

Department of Ancient Indian History, Culture and Archaeology

COLLEGE OF INDOLOGY

BANARAS HINDU UNIVERSITY

VARANASI-5

3rd January, 1962

Daniel Cosío Villegas, Esq.,  
President  
El Colegio De Mexico,  
Guatemala 125,  
Mexico 7 D.F.

Dear Mr. Villegas,

It is now time to finalise the arrangements for my leaving India to join my assignment in your College I find there are certain practical difficulties and I shall indeed be most thankful if you can help me out of them.

1. I have been granted leave of absence from Banaras Hindu University from the 1st February to the 30th June without pay. This has placed me in a difficult position for I have to make the arrangement of my family here for the period of my stay abroad. I wonder, therefore, if it will be possible for you to arrange for the payment of 100 American dollars per month (out of my monthly stipends), through Mexican Embassy in India in Rupees to my family. If this proposal finds acceptance by you it will indeed be a great help to me and in that case I shall request you to ask the Mexican Embassy to credit the equivalent of 100 American dollars from February to June to the account of Dr. A. K. Narain, Head of the Department of Ancient Indian History, Culture and Archaeology, College of Indology, Hindu University Varanasi-5, India who has instructions to make the payment to my family.

2. Since, there is a very strict restriction on foreign exchange to be taken out of India and more so in these emergency days, I shall further highly appreciate if you can arrange for an advance payment of 100 American dollars preferably in traveller's cheques through Mexican Embassy in New Delhi for making minor purchases on my way in Paris and London. If this is not possible either for some technical reason or otherwise I shall be glad if I get the amount even in Paris and in which case I will like to know from where to collect it in Paris.

3. I have already completed the preliminary formalities and you will be sending me the air ticket shortly. I am to inform you that I propose to leave Varanasi on or about the 20th of January and the round trip ticket should be from Varanasi and back. I shall highly appreciate if I am allowed to take the route for the forward journey from Varanasi via Delhi, Beirut, Rome, Paris, London, New York, Mexico and tentatively for return journey Mexico, San Francisco, Honolulu, Tokyo, Bangkok, Dajkarta, Singapore, Rangoon, Calcutta, Varanasi.

If you have no objection I may start my return Journey on or about the 21st June, 1962.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

V. S. Pathak

(V. S. Pathak)



July 3, 1962.

Dr. V. S. Pathak  
School of Oriental Studies  
Dept. of History  
University of London  
London W. C. L  
England.

My dear Professor Pathak:

As you may be aware, Professor Basham was good enough to give us your name as a suitable candidate for a course on Cultural History of India to be given here at El Colegio next year from February through June.

The course calls for two one-hour lectures a week, and eight hours to meet students, in small groups or individually to tutor them in their readings and papers assigned to them by the professor.

We would like to have at your earliest convenience a program of the course, a bibliography, in which there should be included both books for the teacher's consultation and for the students' perusal.

El Colegio is prepared to offer you air ticket, round trip, economy class, a monthly stipend of seven hundred American dollars for a five-months period. We will take charge of your Mexican visa.

Hoping that you may accept our warm invitation, and ready, of course, to give you any further information,

Sincerely yours

Daniel Cosío Villegas  
President

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Dept. of Ancient Indian History  
Culture and Archaeology,  
College of Indology,  
Banaras Hindu University,  
Varanasi-5. <sup>2</sup> - INDIA

August 17, 1962.

Daniel Cosio Villegas Esq.  
President,  
El Colegio De Mexico,  
Guanajuato, 125.  
Mexico 7.D.F.

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Dear Mr. Villegas,

Thank you very much for your letter of July 3, 1962  
which, being redirected from London at my present address, was  
received here only yesterday. Thanks indeed for the invitation  
to deliver a course of lecture on the Cultural History of India.

In about a week, I shall send the programme of the  
course, and the bibliography. However in order to facilitate my  
coming, I shall be thankful if you can meanwhile write to the  
Vice-Chancellor, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi-5 asking him  
to depute me for this course, and grant me leave ~~from~~ from January  
15, 1963 to July 7, 1963, and send a copy of the same to me.

Thanking you ,

Yours Sincerely,

V.S. Pathak picla Rep.

V.S. Pathak  
Reader in the Department of  
Anc. Indian History Culture  
and Archaeology.

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Daniel Cosío Villegas, Esq

President,

El Colegio de México,

Guanajuato, 125

Mexico D.F.

