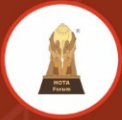




SESSION 3





SESSION 3: Collaboration Between and Within Linguistic/Cultural Organizations

Chairperson



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9.30 – 9.40 a.m.	Session Introduction by Chairperson
9.40 – 10.40 a.m.	Panel Discussion, Question and Answers Panelists: 1. Dr Harinath Policherla, President Telangana American Telugu Association, USA 2. Shri Balaji Rajagopalan, Bharati Tamil Sangam, USA 3. Shri Amarnath Gowda, Chairman, Board of Trustees, AKKA, USA 4. Shri Vasudev Patel, Medical Doctor and Gujrat Community Volunteer 5. Shri Avinash Padhye, President, Bruhan Maharashtra Mandal, USA 6. Shri Judhajit Senmazumdar, Bengali Association, USA 7. Shri Sukhi Chahal, Founder and Chairman, Punjab Foundation, USA
10.40 – 10.45 a.m.	Conclusions of the Panel Discussion



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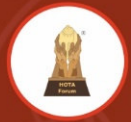
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Accomplishments

- ▶ Changed anti-Bharat perception of Tamil community
- ▶ Voice against attack on Hindu Dharma
- ▶ Hindu Dharma in US
 - ▶ California Text Book issue, Dharma Civilization Foundation (DCF), HAF, Sri Andal Issue, Temples...
- ▶ Right social service
 - ▶ Sewa International, Annapoorna...

Challenges

- ▶ Vocal segment of Tamil Community is anti-Hindu & anti-Bharat
- ▶ Malicious script changes and Scholarly articles against Hindu Cultural identity for Tamilians
- ▶ Attack on Pro-Bharat Tamilians & Initiatives
- ▶ Common People Brainwashed





Action Needed

- ▶ Bharati Tamil Sangam is local to Bay Area. We need more such Tamil organizations across different states in US
- ▶ Pro-Hindu voices have to become strong
- ▶ Need like minded people, scholars to come together and collaborate more in public against the planned, funded cultural destruction and intimidation for people who speak against it





END Of SESSION 3

