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3rd ACADEMIC WORKSHOP INDIA@75

제3차 학술 워크숍

August 27 – September 08, 2022

Organised by:

**Swami Vivekananda Cultural Centre
Embassy of India, Seoul**
in collaboration with
India Centre, Busan University of Foreign Studies

CONCEPT NOTE

As India's democracy turns 75 years old on August 15, 2022, it becomes crucial to introspect its journey of nation building and democratic consolidation in the last seven decades. Embassy of India, Seoul proposes to organise an Academic Workshop from August 27 – September 8, 2022 on India@75 commemorating its cultural diversity, progressive history, significant landmarks and achievements by its people in the last seven decades. The workshop will also highlight upon some of the emerging issues in India-Republic of Korea Partnership.

The 1st workshop on 'Facets of Modern India' was organised from September 1-14, 2020 by globally renowned experts from India to develop a rich and nuanced understanding of Modern India, the civilization, the state, in all its diverse manifestations amongst audiences abroad that always wanted to know more about India. All video lectures are available on the YouTube Channel of the Cultural Centre at URL:

https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLFFP_m79pR8nF6_hKHdBGLKD0H0vO_7CU

The 2nd edition of the Workshop was organised from September 1-14, 2021 by inviting top class, best and brightest minds from India and Republic of Korea for having a truly master class of ideas on issues of contemporary relevance for both countries. All video lectures are available at URL:

https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLFFP_m79pR8k2KyjibCeoW1Sw0a5LK3pV

Some themes identified for deliberations in the proposed Workshop are as below.

- 1) Transforming India: Achievements@75**
- 2) Strategic Autonomy and Geo-politics: Opportunities for India & ROK**
- 3) Global Media and Politics: Narratives from India and ROK**
- 4) Economic Diplomacy as a factor in India-ROK Ties**
- 5) Environmental, Social and Governance Landscape in India & ROK**
- 6) Smart Cities: Forging International Partnership between India & ROK**
- 7) Strategy for New India@75**

SCHEDULE

Sessions	Dates	Themes	Speaker
I	Aug 27, 2022 (Sat) 11:30 KST	INAUGURAL SESSION Transforming India: Achievements @75	Dr. Ram Madhav Member of Governing Body, India Foundation
II	Sept 01, 2022 (Thurs) 12:30 IST 16:00 KST	Strategic Autonomy and Geo-politics: Opportunities for India and ROK	Prof. Srikanth Kondapalli Dean, School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi
III	Sept 02, 2022 (Fri) 12:30 IST 16:00 KST	Global Media and Politics: Narratives from India and ROK	Prof. K. G. Suresh Vice-Chancellor, Makhanlal Chaturvedi National University of Journalism and Communication, Bhopal, India
IV	Sept 05, 2022 (Mon) 12:30 IST 16:00 KST	Economic Diplomacy as a factor in India-ROK Ties	Prof. Soon-cheol Lee Hony. Director, India Centre, BUFS & Professor of Economics, Dept. of Indian Studies, Busan University of Foreign Studies
V	Sept 06, 2022 (Tues) 12:30 IST 16:00 KST	Environmental, Social and Governance Landscape in India and ROK	Mr. Sachin Satpute President, Novelis Asia
VI	Sept 07, 2022 (Wed) 12:30 IST 16:00 KST	Smart Cities: Forging International Partnership between India & ROK	Dr. CHO Choongjae Deputy President, Center for Area Studies, Korea Institute for International Economic Policy (KIEP)
VII	Sept 08, 2022 (Thurs) 12:30 IST 16:00 KST	VALEDICTORY SESSION Strategy for New India@75	Dr. Sachchidanand Joshi Member Secretary, Indira Gandhi National Centre for Arts, New Delhi

INAUGURAL SESSION

August 27, 2022 (Sat)
11:30 KST

INAUGURAL LECTURE **TRANSFORMING INDIA: Achievements@75**



Speaker
Dr. Ram Madhav
Member of Governing Body,
India Foundation

Welcome Remarks
Prof. Jung Myungsook
Dean of Office of International Affairs
Busan University of Foreign Studies



Moderator
Prof. LEE Soon-cheul
Dept of Indian Studies
Busan University of Foreign Studies

