





III India-EU Forum on Effective Multilateralism 2011

27-28 September 2011

Indian Council of World Affairs, Sapru House, New Delhi

PROGRAMME

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Tuesday, 27 September 2011

5:00 pm-5.30 pm **Registration**

5.30 pm-6.00 pm **Welcome remarks**

Ambassador Sudhir T. Devare, Director General, Indian Council of World Affairs (ICWA), New Delhi.

Dr. Luis Peral, Senior Research Fellow, European Union Institute of

Security Studies, Paris

Mr. Beata Górka-Winter, Security Programme, Coordinator, Polish Institute of International Affairs (PISM), Warsaw

Ambassador Danièle Smadja, Ambassador of the European Union to

India

6.00 pm-6.30 pm Keynote address

6.30 pm-8.00 pm Panel and debate: The EU-India Strategic Partnership -

Challenges and prospects

Moderator Ambassador A. N. Ram, Former Secretary (ER) and Ambassador of

India to the European Union

Panelists Dr. Sheel Kant Sharma, Former SAARC Secretary General

Dr. Richard Youngs, Director General, FRIDE, Madrid

Prof. Radha Kumar, Director, Peace & Conflict Program, Delhi Policy

Group, New Delhi

Dr. Tanguy Struye de Swielande, University of Louvain La-Neuve, the

University of Mons and the Royal Military School, Belgium

8.00 pm **Dinner**

Wednesday, 28 September 2011

9.00 am-9.30 am Registration continues

9:30 am-11:00 am Session 1 – Indian-EU experiences in democracy and

diversity

Moderator Dr. Nicola Casarini, Research Fellow, European Union Institute

of Security Studies, Paris

Panelists Ambassador Bhaskar Balakrishnan,

Mr. M. R. Madhavan, PRS Legislative Research,

New Delhi

Dr. Luis Peral, Senior Research Fellow, European Union

Institute of Security Studies, Paris

Dr. Peter Burgess, CORE Co-ordinator, PRIO, Oslo

11:00 am – 11:30 am **Tea**

11:30 am – 1:00 pm Session 2 - India-EU co-operation in the Indian Ocean and

Afghanistan - Central Asia

Moderator Mr. Patryk Kugiel, Analyst, Polish Institute of International

Affairs (PISM), Warsaw

Panelists Dr. Vijay Sakhuja, Research Director, ICWA, New Delhi

Dr. Eva Gross, Senior Research Fellow, Institute for European

Studies. Brussels

Dr. Arpita Basu Roy, Fellow, Maulana Abul Kalam Azad

Institute of Asian Studies (MAKAIS), Kolkata

Mr. Thomas Roe, Senior Advisor, Asia/Pacific Department,

European External Action Service (EEAS), Brussels

1:00 pm – 2:00 pm **Lunch**

2:00 pm – 3:30pm Session 3 - India-EU economic co-operation: bilateral and

global agendas

Moderator Dr. Anwarul Hoda, Chair Professor - Trade Policy and WTO

Research Programme, ICRIER, New Delhi

Panelists Prof. Gulshan Sachdev, JNU, New Delhi

Dr. Debashis Chakraborty, Indian Institute of Foreign Trade

(IIFT), New Delhi

Dr. Gareth Price, Chatham House, London

Dr. Jean-Joseph Boillot, Economic advisor, Centre for International Forecasting and Information, Paris

3:30 pm – 4:00 pm **Tea**

4:00 pm – 5:30 pm Session 4 - Enhancing India-EU co-operation in critical

areas of non-traditional security issues

Moderator Prof. Rajendra K. Jain, Jean Monnet Chair, JNU, New Delhi

Panelists Dr. Sunjoy Joshi, Director, ORF, New Delhi

Dr. Uttam Sinha, Research Fellow, IDSA, New, Delhi

Dr. Jean-Luc Racine, Centre d'Etudes de l'Inde et de l'Asie du

Sud, CRNS, Paris

Dr. Andrzej Ananicz, Ambassador of Poland to Pakistan; former Director, Diplomatic Academy, Polish Institute of

International Affairs (PISM), Warsaw

5:30 pm – 6:00 pm **Concluding Remarks**

Mr. Pawel Milewski, Vice Director, Department of Asia and Pacific Region, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Poland

Ambassador Sudhir T. Devare, Indian Council of World Affairs (ICWA), New Delhi

Dr. Luis Peral, Senior Research Fellow, European Union Institute of Security Studies, Paris