



National Seminar

India's National Security: Challenges and Options

Date: March 12-13, 2020, Venue: SLS PA Room (Second Floor)

PROGRAMME

DAY 1 : 12-03-2020		
Timings	Particulars	Guests/Speakers/Resource Persons
900-9.30 am	Registration	
9.45-10 am	Inauguration	Inaugural Address by Prof. Nigam Dave
10.10-10.45	Keynote Address	Dr. Ashok Behuria (Senior Fellow), IDSA Topic: Security as a Factor in India's Neighbourhood Policy
10.45-11.15	Special Lecture	Dr. Rajiv Nayan (Senior Research Associate, IDSA) Topic: National Security Narratives: Challenges and Scopes
11.15 – 11.45	TEA BREAK	
11.45-13.30	Session 1	Chair: Dr. Anshuman Behera Speakers 1. Dr. Sitakanta Mishra , Asst Professor, PDP <i>Secrecy as Security Strategy in India's Nuclear Governance</i> 2. Dr. Arun Vishwanathan , Associate Professor, CUG <i>Reorganisation of Higher Defence Management</i> 3. Dr. Prakash Paneerselvam , Assistant professor, NIAS <i>Assessing India's Maritime Security for Indo-Pacific Region</i> 4. Dr. Hippu Salke Kristle Nathan , Associate Prof, IRMA <i>India's Energy Security: Novel Assessments, Major Dilemmas, and Potential trade-offs</i> 5. Dr. Amit Mukharjee , Assistant Professor, NIAS <i>Use of GIS in Understanding National Security</i>
13.30-14.30	LUNCH BREAK	
14.30-16.00	Session 2	Chair: Hippu Salke Kristle Nathan Speakers 1. Dr. Anshuman Behera , Associate Professor, NIAS <i>Internal Security Concerns of India: Alternative Discourses</i> 2. Dr. Koieramba Singh , Asst Professor, Christ University <i>Security Threat by Organised Crime-Terror Nexus and Dumping in India and Myanmar: Case Study of Manipur</i> 3. Dr. Rasananda Panda , Professor, MICA, Dr. Prashant C. Panda , Associate Professor, PDP, <i>Economic Security of India</i> 4. Mr. M Rudra Narayan , Independent researcher, Hyderabad <i>National Security and the role of media in India</i>
End of Day One		

<i>DAY TWO (13-02-2020)</i>		
<i>10.00-10.30</i>	<i>Session One</i>	Chair: Dr. Sitakanta Mishra Speaker: Prof. Manish (Professor, CUG) <i>Emerging Threats of Terrorism to India</i>
<i>10.30-12.15</i>	<i>Session Two</i>	Chair: Dr. Nausheen Nizami Speakers <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bhawana Dugar <i>India's National Security: The Broader Picture</i> 2. Rahul Mehta Make in India in Defence Sector 3. Surbhi Sanghvi Higher Defence Management in India: Role and Responsibilities of CDS 4. Hitesh Kumar Meena Invisible Army in the Era of Information Warfare 5. Bhumika Sevkani Presence of Women Strategic Thinkers in India's National Security Discourse
<i>12.15-12.30</i>	TEA BREAK	
<i>12.30-01.30</i>	<i>Session Three</i>	Chair: Dr. Neeta Sinha Speakers <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Jai Desai India as a Responsible Nuclear Weapon State: Does 'No First Use' Posture Need Change? 2. Kartikeya Gupta Impetus to Internal Balancing, Imperative to National Security 3. Pujan Ajmera Role of Indian Navy in Controlling the Indian Ocean: Focus on Piracy and Maritime Terrorism 4. Deepika Davuluri Naxalism: Origin, Ideology, Strategy, Challenges, and Countermeasures 5. Sanket Sindhav India-Bangladesh Border Issues: Challenges & Preventive Measures
<i>01.30-02.00</i>	Concluding Remarks and Distribution of Certificates	
	<i>Lunch</i>	

Conveners: Dr Sitakanta Mishra (PDPU) & Dr Anshuman Behera (NIAS)