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Sender's name and address —

V. S. Pathak

Reader in the Dept. of

Ancient Indian History  
Culture & Archaeology,

College of Indology

Hindu University,

VARANASI-5



August 31, 1962

Mr. V. S. Pathak  
Dept. of Ancient Indian History  
College of Indology  
Banaras Hindu University  
Varanasi 5  
INDIA

Dear Mr. Pathak:

I was afraid that my letter did not reach you in London. So, I had been wondering for sometime whether some kind person had forwarded to you. I was glad, then, to see by your letter of August 17 that it was so.

I am happy to know that you accept our invitation, and that you are prepared to send us shortly the program and the bibliography for the course on Cultural History of India. I hope that you keep a copy of such bibliography, for I forgot to tell you that we would appreciate to have marked down those books which you consider all or most of our students will use, so as to buy the necessary number of copies. We already have in our library some three hundred books on India, and order regularly some more with the guidance of book reviews. But naturally, we buy only one copy of each, as we think of them not as text-books properly, but only for consultation.

You will find herewith a copy of my letter to the Vice-Chancellor of your University.

With best wishes, and hoping to hear from you soon,

Yours sincerely

Daniel Cosío Villegas  
President

DCV/ehf



October 24, 1962

Mr. V. S. Pathak  
Dept. of Ancient Indian History  
College of Indology  
Banaras Hindu University  
Varanasi 5  
INDIA

Dear Professor Pathak:

You may remember that in your last letter of August 17 you asked me to write to your vice-chancellor in order to expedite the awarding of your leave. You said also that in a week you would send me the program of your course and the necessary bibliography.

I wrote immediately to your vice-chancellor, and attached to my answer to you I sent a copy of that letter. I added some remarks on the question of your bibliography.

As more than two months have elapsed, we are worried, first because we cannot feel certain about your coming, and then, as I told you before, the chances to get the books recommended by you diminish everyday.

Hoping to hear from you at your earliest convenience,

Yours sincerely

Daniel Cosío Villegas  
President

DCV/ehf



3 Department of Ancient Indian History, Culture and Archaeology

COLLEGE OF INDOLOGY

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VARANASI-5 ✓

November 7. 1962.

Mr. Daniel Cosío Villegas,  
El Colegio De Mexico,  
Guanajuato 125.  
Mexico 7. D.F.

India

Dear Mr. Villegas,

The Vice-Chancellor duly received your letter, dated August 31, 1962. I am indeed thankful for it, as it will greatly help me in getting the necessary deputation leave.

For delay, we are really sorry but the University was closed for a month in September. The Executive Council is scheduled to meet on the 8th instant and I am sure that you will soon learn from the Vice-Chancellor about my deputation to the El Colegio for a period of five months.

The programme of lecture and the list of groups are being enclosed herewith.

With regards,

Yours Sincerely,

*V. S. Pathak*

(V. S. Pathak)

M. A., Ph. D.,

Ancient Indian History & Culture,  
College of Indology,  
Banaras Hindu University.



Department of Ancient Indian History, Culture and Archaeology  
COLLEGE OF INDOLOGY  
BANARAS HINDU UNIVERSITY

VARANASI-5

November 17, 1962.  
College of Indology,  
Banaras Hindu University.

Dear Mr. Villegas,

Kindly find enclosed herewith a revised Programme  
of Lectures for El Colegio, De Mexico.

With regards,

Yours Sincerely,

*V S Pathak*

( V. S. Pathak )  
M. A., Ph. D.,

Mr. Danial Cosio Villegas,  
El Colegio De Mexico,  
Guanajuato 125  
Mexico 7. D. F.



6 de diciembre de 1962

Mr. V. S. Pathak  
Ancient Indian History and Culture  
College of Indology  
Banaras Hindu University  
Varanasi-5, India

Dear V. S. Pathak:

First let me explain you the reason for my letter. Mr. Daniel Cosío Villegas is now in Paris attending the annual meeting of UNESCO, and I am writing to you in his name in my character of Director of the Center of Historical Studies of El Colegio de México.

Thank you for your kind letter of November 17th with which you sent us the outline and the bibliography for your course on the Cultural History of India. I sent a copy of your letter to Mr. Cosío Villegas in the idea that he can be informed in time about the programme for your course. He will have his comments on the subject a little bit after that date. In the mean time let me tell that I have found your programme very interesting and suited to our general plan of studies.

Sincerely yours.

Lic. Alfonso García Ruiz

Director del Centro de Estudios  
Históricos.

