University of Calgary Faculty of Humanities Department of Religious Studies

RELS 213 L01 – Sanskrit II Winter 2010

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Class day & time: TR 11:00am-12:15pm

I reserve the right to make changes to the course outline as appropriate.

Course Overview:

This is the second in a two course series. The two courses provide an introduction to the Sanskrit language. We will cover noun and pronoun declensions, verb conjugations, *sandhi*, compounds, and so on.

Required Readings:

Madhav M. Deshpande, *Samskrtasubodhini: A Sanskrit Primer* (Ann Arbor, MI: Centers for South and Southeast Asian Studies, University of Michigan, 2003).

Evaluation:

Students will take a quiz every other week. There will also be a final writing assignment – a translation – due April 20th in my assignment drop box, SS 12th floor. Participation and homework count heavily toward the final grade.

Grades will be calculated as follows:

| Participation and Homework: | 40% |
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| 6 Quizzes (8 Points each, one can be dropped): | 40% |
| Final Writing Assignment: | 20% |

^{*}There will be no Registrar scheduled final exam in this course.

A letter grade will be assigned on the following number and letter grade scheme:

| A+ | 100 - 96 | A | 95 - 90 | A- | 89 - 85 |
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| B+ | 84 - 80 | В | 79 - 75 | B- | 74 - 70 |
| C+ | 69 - 65 | C | 64 - 60 | C- | 59 - 55 |
| D+ | 54 - 53 | D | 52-50 | F | Under 50 |

Policies:

I expect students to attend every class and arrive on time and prepared. Quizzes must be taken on the day they are given. If a student misses a quiz, it will count as the dropped quiz. Homework must be handed in on the day that it is due. Late homework will lose one point per day.

Recording of Lectures:

Lectures can be recorded.

Academic Honesty:

Students should be familiar with University regulations regarding academic integrity. See relevant pages in the current University Calendar.

Academic Accommodation:

If you are a student with a disability who requires academic accommodation and have not registered with the Disability Resource Centre, contact their office at 403-220-8237. Once registered, discuss arrangements for exams as soon as possible, well before the exam dates.

Gnosis:

Gnosis is the Religious Studies Student Club. For membership or more information please email: gnosis@ucalgary.ca or visit http://www.ucalgary.ca/~gnosis.

Course Schedule:

Week One

Tuesday, Jan. 12

Lesson 13 – Ex. 2, 1-20 (translate and break *sandhi*)

HW: Lesson 14 Selected Exercises

Thursday, Jan. 14

Lesson 14

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Week Two

Tuesday, Jan. 19

Lesson 14

HW: Prepare for Quiz 1 over Lessons 13 and 14

Lesson 15 Selected Exercises

Thursday, Jan. 21

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Lesson 15

HW: Lesson 15 Selected Exercises

Week Three

Tuesday, Jan. 26

Lesson 15

HW: Lesson 16 Selected Exercises

Thursday, Jan. 28

Lesson 16

HW: Lesson 16 Selected Exercises

Week Four

Tuesday, Feb. 2

Lesson 16

HW: Prepare for Quiz 2 over Lessons 15 and 16

Lesson 17 Selected Exercises

Thursday, Feb. 4

Quiz 2

Lesson 17

HW: Lesson 17 Selected Exercises

Week Five

Tuesday, Feb. 9

Lesson 17

HW: Lesson 18 Selected Exercises

Thursday, Feb. 11

Lesson 18

HW: Lesson 18 Selected Exercises

Week Six

Tuesday, Feb. 16 and Thursday, Feb. 18

Reading Week – No Class

Week Seven

Tuesday, Feb. 23

Lesson 18

HW: Prepare for Quiz 3 over Lessons 17 and 18

Lesson 19 Selected Exercises

Thursday, Feb. 25

Quiz 3

Lesson 19

HW: Lesson 19 Selected Exercises

Week Eight

Tuesday, Mar. 2

Lesson 19

HW: Lesson 20 Selected Exercises

Thursday, Mar. 4

Lesson 20

HW: Lesson 20 Selected Exercises

Week Nine

Tuesday, Mar. 9

Lesson 20

HW: Prepare for Quiz 4 over Lessons 19 and 20

Lesson 21 Selected Exercises

Thursday, Mar. 11

Quiz 4

Lesson 21

HW: Lesson 21 Selected Exercises

Week Ten

Tuesday, Mar. 16

Lesson 21

HW: Lesson 22 Selected Exercises

Thursday, Mar. 18

Lesson 22

HW: Lesson 22 Selected Exercises

Week Eleven

Tuesday, Mar. 23

Lesson 22

HW: Prepare for Quiz 5 over Lessons 21 and 22

Lesson 23 Selected Exercises

Thursday, Mar. 25

Quiz 5

Lesson 23

HW: Lesson 23 Selected Exercises

Week Twelve

Tuesday, Mar. 30

Lesson 23

HW: Lesson 24 Selected Exercises

Thursday, Apr. 1 Lesson 24

HW: Lesson 24 Selected Exercises

Week Thirteen

Tuesday, Apr. 6

Lesson 24

HW: Prepare for Quiz 6 over Lessons 23 and 24

Lesson 25 Selected Exercises

Thursday, Apr. 8

Quiz 6

Lesson 25

HW: Lesson 25 Selected Exercises

Week Fourteen

Tuesday, Apr. 13

Lesson 25

HW: Lesson 26 Selected Exercises

Thursday, Apr. 15

Lesson 26

HW: Finish Final Exam, Due April 20. Assignments must be turned in by 4:00 p.m. in the Philosophy Department (12th floor of Social Sciences) drop boxes. When you walk into the department, the boxes are about 150 feet down on the left side. My box will have 'Framarin RELS 213 – Sanskrit' written on it.