

Shakti Kumbh Annexure: Our Deeper Why

The Deeper Why from Co-convenor Nilima Bhat, Founder-Director [Shakti Leadership](#)

15 Aug 2022 marks Sri Aurobindo's 150th Birth centenary and 75 years of India's independence. Inspired Indians and followers of Sri Aurobindo are working together towards the fulfilment of the main ideals of this great Indian spiritual master and evolutionary pioneer.

We wish to take up the [Five Dreams of Sri Aurobindo](#)

- a. The Renaissance of India
- a. The Resurgence of Asia
- b. Innovative Models for World Unity
- c. India's Gift of Spiritual Values and Practices to Serve Humanity
- d. Evolving a Perfected Society through a New Consciousness

We wish to set up **Shakti Centres** that become **local hubs** for Consciousness-based Leadership practices, anchored in Indian and Asian wisdom

- Inspired by the setting up of Mathas across four corners of ancient India by Adi Shankaracharya, to revitalise Sanatan Dharma (Indic Knowledge System and Consciousness Practices) and train men to become spiritual adepts, we believe this is the time to set up centres to create highly trained and sensitised women changemakers across all critical domains of society, who embody and uphold original principles and universal spiritual values. Read '[Who is a Shakti Leader – The Ideal of Shakti Leadership](#)' and also '[The Genesis of Shakti Leadership](#)'.
- The following five locations proposed are aligned with the Four Great Powers of Shakti; **Calling Changemakers who are ready for or practicing the growth of their Spiritual Intelligence***.
 - North – **Wisdom**: Changemakers in Spirituality/Religion & Sciences, Education, Health
 - East – **Strength**: Changemakers in Environment, NGO sector
 - West – **Harmony**: Changemakers in Business, Finance, Economics
 - South – **Perfection**: Changemakers in Arts, Culture and Technology; and,
 - Centre – **Unity**: Changemakers in Politics and Governance

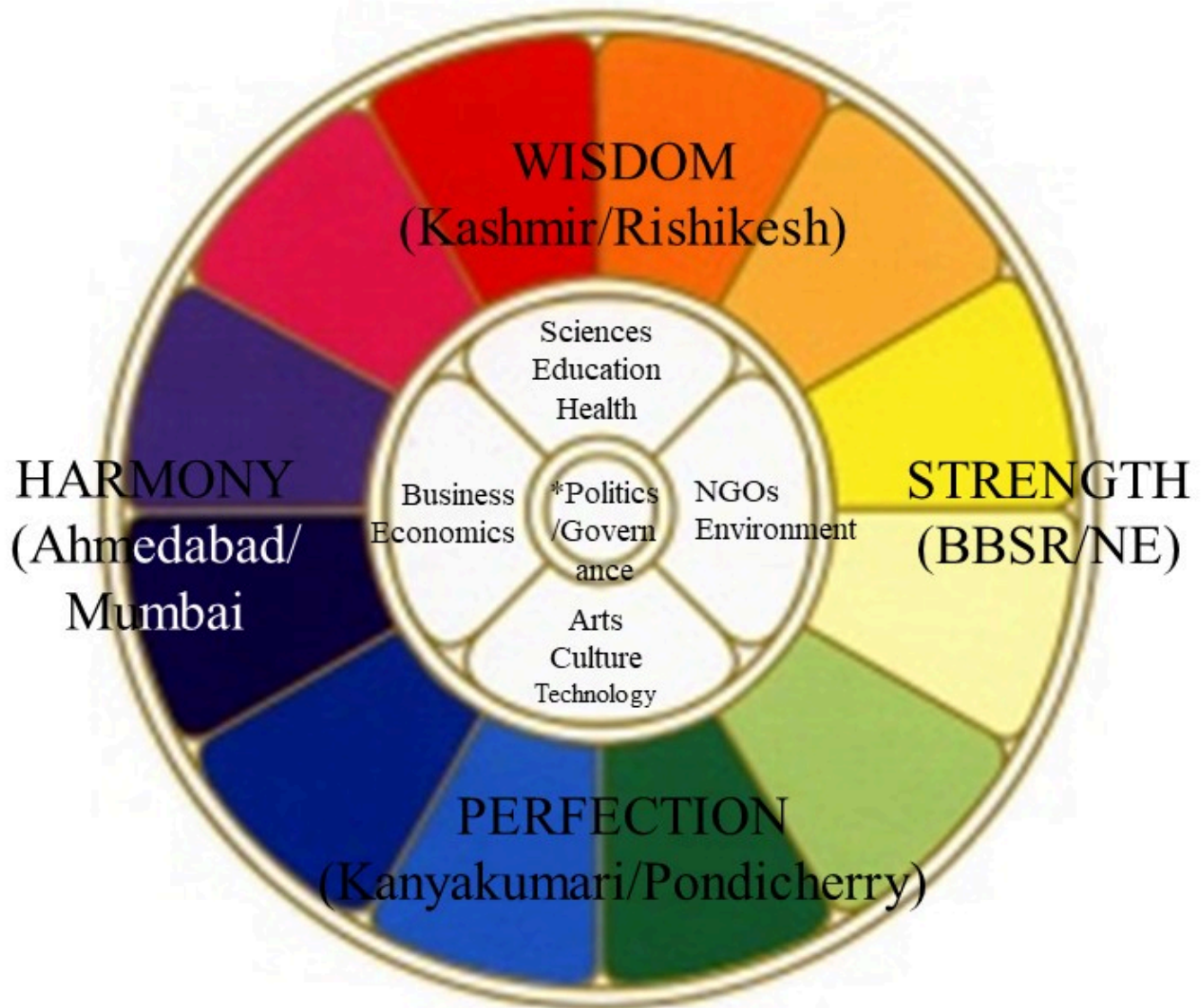
Cindy Wigglesworth defines **spiritual intelligence as "the ability to act with wisdom and compassion, while maintaining inner and outer peace, regardless of the circumstances."*

0. Additional reading/viewing

- a. [Shakti Centres & Flagship Fellowship Program Presentation](#) – Detailed Program Design
- b. [Impact Assessment Report of Shakti Fellowship 2019-20](#)
- c. Two 25min keynotes on the book's core content: The [model](#) and the [journey](#)

Shakti Centres across India

Creating Women Changemakers across key sectors, for Integrated National Development



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Who will

**Collaborate to create Peace, Prosperity and
Beauty through the exchange of multiple
forms of capital**