

RAMAKRISHNA MISSION VIVEKANANDA EDUCATIONAL AND RESEARCH INSTITUTE (Deemed UNIVERSITY

as declared by Government of India under Section 3 of UGC Act, 1956)
PO Belur Math, Dist Howrah 711202, West Bengal, India

UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION DAY CLEBRATION 2020 (with web-streaming online) AT SARADANANDA SEMINAR HALL AT PRAJNA BHAVAN ON 4 JULY 2020 (SATURDAY)

PROGRAMME 11.00 AM – 12.45 PM

<u>Guest-in-Chief:</u> Swami Divyanandaji Maharaj, Pro-Chancellor of the University

- (1) Invocation: Vedic Chanting (*shanti mantras, medha suktam*) in chorus by the monks of the University, led by Swami Japasiddhananda 11.00 am
- (2) About Swamiji's University: Swami Atmapriyananda, Vice Chancellor 11.15 am
- (3) Message from the Chancellor, Swami Suviranandaji Maharaj, General Secretary, Ramakrishna Math and Ramakrishna Mission 11.30 am
- (4) Updated profile of the University describing its academic activities as on 1st July, 2020: Swami Kirtipradananda, Registrar 11.45 am
- (5) New horizons in higher education opening up in recent times with special reference to online initiatives via internet: Swami Dhyanagamyananda, Head, Department of Computer Science (including Data Science) 12.00 noon
- (6) Presidential address: Swami Divyanandaji Maharaj 12.20 pm
- (7) Vote of thanks: Swami Sarvottamanandaji, Pro-Vice Chancellor 12.35 pm
- (8) Closing song on Swamiji: murta maheshwaram...by Swami Shivapurnananda

Live web-streaming of the entire programme on the internet through our website will be done on this day, the University Foundation Day (4 July 2020) to enable our faculty, students, admirers, devotees and all others interested to participate. They are all invited to join this programme online through the link provided in the University website: www.rkmvu.ac.in. Please watch out for the link one day before the function on our website. During this period lockdown, this is the least we could do to pay homage to Swami Vivekananda on the day of his *mahasamadhi*, Fourth of July, the very day on which he conceived and envisioned a University at Belur Math that will harmoniously blend the best elements of the East and the West: "ancient Indian wisdom with modern science" to quote his own words. All the stakeholders associated with the University (students, faculty members, administrators, parents, admirers, devotees) are all cordially invited.

Belur Math 27 June 2020 Swami Atmapriyananda Vice Chancellor

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