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### SIS-CLAWS Summer School 2025 Edition

## India and the Future of Global Security Architecture

#### *What is the Summer School about?*

Welcome to the Summer School 2025 on "**India and the Future of Global Security Architecture**," organised by the School of International Studies, JNU, and the Centre for Land Warfare Studies (CLAWS), New Delhi. The summer school will examine India's foreign policy, its role in bilateral and multilateral institutions, and its involvement in the regional and global security architecture.

#### *What to expect?*

For attendees, it will be an enriching experience that will highlight India's place in the global security architecture. It aims to equip participants with the analytical tools necessary to comprehend the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead for India by delving into the nuances of its role as a key player in the global security arena.

#### *Who can participate?*

Young researchers, academics, postgraduate students, civil servants, NGO employees, and military practitioners will engage with leading experts. This engagement will enable them to foster a deeper understanding of how India can navigate the complexities of global relations while enhancing its influence.

#### *How and When to Apply?*

**Dates:** 07-11 July 2025

**Venue:** Chanakya Hall, CLAWS, RPSO Complex, Army Parade Ground, Delhi Cantonment

**Registration:** Through the link <https://forms.office.com/r/gX2Nk2qKk8>

**Payments:** Rs 3000 for physical participants and Rs 2000 for online participants.

**Mode of Payment:** Via the UPI code of CLAWS in the registration link and payment details emailed to [clawsphd@gmail.com](mailto:clawsphd@gmail.com)

Offline participation is limited to 40 attendees, on a first-come, first-served basis. Certificates will be provided to all registered attendees.

**Deadline for Registration:** **OPEN**

#### **Convenors:**

Dr Aprajita Kashyap, SIS, JNU

Brigadier Jai Singh Yadav (Retd), CLAWS

## PROGRAMME

**Inaugural Session: 07 July 2025, 9.30-10.00 am**

**Introductory Remarks:** Dr Aprajita Kashyap, SIS, JNU, (Co-Convenor Summer School)

**Keynote Speaker** : Prof Amitabh Mattoo, Dean, SIS, JNU

	<b>Monday 07 July 2025</b>	<b>Tuesday 08 July 2025</b>	<b>Wednesday 09 July 2025</b>	<b>Thursday 10 July 2025</b>	<b>Friday 11 July 2025</b>
<b>Focus Area</b> ⇒	<b>India's Economic Security in the Global Security Architecture</b>	<b>India-Europe Dynamics in the Global Security Architecture</b>	<b>The Indo-Pacific and the Global Security Architecture</b>	<b>India-Russia Partnership in Global Security Reconfiguration</b>	<b>India and Africa in the Changing Security Landscape</b>
<b>10:00-11:00 am</b>  <b>Academia</b>	Prof Amit Shovon Ray, Centre for the Study of the World Economy SIS, JNU  “The Importance of Economic Security in the Global Security Architecture”	Maj Gen Ravi Murugan, PVSM, AVSM (Retd)  “Partners in Force: India and Europe in the New Age of Military Cooperation”	Dr Rahul Mishra, Associate Professor, Centre for Indo-Pacific Studies, SIS, JNU  “Role of Minilaterals in the Indo-Pacific Security Architecture”	Prof Sanjay Pandey, Centre for Russian and Central Asian Studies, SIS, JNU  “India-Russia Relations and the Emerging Global Security Architecture”	Prof Ajay Dubey, Centre for African Studies, SIS, JNU  “India-Africa in the Larger Global and Regional Security Architecture”
<b>11:00-11:15 am</b>	<b>Tea Break</b>				
<b>11:15 am-12:15 pm</b>  <b>Practitioner</b>	Shri Subhash Chandra Garg, IAS (Retd), Former Finance Secretary, GOI  “Building Economic Security for India amidst Global Trade, Currency and Investment Turmoil”	Ambassador Ashok Sajjanhar, IFS (Retd), Pres., Institute of Global Studies  “The Evolving Imperatives of India-EU Partnership”	Ambassador Sanjay Kumar Verma, IFS, Chairperson, RIS  “Navigating the Indo-Pacific: India's Vision, Partnerships and Strategic Outlook”	Ambassador Pankaj Saran, IFS (Retd), Member, National Security Advisory Board & Convenor NatStrat  “A Long-term View of India-Russia Strategic Relations”	Ambassador Virendra Gupta, IFS (Retd), Expert Fellow, FIIDS  “India-Africa Security Partnership in a Multipolar World”
<b>12:15-01:15 pm</b>  <b>Military Officers</b>	Lt Gen Samir Gupta, PVSM, VSM (Retd)  “Key Challenges to India's Economic Security: A Military Perspective”	Prof Ummu Salma Bava, Chairperson, Centre for European Studies, SIS, JNU  “The Evolving India-EU Security Partnership: Navigating a Shifting Geopolitical Order”	Vice Adm AB Singh, PVSM, AVSM, VSM (Retd)  “Understanding the Key Maritime and Security Challenges of Indo-Pacific”	Maj Gen Deepak Mehra, KC, AVSM, VSM (Retd)  “Evolution of Russian Armed Forces Post-1991 and the Potential for India-Russia Defence Cooperation”	Maj Gen Harsha Kakar (Retd)  “India and Africa: Military Ties from Decades”

**Valedictory Session: 01:15- 01:30 pm, 11 July 2025**

**Valedictory Address:** Lt Gen Dushyant Singh, PVSM, AVSM (Retd), DG CLAWS

**Concluding Remarks:** Dr Aprajita Kashyap, SIS, JNU (Co-Convenor Summer School)