Time KST	PROGRAMME
11:30-11:35 hrs	Introduction & Greetings by Prof. LEE Soon-cheul, Dept of Indian Studies, Busan University of Foreign Studies
11:35-11:40 hrs	Welcome Remarks by Prof. Jung Myungsook, Dean of Office of International Affairs, Busan University of Foreign Studies
11:40-12:00 hrs	Inaugural Address by Mr. Ram Madhav, Member of Governing Board, India Foundation
12:00-12:25 hrs	Open House Discussion with participants (Q&A) Moderated by Prof. LEE Soon-cheul, Dept of Indian Studies, Busan University of Foreign Studies
12:25-12:30 hrs	Vote of Thanks by Mr. Toms Ban, Representative of Business Supporters and CEO, YM Logistics Co., LTD

Profile of Speaker INAUGURAL SESSION

Shri Ram Madhav

Dr. Ram Madhav is an Indian politician, author and thinker. Besides discharging his responsibilities as a political leader, Dr Madhav is a Founding Member of the Governing Council of India Foundation (IF). In over a decade of India Foundation's existence, Dr Madhav has been the curator of major global and national multilateral initiatives like Indian Ocean Conference and Counterterrorism Conference involving heads of nations and leaders of governments besides academics, scholars and public spirited individuals.

A renowned author and thinker, Dr Madhav has over 200 publications to his credit and a Doctorate in Philosophy from Nalanda University. He has authored several books in English and Telugu. Some of his most recent works include "Partitioned Freedom"; "The Hindutva Paradigm – Integral Humanism and the Quest for a Non-Western Worldview"; "Because India Comes First: Reflections on Nationalism, Identity and Culture" and "Uneasy Neighbours: India and China after 50 years of the war". He is a regular contributor to platforms like The Indian Express, The Hindustan Times and OPEN Magazine amongst others. He had been the editor of Bharatiya Pragna, a monthly magazine in English published by Pragna Bharati, and associate editor of Jagriti, a Telugu weekly.

Widely regarded for his contributions in the field of strategic thinking, political philosophy and India's foreign policy, Dr Madhav has travelled widely and addressed forums like the Shangri-La Dialogue in Singapore, Raisina Dialogue in India, Halifax Security Forum in Canada, Sochi Eurasian Integration Forum in Russia, BRICS Political Forum in China, and the World Peace Conference in Thailand.

SESSION 2

September 1, 2021 (Thursday)

12:30 IST | 16:00 KST

Strategic Autonomy and Geo-politics: Opportunities for India & Republic of Korea



Speaker

Prof. Srikanth Kondapalli

Dean, School of International Studies,
Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi



Welcome Remarks

Mr. Surinder Bhagat

The Chargé d' Affaires
Embassy of India, Seoul



Moderator

Dr. Sonu Trivedi

Director, SVCC, Seoul

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12:30 IST 16:00 KST	Greetings and Introduction	Dr. Sonu Trivedi, Director SVCC, Seoul
12:35 IST 16:05 KST	Welcome Address	Mr. Surinder Bhagat, The Chargé d' Affaires, Embassy of India, Seoul
12:40 IST 16:10 KST	Special Address	Prof. Srikanth Kondapalli Dean, School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi
13:10 IST 16:40 KST	Open House Discussion	Interaction and Q & A with LIVE participants
13:30 IST 17:00 KST	Concluding Remarks	Dr. Sonu Trivedi, Director SVCC, Seoul

Profile of Speakers SESSION-2

Dr. Srikanth Kondapalli

Dr. Srikanth Kondapalli is Dean and Professor in Chinese Studies at School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University. He is also an Honorary Fellow at Institute of Chinese Studies, Delhi and Research Associate at Centre for Chinese Studies, University of Stellenbosch, South Africa. He served at Institute for Defence Studies & Analyses, New Delhi for nearly 12 years. He is educated in Chinese studies in India and China with a specialisation in Modern Chinese History in Master of Arts at Osmania University at Hyderabad, Master of Philosophy and Doctor of Philosophy in 1989 and 1995 respectively in Chinese Studies Division of School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi. He learnt Chinese language at Beijing Language & Culture University and was a post-Doctoral Visiting Fellow at People's University, Beijing from 1996-98. He was a Visiting Professor at National Chengchi University, Taipei in 2004. He has published books, monographs and articles in national and international journals and newspapers. He has also presented several research papers at national and international conferences in India and abroad and lectured at Indian academic, defence, and media establishments. He is a guest faculty member at College of Naval Warfare, Army War College, Indo-Tibetan Border Police Academy and Border Security Force Academy.

