

**INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF TEACHERS OF RUSSIAN LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE
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1. INDAPRYAL signed an MOU with the State Pushkin Institute of Russian Language with an intention to develop cooperation in organizing joint academic events, publications as well as exchange of students, research scholars and teachers of Russian language.
2. ITR for the Assessment year 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 was filed on behalf of INDAPRYAL.
3. Audit of Account of INDAPRYAL by a Chartered Accountant for the year 2019-2020 was done and Audit Reports till 2020 were prepared.
4. INDAPRYAL, in collaboration with the Krishna Kanta Handiqui State Open University, Guwahati organized a WEBINAR on 8th May 2020 to mark the 75th anniversary of the Victory of the Soviet people in the Great Patriotic War.
5. INDAPRYAL collaborated with the State Pushkin Institute of Russian Language, Moscow to organize a ТЕЛЕМОСТ «Индия –Россия: актуальные вопросы онлайн-обучения», dedicated to the Day of Slavic Script and Culture on 22 May 2020.
6. In its meeting, held on 23.05.2020, INDAPRYAL EC decided to nominate Mr. Subhash Thakur as its Zonal representative from the Eastern Region of India. Mr. Subhash Thakur accepted to join the EC to represent the East zone.
7. ISSN (Online) was issued to IJRS. Publication of the First Volume of INDAPRYAL's journal with ISSN: 2582-6514 (ONLINE) was subsequently announced.
8. INDAPRYAL Membership renewal drive was announced in August 2020.
9. INDAPRYAL, in collaboration with State Pushkin Institute of Russian Language, Moscow organized the First All India Olympiad on Russian Language. Over 500 participants from all over India registered for this event. INDAPRYAL EC would like express sincere gratitude to Prof Varyam Singh, Prof Uma Parihar, Prof Charanjit Singh, Prof Vinay Totawar, Dr. Arunim Bandyopadhyay, Dr Anagha Bhat Behere for their valuable support in organizing the Olympiad.
10. INDAPRYAL EC decided to publish a collection of articles under the title «Кросс-культурные взаимодействия». Articles were invited for this book. A committee comprising Prof Neelakshi Suryanarayan, Mr. Soumendu K. Dutta and Meenu Bhatnagar is formed to

oversee the publication of this book. At present the work on the publication of this book is in progress.

11. INDAPRYAL, in collaboration with MAPRYAL, organized an Online International Conference on 16-17 October, 2020: «Русистика в мировом пространстве: традиции и перспективы» dedicated to the 75th anniversary of the Victory of the Soviet people in the Great Patriotic War.
12. INDAPRYAL, in collaboration with the International Centre of the Roerichs organised an online International conference “The Legacy of the Roerichs: A Bridge Between Russia and India” to mark the 100th anniversary of the teaching of 'Living Ethics. on November 27, 2020.
13. The President of the International Centre of the Roerichs wrote to INDAPRYAL proposing to continue the collaboration with INDAPRYAL in organizing a conference dedicated to the legacy of the Roerichs annually. INDAPRYAL EC discussed the letter and decided to accept the proposal to collaborate with ICR in this regard.
14. An online Faculty Development Programme «Практическая методика преподавания русского языка как иностранного» was organized from 11-30th January, 2021, by the State Pushkin Institute of Russian Language, Moscow, in collaboration with INDAPRYAL for the Indian Russists. Total 21 faculty members participated in this FDP.
15. In February, 2021 INDAPRYAL EC invited nominations from Indian Russists for recommending their names for the award of the Prestigious Pushkin Medal. Names of 2 Indian Russists have been forwarded to MAPRYAL for consideration.
16. Second Volume for the year 2020 of the Indian Journal of Russian Studies was published on the website.
17. Call for papers for the 3rd Volume of Indian Journal of Russian Studies was announced.
18. In view of the UCO bank's silence on the missing draft of Rs 42, 689/- , INDAPRYAL EC wrote to the SBI bank which had issued the demand draft in 2015 and which was not credited to the INDAPRYAL's UCO bank A/c where it was deposited in November 2015. After a number of visits to the SBI and lot of persuasion, it was discovered that the amount remained unclaimed with SBI. A request was then made to reissue the draft in favour of INDAPRYAL. SBI yielded to our request and we are happy to inform that on giving an undertaking by the Treasurer and General Secretary, the SBI reissued the draft. The draft of Rs 42,689/- been deposited to INDAPRYAL UCO bank account in April 2021. The chase of 4 long years has ended with the amount of Rs 42,689/- been credited to INDAPRYAL UCO bank account in April 2021.

19. INDAPRYAL has received books and souvenirs from the Russian Centre of Science and Culture, New Delhi for all the Winners and Finalists of the First All India Olympiad on Russian Language. These gifts are kept with Meenu Bhatnagar and will be distributed when situation becomes normal.
20. Webinar on «НАУЧНЫЙ СТИЛЬ: ВЧЕРА, СЕГОДНЯ, ЗАВТРА» was organized on April 16, 2021. The speakers were Prof. Larisa Petrovna Prokofieva, Head, Department of Russian and Latin Languages, V.I. Razumovskiy, Saratov State Medical University, Natalia Stepanovna Novikova, Faculty of the Department of Russian Language, Engineering Academy RUDN.
21. Information on various International conferences/ webinars/ competitions etc. was regularly shared with the Members

Warm regards,

Prof R.N. Menon (President)

Prof Kandarpa Das (Vice President)

Dr. Meenu Bhatnagar (General Secretary)

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Zonal Representatives:

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