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A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE IATS PROFESSOR TSERING SHAKYA UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA Canadian Research Chair in Religion and Contemporary Society



France has been one of the most important centres for Tibetan studies in the world. The first academic position in Tibetan Studies was established there in 1842, when Philippe-Édouard Foucaux was appointed as a Tibetan teacher at the École des langues orientales, the ancestor of the present Inalco, where he gave his inaugural lecture on 31 January.

It is no exaggeration to say that ever since then scholars in our field from around the world have found a fertile home there and established France as the leading contributor to the development and growth of Tibetan Studies internationally. In this space, I will refrain from listing the names of the many scholars based in France, who have shaped the Tibetan Studies field. They will no doubt be frequently mentioned in our conversations at the 15th Seminar of the IATS. Their heirs in France today, and the institutions with which they are affiliated, remain at the forefront of research in all areas of Tibetan Studies.

It is therefore fitting and auspicious that we who are engaged in Tibetan Studies are gathered in Paris for the Fortieth Anniversary of the foundation of our Association. The gathering is a testament to the enormous contribution made by France to our field. The IATS sincerely thanks the conveners and all the individuals and institutions who have tirelessly worked with them to organize the 15th Seminar of the International Association for Tibetan Studies.

A WORD OF GREETING FROM THE CONVENERS

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It is our great pleasure and honour to welcome you to Paris, the City of Light, for the Fifteenth Seminar of the International Association for Tibetan Studies on the occasion of our Fortieth Anniversary. When the IATS was first founded at St. John's College, Oxford, in July 1979 under the leadership of the late Michael Aris, no one could have imagined that Tibetan Studies would grow as they have, so that our seminar this year presents new scholarship by some 600 participants representing more than twenty countries and the full range of social scientific and humanistic disciplines.

We are grateful to many individuals and organizations who have made this IATS Seminar possible. The IATS President, Professor Tsering Shakya, together with the IATS advisory board, honoured us by entrusting the organization of the Seminar to us. The French National Institute of Oriental Languages and Civilizations (Inalco) generously offered to host us at their superb Paris campus and has aided us with logistical and practical support at every step of the way. The East Asian Civilizations Research Centre (CRCAO), the École Pratique des Hautes Études, PSL Research University, and the École française d'Extrême-Orient have contributed needed financial support as well as concrete assistance with numerous aspects of the project. For this, we owe sincere gratitude to the encouraging reception our project received from the leaders of the institutions concerned: Mme Manuelle Franck and M. Jean-François Huchet, respectively former and current Presidents of the Inalco; M. Hubert Bost and M. Jean-Michel Verdier, former and current Presidents of the EPHE, PSL Research University; M. Rainier Lanselle and Mme Sylvie Hureau, former and current Directors of the CRCAO; M. Christophe Marquet, Director of the EFEO; as well as M. Jean-Noël Robert of the Collège de France.

Thanks to the welcome generosity of Khyentse Foundation and the Margot and Thomas Pritzker Family Foundation, we have been able to offer financial aid to over twenty of this year's participants. Other institutions and organizations to which we are indebted for their support are the Centre for Himalayan Studies (CEH), the Collège de France and Fondation Hugot, the French Academic Network on Asian Studies (GIS ASIE), the French Society for the Study of the Tibetan World (SFEMT), and the Lyon Institute of East Asian Studies (IAO).

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We acknowledge with gratitude as well the sustained efforts of the panel and roundtable organizers for their essential contribution to the rich and diverse program of the Fortieth Anniversary Seminar of the IATS.

To all of them, we can only say: जगाद देव के कि

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