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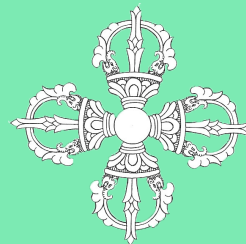


THE WAY OF THE BODHISATTVA

BODHISATTVACHARYA AVATARA

by SHANTIDEVA

Special Teaching and Commentary by
VENERABLE GESHE NGAWANG SONAM
5 Sessions—February 7 - 8 - 9, 2020



Venerable Geshe Ngawang Sonam

Session 1 - Friday at 7 PM to 9 PM
Session 2 - Saturday at 10 AM to Noon
Session 3 - Saturday at 2 PM to 4 PM
Session 4 - Sunday at 10 AM to Noon
Session 5 - Sunday at 2 PM to 4pm

Geshe Ngawang Sonam did his schooling at TCV School in Dharamsala, North India and went to become a monk at Sera Monastery. In 2008, he was selected through an examination conducted by the Office of His Holiness the Dalai Lama to become one of the translators for His Holiness the Dalai Lama. Since then, he has accompanied His Holiness to various places in India and many countries around the world.

Following his more than twenty years of intensive monastic study on the five major treatises of Buddhism, and upon clearing all the six successive years of examination, in Jan 2019, he was awarded the highest degree of Geshe Lharampa by Gelugpa University. Since 2016, he has been working in the Office of His Holiness the Dalai Lama.

Geshe Sonam's first book 'In the Footsteps of Siddhartha' was published in 2010. He has given teachings at different levels and attended national and international conferences as keynote speakers in his capacity as a modern Buddhist scholar. His English translation of Shantideva's work *Bodhisattvacharyaavata* will be taught by him at Drikung Dharma Surya. A Buddhist scholar with fluent English and modern values, Geshe Ngawang teaches informally, to make the traditional teachings more relatable to the modern audience.

Registration at the Door

\$20.00 per session
\$80.00 for all 5 sessions
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