Permanent Delegation of India to UNESCO Paris

<u>Upcoming Activities being Organised by the Indian Mission to UNESCO</u> (April-June 2015)

YOGA at UNESCO

Free Yoga classes for Ambassadors, delegates and Secretariat staff, commencing 23 March 2015. This is a pioneering initiative, the first occasion when Yoga will be introduced at UNESCO. The classes will be taken by Yoga Master Sricharan Faeq Biria of the Iyengar Yoga Centre of Paris.

DR KARAN SINGH at UNESCO

India's Representative to the Executive Board will be on official visit to Paris in the second week of April 2015. The visit will coincide with the 196th session of the Executive Board of UNESCO.

SRI SRI RAVISHANKER at UNESCO

Sri Sri Ravishankar will address Member States on 24 April 2015 on Interfaith Harmony, followed by ten minutes of Meditation at UNESCO!

INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY at UNESCO

The first International Yoga Day will be celebrated in the prestigious Room I of UNESCO House on 19 June 2015. The programme will include a lecture cum demonstration of Yoga, followed by a live, interactive session of Yoga for the benefit of Member States.

ELECTIONS TO THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL OCEANOGRAPHIC COMMISSION at UNESCO

India will present its candidature for membership of the Executive Council of the INTERGOVERNMENTAL OCEANOGRAPHIC COMMISSION, elections for which will be held during the 48th session of the IOC Assembly in Paris in June-July 2015.