

Centenary celebration of Gurudev Rabindranath Tagore's maiden visit to Japan

Inaugural programme on the auspicious occasion of Tagore's arrival at Kobe, Japan

The year 2016 marks the centenary year of Gurudev Rabindranath Tagore's maiden visit to Japan. To commemorate this historical occasion, Department of Japanese (Nippon Bhavana), Bhasha-Bhavana, Visva-Bharati has planned a number of programmes spread over the year.

On the occasion of Gurudev's setting his foot on the soil of Kobe, Japan in 1916 on May 29, Department of Japanese together with Kala-Bhavana, Rabindra-Bhavana & Sangeet-Bhavana presents a programme of Special Lecture, Rabindrasangeet that Gurudeva composed during his stay in Japan and an exhibition at Nandan on Japanese Art.



Exhibition on Japanese Art:

Venue: Nandan Art Gallery 4:30 p.m.

Lectures and Rabindrasangeet:

- 'Japan and Santiniketan' by Prof. Somendranath Bandopadhyay
- 'Rabindranath's visit to Japan and the Idea of Visva-Bharati' by Smt. Supriya Roy
- 'Santiniketan and Japanese Art' by Prof. R Sivakumar

Venue: Udayan Griha (Rabindra Bhavana) 5:00 p.m. $\tilde{\ }$

Prof. Swapan Kumar Datta, Upacharya, Visva-Bharati has kindly given his consent to grace the occasion.

All are cordially invited.

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