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#### **PREFACE**

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In keeping with this objective, the Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan has decided to bring out two scholarly volumes on Sanskrit Studies in India and outside India. I have great pleasure to present this volume of SANSKRIT STUDIES OUTSIDE INDIA (Part I) to our esteemed readers. The book contains status reports on the Sanskrit Studies being undertaken in different countries outside India. This information would be very useful for researchers and all those who are interested in Sanskrit studies.

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