

Dr. Asanga Tilakaratne Singapore Teaching Tour

BUDDHISM: ADDRESSING CHALLENGES IN OUR UNDERSTANDING

Dates: 10 to 17 May 2024 | Venue: Onsite at Buddhist Library and on Facebook live

S/N	Talk Title	Date and time
1	Vijñānavāda of Vasubandhu	<u>Thu 9 May</u> , 1.30pm - 4.00pm
2	Public lecture: “Attaining Peace and Happiness (Through the Teachings of Buddha as Found in the Pali Canon)”	<u>Thu 9 May</u> , 7.00pm - 9.30pm
3	Public lecture: “Different Approaches to Well-Being: Buddhism, Classical Western Philosophy, Secular Approaches and More”	<u>Fri 10 May</u> , 4.00pm - 6.30pm
4	Theravada, Mahayana and Vajrayana: Appreciating the Traditions (4 parts over 2 days)	Part 1: <u>Sat 11 May</u> , 10.00am - 12.30pm Part 2: <u>Sat 11 May</u> , 4.00pm - 6.30pm Part 3: <u>Sun 12 May</u> , 1.30pm - 4.00pm Part 4: <u>Sun 12 May</u> , 7.00pm - 9.30pm
5	Sutta Class: Dhammacakkappavattanasutta & Alagaddūpamasutta (3 parts over 1 week)	Part 1: <u>Tue 14 May</u> , 10.00am – 12.30pm Part 2: <u>Thu 16 May</u> , 10.00am – 12.30pm Part 3: <u>Fri 17 May</u> , 10.00am – 12.30pm
6	Buddhism in Comparative Perspective: a Discussion	<u>Tue 14 May</u> , 4.00pm - 6.30pm
7	Nirvana, the Philosophy of Religious Experience and Language (2 parts over 2 days)	Part 1: <u>Wed 15 May</u> , 1.30pm - 4.00pm Part 2: <u>Wed 15 May</u> , 7.00pm - 9.30pm
8	Śūnyatā of Nāgārjuna	<u>Thu 16 May</u> , 4.00pm - 6.30pm

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	9-May	10-May	11-May	12-May	13-May	14-May	15-May	16-May	17-May
Timing	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
10.00AM – 12.30PM			Theravada, Mahayana and Vajrayana: Appreciating the Traditions [Part 1]	<Buddhist Library’s regular Sunday Puja>		Sutta Class: Dhammacakka ppavattanasutta & Alagaddūpamasutta [Part 1]		Sutta Class: Dhammacakka ppavattanasutta & Alagaddūpamasutta [Part 2]	Sutta Class: Dhammacakka ppavattanasutta & Alagaddūpamasutta [Part 3]
1.30PM – 4.00PM	Vijñānavāda of Vasubandhu			Theravada, Mahayana and Vajrayana: Appreciating the Traditions [Part 3]			Nirvana, the Philosophy of Religious Experience and Language [Part 1]		
4.00PM – 6.30PM		Different Approaches to Well-Being*	Theravada, Mahayana and Vajrayana: Appreciating the Traditions [Part 2]			Buddhism in Comparative Perspective: a Discussion		Śūnyatā of Nāgārjuna	
7.00PM – 9.30PM	Attaining Peace and Happiness			Theravada, Mahayana and Vajrayana: Appreciating the Traditions [Part 4]			Nirvana, the Philosophy of Religious Experience and Language [Part 2]		

***Full titles:**

Public Lectures

- Different Approaches to Well-Being: Buddhism, Classical Western Philosophy, Secular Approaches and More
- Attaining Peace and Happiness (Through the Teachings of Buddha as Found in the Pali Canon)

Academic Talks

- Śūnyatā of Nāgārjuna
- Vijñānavāda of Vasubandhu
- Nirvana, the Philosophy of Religious Experience and Language (2 parts over 2 days)

Continuing Classes

- Theravada, Mahayana and Vajrayana: Appreciating the Traditions (4 parts over 2 days)
- Dhammacakkappavattanasutta and Alagaddūpamasutta (3 parts over 1 week)
- Buddhism in Comparative Perspective: a Discussion

Any additional info will be updated onto the Event Webpage and Programme Booklet e.g. synopses of talks, changes to programme if any.