

# CURRICULUM VITAE: J. L. Brockington

M.A., D. Phil. (Oxford), F.R.S.E.

Emeritus Professor of Sanskrit, The University of Edinburgh

## Past appointments

Lecturer (1965–1982), Senior Lecturer (1982–1989), Reader (1989–1998) and Personal Chair (1998–2005), The University of Edinburgh

(also, Head of Department of Sanskrit, 1975–1998, Convener, Centre for South Asian Studies, 1989–93, Head of School of Asian Studies (1998–1999))

## Other recognition

Member of the editorial boards of *Indologica Taurinensia*, *Religions of South Asia*, *Journal of Hindu Studies* and the Routledge Hindu Studies Series; member of the International Editorial Advisory Board of the *Encyclopaedia of Hinduism* (Routledge, 2007)

Hon. Professorial Fellow, Centre for South Asian Studies, Edinburgh

Fellow and member of the Academic Advisory Council, Oxford Centre for Hindu Studies

International Member of the Organizing Committee for the 8th International Rāmāyaṇa Conference, Leuven, June 1991

Member of the Honorary Committee of the International Conference on Sanskrit and Related Studies, Kraków, September 1993

Founder member of the Executive Committee of the Dubrovnik International Conferences on the Sanskrit Epics and Purāṇas from 1994 to 2000

Member of the organising committee for the 16th Conference of European Modern South Asian Studies, held in Edinburgh in September 2000

Secretary General of the International Association of Sanskrit Studies (2000-2012) and Vice President of the IASS (2012– )

Election in March 2001 to a Fellowship of the Royal Society of Edinburgh

Visiting Professor, School of Graduate Studies, Kyoto University, Japan, October-December 2006

Honorary degree of Vidyāvācaspati (equivalent of D.Litt.) from Silpakorn University, Bangkok, June 2015

Interim Academic Director, Oxford Centre for Hindu Studies (Michaelmas term 2016 – Trinity term 2017)