



« SACRED FOLK DANCES AROUND MYSURU »

*A Journey through Spirituality. Creativity and Geometry*

DRAFT AGENDA

**1 – OPENING**

Greetings by Dr. Kontogiannis Constantin, Member of the CID Executive Committee

Presentation of the officials (CID, UNESCO, INDIA.....)

Introductory Speech by Prof. Dr. Alkis Raftis, President of International Dance Council

Presentation of Dr Uma Narayana Murthy, host of the seminar- by Dr. Kontogiannis

**2 – INTRODUCTORY SPEECHES**

As October 2nd is the birthday of India's 'FATHER OF NATION', short talk on Mahatma Gandhi will be presented as an opening of the Seminar by **Dr. C. Naganna**

An introductory message from **Dr. Ramegowda** ( Dr. RaGow), speaker's Guide/ Director, will be presented by the speaker Dr Uma

Video-1 Presentation of the city of Mysuru --- "THE MYSORE –Pride of Nation"

**3 – FOLK DANCES OF MYSURU (1<sup>ST</sup> Part )**

**Dr Uma Narayana Murthy :**

Sacred Folk Dances around Mysuru: Presentation of three prominent dances that are performed in and around this cultural capital

Video-2 Beesu Kamsale, folk dance *dedicated to God Mahadeshwara*

Video-3 Nandi Dhawaja, ritualistic dance *dedicated to God Shiva*

**4 – PAUSE (10 minutes)**

**5 – FOLK DANCES OF MYSURU (2d Part )**

**Dr Uma Narayana Murthy :**

Video-4 Pooja Kunitha, folk dance *dedicated to Goddess Shakti*

Video-5 on the festival Mysuru Dasara

**6 – CONCLUSION**

Interaction with participants / The floor will be open for discussion

Perspectives

Vote of Thanks