efforts of the community, group, individuals and the Government. The case would be presented through the Ministries of Culture and External Affairs by our Permanent Delegation to UNESCO, Paris.

Though Yoga has originated in India, it is now internationally practiced. India's efforts to protect yoga as part of our spiritual heritage was strengthened last year when the World Health Organisation (WHO) designated Delhi-based Morarji Desai National Institute of Yoga as its collaborating centre (CC) for developing research guidelines for yoga studies.

Some Concluding Reflections : Yoga as a mechanism for enhanced inter-cultural dialogue.

In India, we are the repository of an astounding wealth of living patterns and modes of heritage. With about 1400 dialects and 18 officially recognized languages, several religions, various styles of art,



*Morarji Desai National Institute of Yoga in
New Delhi*

architecture, literature, music and dance, and several lifestyle patterns, India represents the largest democracy with a seamless picture of diversity in unity, perhaps unparalleled anywhere in the world.

The diversity of our great spiritual and religious heritage demonstrates that cultures are not self-enclosed or static entities. One of the fundamental obstacles to inter-cultural dialogue is the notion that cultures are fixed, as if fault lines separate them. Through a history of changing settlements and political power, India's living cultural heritage was shaped by centuries of adaptation, re-creation and co-existence. The intangible cultural heritage of India finds expression in the ideas, practices, beliefs and values shared by communities across long stretches of time, and form part of the collective memory of the nation. India's physical, ethnic and linguistic variety is as staggering as its cultural pluralism, which exists in a framework of interconnectedness. In some instances, its cultural heritage is expressed as pan-Indian traditions not confined to a particular locality, genre or category, but as multiple forms, levels and versions inter-linked yet independent from one another. Underlying the diversity of India's heritage is the continuity of its civilization from the earliest times to the present and of the later additions by different influences. Yoga demonstrates the continuity of that civilisation.

This living religious heritage of India needs to be widely disseminated to the international community. There is increasing acknowledgment and recognition that such ICH helps to maintain a cultural and civilizational dialogue between peoples and societies and cultures. This in its turn becomes a powerful lever for renewing the international community's strategy towards development and peace.

Our efforts for international recognition of Yoga as India's oldest spiritual heritage have been led by our Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi who suggested to the United Nations General Assembly this year that the United Nations should celebrate an International Yoga Day. It is expected



Prime Minister addressing the 69th Session of the United Nations General Assembly. It was in this address that Prime Minister suggested that United Nations should celebrate 21st June as World Yoga Day

that the General Assembly would endorse and approve Prime Minister's suggestion on 11th December, 2014 and designate 21st June as the International Yoga Day. This would also strengthen India's case for recognition and inclusion of Yoga in UNESCO's Intangible Cultural Heritage List.

In concluding, it may be pertinent to recall that Swami Vivekananda had said :

"We believe that every being is divine, is God.

Every soul is a sun covered over with clouds of ignorance;

The difference between soul and soul is owing to the difference in density of these layers of clouds."

Yoga is a mechanism to build international confidence, inter cultural dialogue and peace through the removal of these clouds of ignorance. It is India's heritage to the world.



Making Cotton Picking Easy

In 2012, when Sunil Kumar brought home a Chinese made cotton harvester, stripped it down in his study, and claimed that he wanted to build a better cotton harvester, his wife and kids were sceptical. They had every reason to be. He has tried his hand at entrepreneurship, twice before, and had failed.



It all started when Sunil, an ex-Monsanto executive was working on a consulting assignment in Ghana, where he saw the challenges faced by farmers in the cotton fields during harvest. There was not enough labour, and the house available, were mostly women and young children as young as 10 and 11 years, and to exacerbate matters, the cotton bolls were pest-infested. While stripping the Chinese cotton harvester, Sunil realized that the device in the absence of electricity and spares was of no use. He then thought of combining the harvester with a solar panel.

Sunil soon converted his study into his tinkering lab and with the help of a friend, who was a software developer and specialist in solar power, he built the initial crude prototypes. When they made some more progress, they moved the tinkering lab to a more equipped set-up in Kochi. Sunil incorporated his startup idea into a company, Agventures Corporation. One of the first ones was a large solar panel, which farmers could access from a central location, but this proved to be a challenge logistically. Moreover, the first model they tested was flimsy. This led to accessories getting damaged, cotton bolls got stuck, which led to the fuse getting blown. Then they built a solar panel pack that a farmer could carry on his back, which was connected to the cotton picking machine that can work with it. In addition to the solar pack and the

cotton harvester, they also provided multi-pin community mobile charger, LED lights so that the farmers could harvest in low light, and also use the excess solar power to light up their homes.

Over the years through intensive consultation with the cotton farmers, several tweaks were made in the design of the device. The current version, the patent-pending Virat Portable Solar Cotton Picker & Home Power System is sleekly designed and is sturdy enough for all kinds of cotton bolls: those that are ripe, shrunken by rain, and even those that are pest infested. The cotton collection bag has been improvised and replaced with a nylon one. The current version can pick 200 kg cotton in 6 hours compared to 50 kgs through handpicking leading up to 30 percent in cost savings due to increased productivity, time saving and zero electric costs.

Sunil decided to launch his product in Burkina Faso, because the african continent has just a handful of distributors, unlike India which has thousands of distributors. Having already sold 2000 units in Africa and 500 in India, Sunil is hoping to rope in the State governments of Gujarat, Karnataka and Haryana to underwrite some of the costs so that farmers can buy the device at a subsidized price. Agventures expects to sell 5.000 units in the next three years.

Cognizat of the fact that there might be competition brewing in the horizon, Sunil is already planning for the future, and is reading a new product that will give Agventures a significant competitive advantage in case there are new launches. While the backpack solar panel is lifhtweight, sleek and sturdy, it has a disadvantage in countries where women carry their newborns on their backs. A new model will have the solar pack mounted on a helmet.

Sunil's wife and children, who were initially sceptical, support him a 100 percent now. Venture capitalists, who had earlier refused to fund his venture, are now knocking on his door, ready to invest.

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