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Education

Ph.D., **Sanskrit and Indian Philosophy**, University of Pune, Pune, India 2006.

Concentrations: **Philosophy, Nondual Shaivism of Kashmir**

Dissertation: *Parā Vāk and the Soteriological Nature of Mantra*

M.A., **History of South Asian Religions**, University of Iowa, Iowa City, USA 1996.

Teaching Experience

Teacher, November 6-10, 2017 Seminar: **Principles of the Non-dual Shaivism of Kashmir, Jesuit University, Zagreb, Croatia**

Teacher, July 11-July 16 2016, **Workshop: The Descent of Power based on chapter 13 of the Tantrāloka. Trikashala, Berkeley, CA**

Teacher, June 28-July 4 2016, **Workshop: The Wheel of Time based on chapter 6 of the Tantrāloka. Trikashala, Berkeley, CA**

Teacher, June 21-27 2015, **Workshop: The Wheel of Time based on chapter 6 of the Tantrāloka. Trikashala, Berkeley, CA**

Regional Director, **2012-2014 at VIIS, Study Abroad Center for American Students, Mysore, India**

Visiting Fellow, fall semester 2010-11, University of Zagreb, Croatia

Course: **Bharṭṛhari and the Origins of Indian Philosophy of Grammar.**

Course: **Spoken Hindi for Beginners.**

Visiting Fellow, spring semester 2010, University of Zagreb, Croatia

Course: **Introduction to Nondual Shaivism of Kashmir and Tantric Tradition.**

Spoken Sanskrit Teacher, **2010-11, Teaching Spoken Sanskrit** classes to general public.

Teaching Assistant, 1995/7

University of Iowa

Course: **The Quest for Human Destiny**

Publications

Boris Marjanovic, **The Wheel of Time (*kāla cakra*), Includes, translation of chapter 6 of Abhinavagupta's *Tantrāloka*. In the process of being published.**

Boris Marjanovic, (2010). *Stavacintāmaṇi by Nārāyaṇa Bhaṭṭa with the Commentary of Kṣemarāja*, Indica Books, Varanasi, India.

_____ (2006). *Gaṅgā Laharī* by Panditarāja Jagannātha. Indica Books. Varanasi, India.

_____ (2005). *Abhinavagupta's Commentary on the Bhagavad-gītā*. Rudra Press, USA.

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Books Edited

Hemendra Nath Chakravarti (2012). *Abhinavagupta's Tantrāsara*. Rudra Press, USA.

Articles published

Boris Marjanovic, (2011). ***Pratibhā in the Context of the Descent of Power (*śaktipāta*) as Understood by Abhinavagupta in Chapter 13 of the *Tantrāloka*, In Press.***

_____ (2011). **Scriptural vs. Spiritual Knowledge**, Hrvatske Indije III, Zbornik u cast Radoslavu Katicicu, Sekcija za Orjentalistiku Hrvatskoga Filoloskog Društva i Filozofski Fakultet Sveucilista u Zagrebu, Zagreb 2010, pp. 349-363.

_____ (2006). **The Means and Practices of non-dual Kashmir Shaivism**. Annals of the Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute. Pune: 2007, pp. 175-197.

_____ (2005). **Creative Process as Diversification of the Power of Consciousness**. Journal of Indian Intellectual Traditions, Vol. II No. 2.

Presentations and Lectures

Boris Marjanovic (2017) **Introduction to Abhinavagupta's *Tantrāloka***. Lectures delivered at the Mysore University.

_____ (2017) ***Pratibhā in the Context of the Descent of Power (*śaktipāta*) as Understood by Abhinavagupta in Chapter 13 of the *Tantrāloka****. Paper presented at the Conference on Kashmir Philosophy with special reference on Abhinavagupta at the University of Jammu.

_____ (2017). **International Tantra Workshop. Manipal University, Udupi, India**

_____ (2010). **The Origins of Sphoṭa Theory of Language.** Lecture delivered at the Club of University Professors, Zagreb, Croatia.

_____ (2008). **Principles of Nondual Shaivism of Kashmir.** Lecture delivered at the Seoul National University, South Korea.

_____ (2006). **Rituals and Enlivening of *Mantravīrya*.** Paper presented at the Conference on non-dual Shaivism of Kashmir, Shri Nagar, Kashmir.

_____ (2005). ***Nandikeśvara-kāśikā*.** Paper presented at the Sanskrit Conference at the University of Pune.

_____ (2004). **Creative Process as Diversification of the Power of Consciousness.** Lecture delivered at the CASS, University of Pune.

Grants and Scholarships

Stanly scholarship at the University of Iowa for the summer in India.