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## **EVENT REPORTS**

## 36- Hour Online Certificate Course on Fundamentals of International Politics



Centre for Research in Social Sciences and Education (CeRSSE), JAIN (Deemed-to-be University has successfully conducted the third edition of the short-term Certificate Course, titled Fundamentals of International Politics between 1st September and 13th September, 2023. The course designed by the centre, has garnered attention from different students, scholars and professionals across the world. The third edition has implemented the feedback that it has received from the previous editions and has successfully ended with more than 50 participants in its 3rd edition of the certificate course.

The participants, hailing from various academic backgrounds had 51 students, 5 faculty members, 1 research scholar and 1 professional who were shortlisted out of 82 registrations. The participants hailed from various institutions across the country like Sonada Degree College, Darjeeling, Mount Carmel college, Bengaluru, St. Joseph's University, SRM University, Lady Shri Ram College, Ramaiah College of Applied Sciences, JSS Banashankari Arts Commerce and SK Gubbi Science College, Kumaraguru College of Liberal Arts, Science and from JAIN. The participants were from various disciplinary backgrounds like Mass Communications and Journalism, Economics, Political Science, Law, psychology, Commerce, Public policy, and others. Among them, around 50 participants have been found eligible for certification through the attendance criteria of attending a minimum of 70 % of the live sessions along with successful Submission of all the assignments which included three Google forms which included questions based on relevant

topics discussed during the course. A small-scale learning management system (LMS) was curated by using Google Drive to allow easy access to the resource materials and recordings.

The course included a total number of 14 sessions including the introductory remark by Mr. Ashok Malik and Ambassador (Dr.) Deepak Vohra preceding the certificate distribution course. The entire course included different resource persons from across the country including Professors from JNU, South Asian University, Pondicherry University, National Institute of Advanced Studies, St. Joseph's University, NSLIU, RV University, CHRIST, GITAM, and of course, JAIN. These sessions included various themes including different theoretical perspectives on international relations, human rights, globalisation, third-world politics, area studies including Asian IR, gender, migration, and Indian foreign policy.

The feedback received from all the participants has been positive with an overwhelming 96 per cent of them finding the course beneficial. Based on the feedback, the course was overwhelmingly lauded for its well-crafted design and well-mannered conduct. While all the resource persons were highly rated by the participants, the LMS created for the course was appreciated for its well-structured and timely dissemination. The participants sought more courses from the Centre in future and have been vocal about including new areas such as regional politics such as West Asian politics, Latin American politics and so on. The course has become one of the major steps in

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introducing interdisciplinarity in higher education.

The course ended successfully with the online certificate distribution ceremony held on 30th September 2023. The centre had the honour to host Ambassador Dr. Deepak Vohra to preside over the ceremony. He addressed the participants with great enthusiasm highlighting the global megatrends and India's

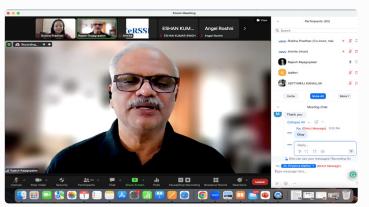
rising status in the world. He responded to multiple questions raised by the participants during the session as well as shared some of his experience as a diplomat. The event ended by announcing the names of the participants who were eligible for certification. Below are the names of the participants who were certified.

Name	Designation	Institution
Aditya Raj Kanaujia	Student	Sonada College, Darjeeling
Adlin Pertishya J	Student	MCom, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Angel Roshni	Student	CeRSSE, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Ankur Baruah	Student	CeRSSE, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Anubhav Ghosh	Student	CMS, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Anusha P R	Student	Psychology, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Anushreya Megha Shyam	Student	JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Aseema Dhola	Student	CMS, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Ashika Rai	Student	Sonada College, Darjeeling
Ashvini Ghtikar	Student	Ramaiah College of Applied Sciences
Dr. Bhargavi D Hemmige	Professor	CMS, JAIN
Bukya Bavitha	Student	CeRSSE, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Dr Poulami Paul	Assistant Professor	Mount Carmel College
Harsh Philip Satish	Student	JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Harshita Singh	Student	JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Imtinaro Jamir	Student	CeRSSE, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
K Sai Akshay	Student	JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Kamakshi P	Student	Ramaiah College of Applied Sciences
Kanchan mn	Student	CeRSSE, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Kashmira Paul	Student	CMS, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Kaustubha S	Student	CMS, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
krutika s byahatti	Student	CMS, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
M N Mansi Kaveramma	Student	CMR School of Legal Studies
Mary Diana Kurbah	Student	CeRSSE, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Mayureena Sarmah	Student	Mount Carmel College
Najuma Naurin	Student	CeRSSE, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Nandini Vinod	Student	St. Joseph's University (ex), University of Bath
Nimna Aysha	Student	CeRSSE, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Poojari Ram Nagesh	Student	Ramaiah College of Applied Sciences
Prasurjya Pratim Kashyap	Student	CeRSSE, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Prateek Sah	Student	CMS, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Purnima Vivek	Student	CMS, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Raseen Mohsina Shah	Student	Mount Carmel College
Rittik Kashyap	Student	CeRSSE, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Riya Ahuja	Student	CMS, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Rizwana K R	Student	CMS, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
S B Thanigaivelan	Student	SRM University
Sameera M	Student	Ramaiah College of Applied Sciences
Samir Gautam	Student	CMS, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)

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Sanchana S Pardikar	Student	Ramaiah College of Applied Sciences
Sanju Xavier	Faculty	CMS, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Shivani Manoj	Student	Economics, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Shreya Topno	Student	CeRSSE, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Silla Sadhvi	Student	CMS, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Smitha G L	Faculty	Sivananda Sarma Memorial RV College
Sowmyashree Guruprasaad	Student	CeRSSE, JAIN (Deemed-to-be University)
Sri Basalingappa Y Aravalad	Faculty	JSS Banashankari Arts Commerce & SK Gubbi Science College
Trishala I. S	Student	Student
Vidushi Sinha	Student	Lady Shri Ram College
Vishnygayathre S	Student	Kumaraguru College of Liberal Arts and Science

## **PHOTOGRAPHS**



Session 1(b) with Prof. Rajesh Rajagopalan as the resource person



Session 2(a) with Dr. Sanchi Rai as the resource person



Session 2(b) with Dr. Shreejita Biswas as the resource person



Session 3 with Dr. Debangana Chatterjee as the resource person



Session 4 with Dr. Nanda Kishore as the resource person

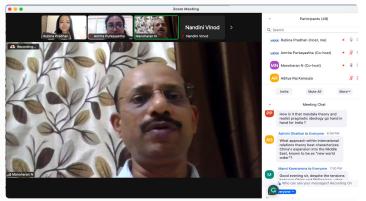


Session 5 with Prof. Jayati Srivastava as the resource person

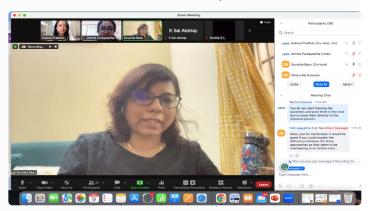
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Session 6 with Dr. Suba Chandran as the resource person



Session 7 with Dr. Manoharan N. as the resource person



Session 8(a) with Dr. Soumita Basu as the resource person



Session 8(b) with Prof. M. J. Vinod as the resource person





Session 9 with Dr. Rubina Pradhan as the resource person



Session 10 with Dr. Tejal Khanna as the resource person



Session 11 with Prof. Shibashish Chatterjee



Amb. (Dr.) Deepak Vohra presiding over the online certificate distribution ceremony



Participants during the certificate distribution ceremony