## **VISION AND MISSION OF ICPR – 215-16**

Indian Council of Philosophical Research, New Delhi is an organization fully funded by Government of India. It sponsors and assists academic programmes and projects with global visibility. Its activities are visible all over India. It has programmes for all age groups. The Council has visualized 'Eight Philosophy Teachers Meet' in the following Eight Zones of the Country in 2015-16:

#### 1. North Western Zone

Jammu & Kashmir, Punjab, Himachal Pradesh, Chandigarh and Haryana 'Philosophy Teachers Meet is proposed at Amritsar

### 2. North Eastern Zone

Assam, Meghalaya, Arunachal Pradesh, Manipur, Tripura, Mizoram and Nagaland

'Philosophy Teachers Meet is proposed at Gauhati

# 3. North Zone

Uttar Pradesh, Uttarakhand and Delhi 'Philosophy Teachers Meet' is proposed at Saranath, Varanasi

## 4. Central Zone

Madhya Pradesh and Chattisgarh Philosophy Teachers Meet is proposed at Iabalpur,

# 5. Eastern Zone

Bihar, Jharkhand, Orissa, West Bengal and Sikkim Philosophy Teachers Meet is proposed at Ranchi,

## 6. Western Zone

Rajasthan, Maharashtra and Gujrat Philosophy Teachers Meet is proposed at Amainer (Jalgaon), Maharashtra

### 7. Southern Zone

Karnataka, Andhara Pradesh, Tenengana, Tamil Nadu and Kerala Philosophy Teachers Meet is proposed at Chennai

### 8. Coastal India

Goa, Lakshadeep, Andaman Nikobar, Pondicherry and other port cities of India. **Philosophy Teachers Meet is** proposed **at Goa.** 

"Philosophy Teachers Meet" will focus its discussions on a particular theme. The concept note, which has already been accepted by the Council will get value addition after these academic events. We expect at least one hundred participants in each "Philosophy Teachers Meet" and twenty quality research papers on the concerned theme. The academic output of these activities will be published by the Council in the form of 'Anthologies'.

ICPR has also proposed "Chair in Logic" in Eastern Zone at Presidency University, Kolkata and "Chair in Tribal Studies" at Western Zone in North Maharashtra University, Jalgaon at the Pratap Centre of Philosophy Amalner which is going to celebrate the Centenary in the year 2015-16. Rest of the six Chairs will soon be decided by the Council. Chair Professor can work up to 70 years with a monthly salary of Rupees One Lakh per month.

The Council has selected 50 Universities for World Philosophy Day Celebration as per UNESCO guidelines and 50 Degree Colleges for periodic lectures within India.

Note: Interested persons must see ICPR website <u>www.icpr.in</u> regularly and contact the organizers at the earliest.