****

**SUMMER-RETREAT ON SHRI VAJRAPANI BHUTADAMARA**

**2 - 9 AUGUST 2025**

**ON SITE at SAKYA TSECHEN LING F-67520 KUTTOLSHEIM**

**& ONLINE THROUGH ZOOM**

**Guided by Khenpo Tashi Sangpo Lag**

Dear Dharma friends,

The Sakya Tsechen Ling Institute is pleased to organise this Shri Vajrapani Bhutadamara summer retreat.

During this retreat we focus on the practice of Shri Vajrapani Bhutadamara. This year is a black year according to the Tibetan calendar, and Shri Vajrapani Bhutadamara is of great power in removing all obstacles, both individual and universal.

In the beginning of the daily fourth session there will be teachings on the sadhana.

**PARTICIPATION PREREQUISITES FOR TEACHINGS & MEDITATION SESSIONS:**

* Already having received the initiation of Shri Vajrapani Bhutadamara from a qualified Sakya master.
* OR participation in the initiation of Shri Vajrapani Bhutadamara conferred by Khenpo Tashi Sangpo at the beginning of the retreat on 2.8. at 16.00 o’clock to the participants in the temple (without streaming)

**TRANSLATIONS:**

Theteachings will be given in English and translated into French.

Translations in another language – Italian, German, and Dutch – will be arranged if we receive a min. number of requests per language by **15th July 2025.**

**PROGRAM OF THE RETREAT:**

**Saturday 2 August 2025**

16.00 – 18.00 Initiation of Shri Vajrapani Bhutadamara (no streaming, only for participants in the temple)

18.30 - 20.00 First meditation session on Shri Vajrapani Bhutadamara

**Sunday 3.8. - Friday 8.8.2025**

07.00 - 08.00 Meditation on Shri Vajrapani Bhutadamara

10.00 – 11.30 Meditation on Shri Vajrapani Bhutadamara

14.00 – 15.30 Meditation on Shri Vajrapani Bhutadamara

17.00 – 18.00 Teaching on the sadhana of Shri Vajrapani Bhutadamara

18.00 - 19.00 Meditation on Shri Vajrapani Bhutadamara & Mahakala ritual.

**Saturday 9 August 2025**

07.00 - 08.00 Meditation on Shri Vajrapani Bhutadamara & Long-life prayers for Their Holinesses

End of the retreat.

10.00 – 11.00 Tara Ritual (optional)

**CONTRIBUTION:**

Min. € 70.- for **online or on-site retreat** (not including food and accommodation).

For on-site retreat, and after pre-registering specifying your wishes for accommodation and meals, you will receive a specific email indicating your contribution to the costs.

You can make your payment in one of the ways described at <https://sakyatsechenling.eu/en/online-payment/> .

We thank you much in advance.

**REGISTRATION & PARTICIPATION LINK:**

In order to participate, we invite you to register by clicking [HERE FOR ON-SITE RETREAT](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfLKSEFfEex1cqa5cwLSAkt2QqR9NykS_7my7RahenTZCQLdA/viewform?usp=header) or [HERE FOR ONLINE RETREAT](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScOOs-8-jaKc5se3Fj-L4fBvV-wJhVCl-etgFDX1fD2eViqAQ/viewform?usp=header) **until 15th July at the latest**.

Those who wish to participate on-site are invited to register early as the number of places is limited.

Together with the receipt/confirmation of your registration you will receive further information and for online retreat the participation link.

With warm regards,

The office of Sakya Tsechen Ling.