



HK Sherwani Centre for Deccan Studies

Agenda for Advisory Committee Meeting to be held on 08th November, 2021

1. Confirmation of the Minutes of the previews meeting.
2. Copies of the manuscripts on Deccan available in Salarjung museum, Asfia library, Osmania University library, AP State Archives, Idare Adabiyath-E-Urdu Hyderabad.
3. Maulana Azad Library, Aligarh, Raza Library, Rampur, Khuda Bakhsh Library, Patna, National library Kolkatta, National Museum New Delhi, National Archives of India, New Delhi, Zakir Husain Library, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, Arabic Persian Research Institute (Tonk), British Library, London and Bodleian library, Oxford and at some other centres.
4. Introduction of Diploma in Deccan Studies, for a duration of one year.
5. Introduction of Ph.D course and registration of students working on Deccan.
6. Research projects on Deccan financed by Indian Council of Historical Research, Ministry of Education, University Grants Commission and NCPUL and Urdu Academy, Telangana.
7. International Seminar on-Role and Contribution of Sufis of Deccan for Promotion of Learning and Communal Harmony in Deccan.
8. Centre should also contact Ministry of Culture, Govt of India, Indian Council of Cultural Relations, New Delhi and Govt of Telangana for the support of some projects and programmes of the centre.
9. Omar Khalidi, a world renowned historian, has authored many books on history particularly Deccan. His daughter a US based lawyer sent a letter of intent to donate the collection to the H.K.Sherwani Centre for Deccan Studies so that researchers in pertinent fields may have access to rare books, records and other documents.

10. MoU with Noor Microfilm International Centre, 18th Thilak Marg, New Delhi for Academic Programme.

11. MANUU had signed a MoU in 2014 with the Association for the Study of Persianate Societies (ASPS) headquartered in New York for a Visiting Scholar Grant termed as MANUU/ASPS TRAVEL CUM RESEARCH GRANT where the selected research scholar from a foreign university was attached to the Centre for Deccan Studies. As a part of the MoU, two scholars were selected for the grant for the years 2015 and 2016. The Centre wishes to renew the MoU.

12. MoU between H.K.Sherwani Centre for Deccan Studies and Dept. of Heritage, Government of Telangana is pending for vetting. The MOU is aimed for a collaborative project on unpublished records of the Deccan available at Dept. of Heritage (Dept. of Archaeology and Museum).

13. MoU with Vasamaha Consultants for collaborative Programmes pertaining to Preservation of Cultural Heritage and Urban Environments in Hyderabad.

14. MoU with Hyderabad Urban Lab for Academic Urban research and life at ground zero involving issues like Water and waste, Education, Livelihoods and mobility in Hyderabad city.

15. Revival of Deccan Heritage Club an initiative of H.K.Sherwani Centre for Deccan Studies to tap the spirit of celebrating the past glory of the Deccan region among the students of Maulana Azad National Urdu University.

16. To Organize a workshop on - Cataloging, Calendaring and conservation of Manuscripts and Documents on Deccan, in collaboration with Saiyid Hamid Library, MANUU. Any other item with the permission of the chair.

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