AGR/rev



December 27, 1962

Mr. V. S. Pathak  
Banaras Hindu University  
Department of Ancient Indian History  
Varanasi 5  
INDIA

Dear Mr. Pathak:

Thanks for your letter of November 7th, with the program and bibliography attached. I did not answer it immediately because I expected to receive few days later the Vice-Chancellor's letter, as you told me that the Executive Council was meeting next day, that is to say, on November 8th. We have not heard from him as yet, so we are still uneasy as to the final outcome of our invitation to you.

Since you are supposed to be here not later than February 3rd., there is hardly any time left but for some important measures we have to take without delay:

1st: We would like to know the airline and the route you want to travel, so as to order here to put at your disposal, in New Delhi, the necessary ticket. You must call at the Mexican Embassy in New Delhi to apply for a visa, and the Embassy will have the necessary instructions to give it without any further inquire.

Second: We see for your program that you plan to give considerable importance to several forms of Indian Art. Although we have some books on this matter, slides would be the best way to lecture on those subjects. We have little material, so we would like to ask you to buy in India for us all the slides (35mm) you consider important, and we will refund you at your arrival, or, if necessary, we may arrange to transfer you the necessary money, although banking contacts with India are not very strong here in Mexico.

Third: We would like to know, by cable if necessary, these data: your complete name, nationality, passport number, date of departure, airline you prefer (Air-India, BOAC, Pan American, etc.) and the route you wish to follow (via London, Paris, Rome, etc.)

Yours sincerely

Daniel Cosío Villegas  
President

DCV/ehf



Department of Ancient Indian History, Culture and Archaeology

COLLEGE OF INDOLOGY

BANARAS HINDU UNIVERSITY

VARANASI-5

January 9, 1963.

Mr. Daniel Cosío Villegas,  
President,  
El Colegio De Mexico,  
Guanajuato 125,  
MEXICO 7, D. F.

Dear Mr. Villagus,

Thanks for your letter of December 27, 1962 which I received <sup>today</sup>.

I am to inform you as follows on the three queries made by you. I hope you have received by now my earlier letter dated January 3, 1963, which has already covered some of the points raised in your letter.

1. The Air Line does not matter to me but the route matters. I would like to fly on or about 26th January from Delhi. I will be in Delhi from 21st to 25th January i.e. I will leave Varanasi on 19th January. My address in Delhi will be C/O India International Centre, 40 Lodi Estate, New Delhi-3 and I have already indicated to you in my earlier letter <sup>that</sup> I would like to take the route for the forward journey from Delhi to Mexico via Beirut, Rome, Paris, London, New York.

Please instruct the Mexican Embassy in New Delhi to do the needful. I will contact the Embassy for visa and I hope there will be no difficulty.

2. As desired by you I will buy for your institution about 100 slides (35 mm) for illustrating my lectures on Art & Numismatics etc. You can refund me the cost at my arrival.

3. Please find the other data below as required by you.

(i) Name	-	VISHWAMBHAR SHARAN PATHAK
(ii) Nationality	-	INDIAN
(iii) Pass Port No.	-	A 632696
(iv) Date of Departure	-	On or about 26th January from New Delhi.
(v) Air-line	-	Preferably Air India (In case of any difficulty with regard to flight - connections, any other you wish.
(vi) Route	-	As indicated above.

Please note that I would like to break journey for at least a day in Paris and a day in London, if not more, depending upon the flight connections. That means I will prefer to stay longer in Paris and London if possible.

Yours Sincerely,

V. S. Pathak

( V. S. Pathak )



*Secretaría Particular**1012*

9 de enero de 1963

Sr. Dn. Manuel Tello  
Secretario de Relaciones Exteriores  
Av. Juárez 109  
México 1, D. F.

Distinguido señor Secretario:

Agradecería a usted mucho se sirviera disponer que se le den instrucciones cablegráficas a nuestra Embajada en Nueva Delhi, India, para que otorgue una visa oficial de cortesía, con vencimiento el 15 de julio de este año, en favor del señor Profesor V. S. Pathak, quien viene invitado a nuestro Colegio a dar durante el primer semestre un curso sobre Historia y Cultura de la India.

El señor Pathak es de nacionalidad india, pero, por desgracia, ignoramos el dato del número de su pasaporte y no queda tiempo para obtenerlo, ya que el señor Pathak debe estar en México a fines de este mes de enero.

Anticipándole a usted mi gran reconocimiento, quedo como siempre suyo servidor y amigo.

Daniel Cosío Villegas  
Presidente

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January 10, 1963.

