# **Workshop Report**

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## International workshop on Planning and Development of Buddhist Tourism

The Department of Tourism Administration, Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, Aurangabad (MS) is celebrating the 25<sup>th</sup> Foundation year. On this occasion during 23<sup>rd</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> March 2018, the International Centre for Buddhist Tourism of our Department had organized a "International workshop on Planning and Development of Buddhist Tourism" in association with Archeological survey of India (ASI), Maharashtra State Archeology and Indian Tourism & Hospitality Congress, Western Region (An Apex organization of Tourism and Hospitality Academicians & Researchers)

Professor Ashok Tejankar, Pro Vice Chancellor, Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, Aurangabad presided over the Inaugural Session. Inaugural Adress was delivered by Professor Sandeep Kulshreshtha, Director, Indian Institute of Tourism and Travel Management (IITTM), Gwalior.

### Following are the Details of the Workshop

Time	Program	
Day 1: 23/03/2018		
Venue : Department of Tourism Administration, Dr B A M University, Aurangabad		
15.00 – 16.00	Registration	
16.00 - 17.00	Networking	
17.00 – 18.00	Visit to Aurangabad Caves	
Day 2 : Saturday 24/03/2018		
Venue : Mahatma Phule Hall, Administrative building of Dr B A M University, Aurangabad		
10.00 – 12.00	Inauguration Session presided by Professor Ashok Tejankar, Pro Vice Chancellor,	
	Professor Sandeep Kulshreshtha, Director, Indian Institute of Tourism and Travel	
	Management (IITTM), Gwalior	
12.00 – 12.30	Keynote address 1 :	
	Buddhist Tourism in Sri Lanka by Dr Suranga D A C Silva (from Srilanka)	
12.30 – 13.00	Keynote address 2 :	
	Buddhist Tourism in Japan by Dr Chaitanya Bhandare (from Japan)	
13.00 - 14.00	Lunch	
14.00 – 14.30	Keynote address 3 :	
	Buddhist Tourism in Thailand by Phra Somphak (from Thailand)	
14.30 - 15.00	Keynote address 4: Buddhist tourism in India by Dr Rajesh Ragde	

Day 3 : Sunday 25/03/2018	
Venue : Ellora caves, 30 km from Aurangabad.	
11.00 - 12.00	Visit to World heritage site of Ellora caves
12.00 - 13.00	Keynote address 5: Planning and Management of Buddhist tourism at Ellora by
	Dr Rajesh Ragde
13.00 – 13.30	Keynote address 6: Buddhist Architecture by Mr. Abraham Pathrose
13.30 – 14.00	Keynote address 7: Chemical conservation at Ellora caves by Dr Shrikanth Misra
14.00 - 15.00	Valedictory session
	Valedictory Adress by Dr Rajesh Ragde

# **Keynote Speakers**



Presidential Address by Pro Vice Chancellor Professor Ashok Tejankar





Inaugural Adress by Professor Sandeep Kulshreshtha, Director Indian Institute for Travel and Tourism Management















