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## SYMPOSIUM OF THE JAIN PHILOSOPHY RESEARCH GROUP

### Knowing Through Perspectives in Jain Philosophy: Historical Approaches

Time: August 28, 2023, 9:00–16:20

Location: Faculty of Arts, University of Ljubljana (Modra soba, Aškerčeva 2, 1000 Ljubljana)

Organizers: University of Ljubljana (Department of Asian Studies), University of Birmingham (Department of Theology and Religion), University of California, Riverside (Department for the Study of Religion)

Sponsor: Shrimad Rajchandra Endowed Chair in Jain Studies, University of California, Riverside

9.00-9.10 – Introductory Remarks

Luka Culiberg (University of Ljubljana), Ana Bajželj (University of California, Riverside), and Marie-Hélène Gorisse (University of Birmingham)

9.10-10.10 – KEYNOTE LECTURE: Jayandra Soni (University of Innsbruck)

Ten in One: The Case of Stanza 13 in Samantabhadra's Sixth-Century *Āptamīmāṃsā*

10.10-10.30 – Coffee Break

10.30-11.00 – Ana Bajželj (University of California, Riverside)

Jaina Non-One-Sided Metaphysics of the Self

11.00-11.30 – Jinesh Sheth (University of Mumbai) (online)

*Niścaya-vyavahāra Nayas* and *Anekāntavāda*: A Reinvestigation

11.30-12.00 – Jane Allred (University of Alberta)

Language Is Implicitly Multi-Faceted: A Philosophical Interpretation of Devanandin's Grammatical Meta-Rule "*Siddhir Anekāntāt*"

12.00-13.30 – Lunch (Vegan Catering)

13.30-14.00 – Shree Nahata (University of Oxford, Balliol College) (online)

In Some Ways: *Syādvāda* as the Synthesis of *Anekāntavāda* and *Nayavāda* in Akalaṅka's Philosophy

14.00-14.30 – Anil Mundra (Rutgers University)

Contradiction, Determinate Negation, and the Compossibility of Contraries in Haribhadrasūri's *Victory-Flag of Non-One-Sidedness (Anekāntajayapatākā)*

14.30-15.00 – Achyut Kant Jain (Jain Vishva Bharati Institute, Ladnun) (online)  
The Indispensable Connection: *Anekānta*'s Significance in Comprehending Jaina Causality

15.00-15.20 – Coffee Break

15.20-15.50 – Marie-Hélène Gorisse (University of Birmingham)  
Is Rāvaṇa The Universal Emperor? Questions of Reference In Prabhācandra's Semantic Viewpoint

15.50-16.20 – Lynna Dhanani (University of California, Davis)  
Revisiting *Anekāntavāda* in Hemacandra's Philosophical-Devotional Hymns

18.00 – Dinner at Namaste (<https://www.restavracija-namaste.si/en>) for presenters