Mr. B. S. Pathak  
Banaras Hindu University  
College of Hindology  
Varanasi - 5  
India

Dear Mr, Pathak:

May I acknowledge your letter of January 3rd, received today.

As it is not easy to work out the arrangement you suggested to pay your family a monthly allowance, you will find herewith a New Delhi draft, for 2,340.70 rupees, núm. 33958, equivalent to five hundred American dollars, so you may leave your family provided for four or five months, or the whole period you may stay abroad.

As for yourself, you will also find herewith two New York drafts, Nos. 310369 y 310370, each one for fifty American dollars, which you may cash in Paris and London as you plan to do.

In three days more, that is to say, by January 15th, the Mexican Embassy at New Delhi will have instructions to give you an official courtesy visa for entering Mexico. It will be advisable that as soon as you receive this letter you write to them advising them the day and the time you will call at the Embassy for this purpose.

Air India will let you know at your University address at Banaras that they have at your disposal one round trip Banaras-Mexico-Banaras, air ticket economy class. You shall tell them the route you want, and the stopovers you wish.

I hope to receive from you the exact day of your arrival to Mexico City, the airline and the flight number, so as to meet you at the airport. In the event of missing you, please tell the taxi driver to get you to

Hotel Luma  
Orizaba número 16

Hoping to see you here by February 3rd,

Yours cordially

DCV/meh,

Daniel Cosío Villegas





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# CORREOGRAMA

Dependencia DIREC.GRAL. DEL SERV.  
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Expediente

México, D. F. a 10 de enero de 1963.

Sr. Lic. Noé Palomares,  
Oficial Mayor de la  
Secretaría de Gobernación,  
P r e s e n t e .

At'n: Sr. Lic. Alfonso Solórzano.  
Secretario Particular.

6115.- El Colegio de México, por medio de su  
Presidente, el C. Lic. Daniel Cosío Villegas, solicita  
lo siguiente :

"Agradecería a usted mucho se sirviera dispo-  
ner que se le den instrucciones cablegráficas  
a nuestra Embajada en Nueva Delhi, India, para  
que otorgue una visa oficial de cortesía, con  
vencimiento el 15 de julio de este año, en fa-  
vor del señor Profesor V.S. Pathak, quien vie-  
ne invitado a nuestro Colegio a dar, durante  
el primer semestre, un curso sobre Historia y  
Cultura de la India.- El señor Pathak es de  
nacionalidad india, pero, por desgracia, igno-  
ramos el dato del número de su pasaporte y no  
queda tiempo para obtenerlo, ya que el señor  
Pathak debe estar en México a fines de este mes  
de enero.- Anticipándole a usted mi gran reco-  
nocimiento, etc."

Conforme a lo que se ha acordado, agradeceré a  
usted considerar la posibilidad de autorizar la interna-  
ción de dicha persona en los términos que prevé el Artícu-  
lo 53 de la Ley Gral. de Población con Permiso de Cortesía  
válido por seis meses.

Reitero a usted las seguridades de mi atenta con-  
sideración.

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P. O. DEL SECRETARIO.  
El Director General.

Dr. Francisco Villagrán

C.c.p. Sr. Embajador Daniel Cosío Villegas, Presidente del  
Colegio de México.- NOTA: El No.de pasaporte del Sr.  
Pathak es el A-632696.

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Colegio de México  
Guajajuato # 125,  
México 7, D.F.



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nalidad hindú.

C. EMBAJADOR DE MEXICO.  
NUEVA DELHI, INDIA.

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Con apoyo en lo dispuesto por el artículo 53 de la Ley General de Población en vigor, se servirá -  
usted documentar con PERMISO DE CORTESIA, por SEIS MESES,  
al señor V.S. PATHAK, de nacionalidad hindú de origen, -  
para el exclusivo objeto de que venga a dictar durante -  
el primer semestre, un curso sobre Historia y Cultura de  
la India, en el Colegio de México, de esta capital.

Dicho extranjero presentará pasaporte en-  
regla y será advertido de que para hacer uso de este per-  
miso, cuenta con un plazo de SEIS MESES, a partir de la  
fecha de su salida.

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México, D.F., a 15 de enero de 1963.  
EL OFICIAL MAYOR.

LIC. NOE PALOMARES

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Mensaje Núm. ....

Destino *América del Sur, India* .....

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El Jefe de la Oficina,



22 de enero de 1963.

x Carta Nocturna.

