



DAYS OF INDIA



Symposium: 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2012 - Indian Embassy, Berlin

## AyurVision: 21<sup>st</sup> Century Ayurveda

### “Traditional Indian Medicine Goes Global”

*Chances, Challenges and Visions for Germany and Europe*

Draft-Program

**09:00 h:** Inauguration and Opening Remarks

Embassy of India, Member of German Parliament, Charité - Universitätsmedizin, Immanuel Krankenh. Berlin

#### Session 1

09:30 h: **Prof. Dr. M. Mittwede**, European Academy of Ayurveda, Birstein: *Ayurveda in Europe: Historical development, conceptual frameworks and economic dimensions.*

10:00 h: **Dr. R. Manohar**, AVP Research Foundation, Coimbatore: *Translating Ayurveda into western mindsets - pitfalls and opportunities.*

10:30 h: **Prof. Dr. C. Witt**, Charité, Berlin: *Generating clinical evidence for traditional medical systems - What is needed in case of Ayurveda?*

11:00 h: Tea-Break

11:30 h: **PD Dr. O. Hellwig**, Univ. of Heidelberg: *The digital doctor. How the computer can support Ayurvedic therapy in the 21st century.*

12:00 h: **Dr. T. Rampp**, Krankenhaus Essen Mitte, Essen: *Ayurveda as a part of integrative medical practice in hospital settings – an example.*

#### Panel Discussion 1

12:30 h: **Prof. Dr. C. Witt, Dr. R. Manohar, Dr. S. Kumar, Mark Rosenberg**  
*Ayurveda in India – Ayurveda in Germany: What can we offer to each other?*

13:15 h: Lunch Break

#### Session 2

14:45 h: **Prof. Dr. H. Przuntek**, Evangelisches Krankenhaus, Hattingen: *Contemporary Ayurveda: Good old wine in new bottles.*

15:15 h: **Prof. Dr. A. Michalsen**, Immanuel Krankenhaus / Charité, Berlin: *Therapeutic safety with Ayurveda for patients and doctors in Germany.*

15:35 h: **Dr. H. Damle**, Bangalore: *What can be safely imported into Europe & Germany among traditional medicine: a rule of thumb.*

16:00 h: Tea-Break

16:30 h: **Dr. A. Chopra**, Univ. of Heidelberg, Habichtswaldklinik, Kassel: *Practicing Ayurveda in a German hospital – problems and perspectives.*

17:00 h: **Dr. W. Mohme**, German Medical Doctors' Ass. for Ayurveda (DÄGAM): *Professionalizing the medical Ayurveda community in Germany – what it needs and what it doesn't.*

17:30 h: **Dr. C. Kessler**, Immanuel Krankenhaus, Berlin: *Closing Remarks: Future of Ayurveda in Europe – Flash in the pan or enduring development?*

#### Panel Discussion 2

17:45 h: **Prof. Dr. A. Michalsen, Dr. H. Gupta, Dr. L. Kronpaß, N.N.**  
*How to ensure best practice Ayurveda and max. safety for European healthcare settings?*

18:15 h: Break

18:45 h: **Concert: Classical Indian Flute**  
19:45 h: End of the Conference

