



SCO Chair on Shared Buddhist Heritage at Nalanda University, Rajgir
Call for Expression of Interest/Nominations

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Nalanda University, Rajgir is an avant-garde International University, designated as institution of “National Importance” established by an Act of the Indian Parliament (Nalanda University Act, 2010) under the aegis of the Ministry of External Affairs, GOI.

The University invites Nominations/Expression of Interest (EOI) for the SCO Chair on Shared Buddhist Heritage at Nalanda University from eligible Indian scholars (at Professor level) with expertise in Buddhist Studies and allied fields. This is a prestigious Chair being instituted at Nalanda University as one of the initiatives under India’s first-ever Chairmanship of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization in 2023. The first Chair, as per the mandate, shall be a scholar with Indian nationality.

Therefore, nomination/Expression of Interest is invited from scholars of eminence in the field of Buddhist Studies. The selection of the Chair shall be as per the SCO Chair rules and regulations. The SCO Chair shall be a Professor who have made significant contribution to knowledge in the field. The scholars should be within the age limit to 55-75 years, with teaching experience of minimum 8-10 years as a professor in an institution of higher education. Emoluments include a consolidated salary of INR 3,00,000/- per month, with other emoluments, as permissible.

Expression of Interest along with Teaching plan, Research plan and a comprehensive curriculum vitae should be sent within two weeks from the date of notification through e-mail to internationalrelations.nu@nalandauniv.edu.in

Sd/-

Registrar