V.S. Pathak  
India International Center  
40 Lodi Estate  
New Delhi 3 (India)

SENT VARANASI MEANS YOURSELF AND FAMILY ORDER AIR  
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COSIO VILLEGAS



# Banaras Hindu University

Varanasi-5 (India)

BY AIR MAIL

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR (ACADEMIC)

Ref. No R-Ac/MTG/5021

Date January 28, 1963.

Mr. Daniel Cosío Villegas,  
President,  
El Colegio De Maxico,  
Guanajuato 125,  
Maxico 7, D.F.

Sub:-Deputation of Dr. V.S.Pathak, Reader  
in Ancient Indian History Culture &  
Archaeology for delivering lectures.

Dear Sir,

I am giving below a copy of the Executive Council  
Resolution No. 311(1) dated 11th November, 1962, on the subject  
cited above for your information :-

## Resolution No. 311(1)

" Considered the following resolutions of the Standing  
Committee of the Academic Council :

- (1) Standing Committee of the Academic Council Resolution  
No. 165 dated 24.9.1962.

Considered letter dated 12th September, 1962 from Dr.  
V.S.Pathak, Reader in Ancient Indian History Culture and Arch.,  
B.H.U. requesting that he may be granted deputation leave  
from 15th January, 1963 to 30th April, 1963, to proceed to  
El Colegio De Maxico, from where he has received an invitation  
to deliver lectures on the Cultural History of India.

Resolved that it be recommended to the Executive Council  
that Dr. V.S.Pathak be granted deputation leave from 15th  
January, 1963 to 30th April, 1963, in order that he may proceed  
to El Colegio De Maxico, Maxico, for delivering lectures on the  
Cultural History of India.

Resolved that Dr. V.S.Pathak be granted Deputation leave  
as follows :-

- i) Deputation leave on full pay w.e.f. 15th January, 1963  
to 31st January, 1963 and thereafter;
- ii) Deputation leave without pay for the remaining period."

Yours faithfully,

*Daniel*

DY. REGISTRAR (ACAD)

skl.



BY AIR MAIL

28 January 1963

Mr. Daniel Coste Villegas,  
President,  
El Colegio De Mexico,  
Guanaajuato 125,  
Mexico D.F.

Subj:-Deputation of Dr. V.S. Patil, Reader  
in Ancient Indian History Culture &  
Archaeology for delivering lectures.

Dear Sir,

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I am giving below a copy of the Executive Council  
Resolution No. 311(I) dated 11th November, 1962, on the subject  
cited above for your information :-

Resolution No. 311(I)

Considered the following resolutions of the Standing  
Committee of the Academic Council:-

SENDER'S NAME AND ADDRESS:

REGISTRAR (ACADEMIC)

BANARAS HINDU UNIVERSITY

VARANASI-5 (India)

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Mr. Daniel Coste Villegas,  
President,  
El Colegio De Mexico,  
Guanaajuato 125,  
Mexico 7, D.F.

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INLAND LETTER

BY AIR MAIL



Despatcher,  
BANARAS HINDU UNIVERSITY  
VARANASI-5.

Yours faithfully,

← SECOND FOLD →

BY REGISTRAR (ACAD)



December 2, 1964

Dr. V.S. Pathak  
India International Center  
40 Lodi Estate  
New Delhi-3, India

Dear Sir:

El Colegio de México is preparing a document for the Rockefeller and Ford foundations in order to submit to them the renewal of the present program of assistance. This new project consists in a general long term plan of cooperation.

It would be very valuable for us in this respect, to have a letter from you containing your statements in regard to the following: 1. Impressions in regard to your own work at El Colegio; 2. Needs that you have perceived during your visit to our institutions; 3. Suggestions in regard to our programs and general work.

I to thank you in advance for your kind cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Luis González

Director del Centro de  
Estudios Históricos.




A QUIEN CORRESPONDA:

Me es muy grato informar que el Dr. V. S. Pathak, profesor del College of Indology de la Universidad Hindú de Benares, ha colaborado con nuestra Institución dictando un curso sobre la Historia Cultural de la India, durante el primer semestre de 1963, de febrero a junio.

La experiencia recogida de la estancia del Dr. Pathak ha sido altamente satisfactoria, y esperamos que ésta sirva de base para el futuro intercambio de profesores entre nuestros países.

Me complace presentarle las seguridades de mi más distinguida consideración.

  
Silvio Zavala  
Presidente

SZ/ehf



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Name MR. V.R. PATHAK Address BANARAS HINDU UNIVERSITY  
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