Mr. Surinder Bhagat

Mr. Surinder Bhagat is a career diplomat who joined the Indian Foreign Service in 2007, after obtaining his Bachelor Degree in Engineering (hons) from BITS Pilani in Rajasthan. Mr. Bhagat has held various positions in New Delhi and abroad. During his overseas assignment, he had served as Counsellor (Political and Commerce) in Embassy of India, Doha. He has also served as First Secretary in the Embassy of India, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia and as Third Secretary in the Embassy of India, Cairo, Egypt. At headquarters, he had served as Deputy Secretary in the Pakistan, Afghanistan and Iran (PAI) Division and as Under Secretary in the West Asia and North Africa (WANA) Division in the Ministry of External Affairs. Mr. Bhagat speaks Dogri, Hindi, Punjabi and English and has also functional knowledge of Arabic and Urdu. He is interested in issues relating to foreign policy. His other interests include golf, reading, hiking and swimming.

Dr. Sonu Trivedi

Dr. Sonu Trivedi is Director, Swami Vivekananda Cultural Centre, Embassy of India, Seoul. She joined as Assistant Professor, Zakir Husain Delhi College, University of Delhi in 2006. Before moving to the diplomatic assignment at Seoul, she was a Fellow at Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, New Delhi. She was also a Visiting Fellow at Institute of Asia Pacific Studies, CASS, Beijing (2011), member of Myanmar Core Group at ICWA (2014) and a Visiting faculty at IIM, Indore (2015-16). She was also the Convenor, Southeast Asia Research Group at Department of Political Science, University of Delhi and Founder Director, Centre for Vietnam Studies, New Delhi. She has published books and research papers and contributed several articles in newspapers & magazines.

SESSION 3

September 2, 2021 (Friday)

12:30 IST | 16:00 KST

Global Media and Politics: Narratives from India and Republic of Korea



Speaker

Prof. K. G. Suresh

Vice-Chancellor, Makhanlal Chaturvedi National
University of Journalism and Communication,
Bhopal, India

Profile of Speaker SESSION-3

Prof. K G Suresh

Prof. K G Suresh is a Senior Journalist, Columnist, Educationist, Socio Political Commentator & Communication Strategist. He is currently serving as Vice Chancellor, Makhanlal Chaturvedi National University of Journalism & Communication, Bhopal, Asia's first and India's oldest and largest media university. Earlier, he has served as Director General, Indian Institute of Mass Communication – India's premier media training institution; Senior Consulting Editor with Doordarshan News, India's public news broadcaster; Founder Dean, School of Modern Media, University of Petroleum & Energy Studies, Dehradun; Editorial Consultant with Asianet News Network; Chief Political Correspondent with Press Trust of India and Group Media Advisor to Dalmia Bharat Enterprises Ltd. He is a recipient of the prestigious Ganesh Shankar Vidyarthi Award for outstanding contribution to Journalism by the Kendriya Hindi Sansthan, Ministry of Education, Government of India. He was earlier designated Commonwealth Youth Ambassador for Peace by Commonwealth Youth Programme, Asia. He is also the Founder President of the Global Media Education Council, the only India driven international academic platform and has been a member of various national and international bodies. A TEDx Speaker & Henry Stewart Talks faculty, Prof Suresh had successfully completed an Experiential Course in Public Health Communication from the University of Oxford, United Kingdom. A media educator since his early days, Prof Suresh has served as Visiting Professor at various institutions in India and abroad and has extensively travelled across India and the world.

SESSION 4

September 5, 2021 (Monday)

12:30 IST | 16:00 KST

Economic Diplomacy as a factor in India-Republic of Korea Ties



Speaker

Prof. Soon-cheol Lee

Hony. Director, India Centre, BUFS & Professor of
Economics, Dept. of Indian Studies, Busan
University of Foreign Studies

Profile of Speaker SESSION-3

Prof. LEE Soon-Cheul

Prof. LEE Soon-Cheul is currently a Professor at the Department of Indian Studies and Dean of Career Development in Busan University for Foreign Studies. He is also serving as Director of Institute for International Business in the University since 2009. He has served as a Research Fellow at Korea Institute for International Economic Policy (KIEP) from 2005-2009. Prof. Lee joined as a Korean delegate for Korea-India Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement. He has written extensively in the areas of Indian economic policy, foreign investment, FTA, trade. He has a doctoral degree from University of Oklahoma (2002). Prof. Lee is also the founder Director of India Centre at Busan University for Foreign Studies.

SESSION 5

September 6, 2021 (Tuesday)

12:30 IST | 16:00 KST

Environmental, Social and Governance Landscape in India and Republic of Korea



Speaker

Mr. Sachin Satpute

President, Novelis Asia

Profile of Speaker SESSION-3

Mr. Sachin Satpute

Mr. Sachin Satpute who is President of Novelis Asia, which is the leading producer of flat-rolled aluminium products and the world's largest recycler of Aluminium. Since June 2016, in this role, he is responsible for leading the overall business strategy of Novelis' Asia-Pacific. He also has oversight responsibilities with Ulsan Aluminum, a joint venture between Novelis Korea and Kobe Steel, Japan. Prior to being named to this position, Mr. Satpute has served as Chief Marketing Officer, Hindalco Industries Limited. Before that, he held roles of increasing responsibility within Novelis, including Director of Business Development & Strategy for Novelis Asia; Vice President of Sales, Marketing & Technical Services for Novelis Asia; and Managing Director of Aluminium Company of Malaysia Berhad (ALCOM). Mr. Satpute has nearly 30 years of experience in the aluminium industry, having started his career at INDAL, which was a subsidiary of ALCAN, Canada. He has a rich educational experience which includes a degree in mechanical engineering from Pune University and MBA in Marketing from Mumbai University. He is a graduate of Novelis' Inaugural Global Leadership Programme and was named an Aditya Birla Fellow.

SESSION 6

September 7, 2021 (Wednesday)

12:30 IST | 16:00 KST

Smart Cities: Forging International Partnership between India and Republic of Korea



Speaker

Dr. CHO Choongjae

Deputy President, Center for Area Studies,
Korea Institute for International Economic Policy
(KIEP)

**Profile of Speaker
SESSION-3**

Dr. Cho Choongjae

Dr. Cho Choongjae is the Deputy President and was the Director of the Research Planning & Coordination Department at Korea Institute for International Economic Policy. He is currently in charge of the Center for Area Studies at KIEP. He is also the Vice President for the Korean Association of Indian Social Science Research and a board member of the Institute of Indian Studies Korea. He is an advisor of the Presidential Committee on New Southern Policy on India and the Parliamentary Diplomacy Forum on South Asia. Also, he is a regional expert on India at the National Assembly Futures Institute in Korea.

VALEDICTORY SESSION

September 8, 2021 (Thursday)

12:30 IST | 16:00 KST

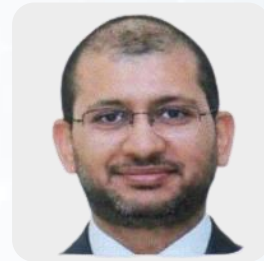
STRATEGY FOR NEW INDIA@75



Speaker

Dr. Sachchidanand Joshi

Member Secretary, Indira Gandhi
National Centre for Arts, New Delhi



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Profile of Speaker VALEDICTORY SESSION

Dr. Sachchidanand Joshi

Dr. Sachchidanand Joshi, Member Secretary, the Executive and Academic Head of Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts (IGNCA), New Delhi, is a Scholar of History and Mass Communication, a Writer, a Poet and an Actor. He was the Founder Vice Chancellor of the Kushabhau Thakre University of Journalism and Mass Communication, Raipur. He served as Vice Chancellor for two terms (10 years). He was also the Founder Registrar of Makhanlal Chaturvedi National University of Journalism and Communication, Bhopal. He served as Dean (Academics) in the Makhanlal Chaturvedi National University of Journalism and Communication, Bhopal too. He has written extensively on Media, Communication, History, Culture, Education, Policy, and other relevant issues. He has been delivering lectures on Communication, Gender Sensitization, Research for Resurgence, Personality Development, Art and Culture in prestigious institutions. He has edited the Speeches of Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi, for Publication Division. He edited many other prestigious publications. He has been writing extensively. Some of his recent published works include "Sachchidanand Joshi ki Lokpriya Kahaniya" (2017); "Kuchh Alpa Viraam" (2018), "Pal Bhar ki Pahchan" (2019) two poetry collections. His speeches have been compiled in two volumes titled "Mera Desh Mera Dharm".

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