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Commentaries

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1	2 Nov	'Tagging' the Major Powers: US National Security Strategy	Kartikeya Pandey	2365
2	3 Nov	The China-Xinjiang-Central Asia Triangle: A Relationship beyond Economics and Religion	Tejusvi Shukla	2537
3	7 Nov	Presidential elections in Brazil: Is Pink Tide Engulfing Latin America Again?	Amb JK Tripathi	2047
4	9 Nov	Pakistani PM Shehbaz Sharif's Visit to Beijing and CPEC	Amb D P Srivastava	1751
5	14 Nov	India's Preparedness in the Digital Milieu	The Cyber Task Force, VIF	1506
6	21 Nov	Security Challenges along Indo-Nepal Border Regions	Prof Hari Bansh Jha	1553
7	28 Nov	नेपाली चुनाव: लोकतंत्र का लंगड़ा नृत्य	Amb JK Tripathi	923
8	30 Nov	Pakistan: The Appointment of the New COAS and the End of the Long March	Amb D P Srivastava	919

Articles

No	Pub. Date	Title	Author	Views on website*
1	1 Nov	India-ASEAN Relations: Growing Convergence	Prof Debasis Bhattacharya	2820
2	4 Nov	COP 27: High Stakes, Low Expectations	PK Khup Hangzo & Heena Samant	2627
3	10 Nov	Assessment of China's 20th Party Congress	Jayadeva Ranade	2069
4	11 Nov	Assessing Vietnam Communist Party Chief Trong's Visit to China	Prof Rajaram Panda	1903
5	14 Nov	Border Management in India: Methods, Challenges and Opportunities	Maj Gen (Dr) Ashok Kumar	1664
6	15 Nov	Understanding the Apex Court Judgment on EWS Reservations	Rajesh Singh	1787
7	15 Nov	PLA after 20th Party Congress: "Combat Readiness to Fight and Win Wars"	Lt Gen (Dr) Rakesh Sharma	1933
8	16 Nov	CPC's 20th Congress: End of an Era, the Dawn of Another	Raj Gupta	2191
9	17 Nov	The Significance of Exercise Malabar 2022	Prof Rajaram Panda	2093
10	19 Nov	India-UAE Set to boost ties and Strengthen Strategic Partnership	Col Rajeev Agarwal	1937
11	22 Nov	Supreme Court's Observations on Forced Conversions	Rajesh Singh	1595
12	23 Nov	Ukraine War: When will it End?	Amb K P Fabian	1815
13	29 Nov	Welfare Schemes for Girl Child: Need for Convergence between the Centre and the States	Dr Govinda Bhattacharjee	937
14	29 Nov	Pakistan: Appointment of New Army Chief	Rana Banerji	1162
15	30 Nov	India and the South Caucasus	Amb Achal Malhotra	1273

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1	4 Nov	Security Vision 2047: A Hundred Years since Independence	Air Marshal Diptendu Choudhury (Retd)	665/296
2	17 Nov	Ban on Popular Front of India - A Long Overdue Step	Abhinav Pandya	419/107
3	21 Nov	Monthly Compilation of Views of VIF Expert Groups: September 2022	Naval Jagota	306/32
4	25 Nov	Draft Telecom Bill 2022: A Step in the Right Direction but Concerns Remain	Maj Gen P K Mallick, VSM	393/101
5	29 Nov	Monthly Compilation of Views of VIF Expert Groups: October 2022	Naval Jagota	227/46

Podcasts

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1	3 Nov	Global Development Initiative and Global Security Initiative: China's New Approach to Global Governance	Amb Ashok K Kantha	1775/67
2	4 Nov	WTO and India-Africa position on Fisheries subsidies	David Vivas	2451/84
3	16 Nov	The Pashtuns - A contested history	Tilak Devasher	1352/59
4	24 Nov	India's Healthcare Diplomacy with Africa	Gouri Sardesai	1381/65

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VIF News Digest

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1	3 Nov	VIF News Digest: National Security - Defence Studies & Terrorism	16-31 October 2022	197
2	4 Nov	Global Developments and Analysis: Weekly Monitor	24-30 October, 2022	281
3	7 Nov	Africa Now - Weekly Newsletter	(Week 45, 2022)	339
4	13 Nov	Global Developments and Analysis: Weekly Monitor	31 October- 06 November, 2022	161
5	14 Nov	Global Developments and Analysis: Weekly Monitor	07 November - 13 November, 2022	182
6	14 Nov	Myanmar Round-Up	October 2022	233
7	16 Nov	Africa Now - Weekly Newsletter	(Week 46, 2022)	162
8	17 Nov	VIF Cyber Review	October 2022	315
9	21 Nov	VIF News Digest: National Security - Defence Studies & Terrorism	01-15 November 2022	358
10	21 Nov	Africa Now - Weekly Newsletter	(Week 47, 2022)	189
11	22 Nov	Global Developments and Analysis: Weekly Monitor	14-20 November, 2022	330
12	24 Nov	Science and Technology (S&T) Digest	01-15 November 2022, Issue 1	357
13	24 Nov	West Asia Roundup	October 2022	211
14	28 Nov	Global Developments and Analysis: Weekly Monitor	21-29 November, 2022	177
15	29 Nov	Africa Now - Weekly Newsletter	(Week 48, 2022)	175

* **VIF also issues** China: Daily Scan & Neighbourhood News Digest **on a daily basis.**

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Scholars Outreach

Articles/OPEDS Published outside the VIF

- 3 Nov Samir Bhattacharya, Research Associate, VIF - 'DefExpo 2022 paves the way for a new golden era of India-Africa defence cooperation' (Published in Firstpost).
- 7 Nov Samir Bhattacharya, Research Associate, VIF - 'India-Africa Defence Dialogue- A positive step towards strengthening the defence diplomacy' (Published in Modern Ghana).
- 17 Nov Arvind Gupta, Director, VIF - 'भारत को मिली अध्यक्षता से उम्मीदें' (Published in Hindustan).
- 21 Nov Dr Pravesh Kumar Gupta - 'Early Presidential elections in Kazakhstan: People voted for fair Government' (Published in Financial Express).
- 26 Nov Dr Pravesh Kumar Gupta - 'President Tokayev wins Early Presidential Elections in Kazakhstan' (Published in Diplomatist).
- 28 Nov Samir Bhattacharya, Research Associate, VIF - 'Netanyahu's return may augur well for India-Israel-Africa trilateral relationship' (Published in First Post).
- 28 Nov Samir Bhattacharya, Research Associate, VIF - 'Ukraine crisis provides Africa another opportunity to reclaim its place' (Published in Modern Ghana).
- 30 Nov Dr Pravesh Kumar Gupta - 'Early Prospects for India's Presidency of Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO)' (Published in Financial Express).

Participation in Conferences/Discussions

Arvind Gupta, Director, VIF

- 4 Nov Talk delivered on 'China Challenge in the Indo-Pacific' at an International symposium organised by JNU.
- 14 Nov Attended Board of Studies/SIS/JNU meeting organised by JNU
- 23 Nov Participated in 'India-Japan Track 1.5 event' organised by Delhi Policy Group.
- 29 Nov Spoke on 'India and the Arctic: Prospects of Partnership' organised by MPIDSA.
- 30 Nov Attended the seminar on 'The Future of India's Strategic History: Archival Research and Policy Impact' organised by the Centre for Social and Economic Progress (CSEP)

Anurag Sharma, Senior Research Associate, VIF

- 28 Nov Attended a webinar on 'Safeguarding the Metaverse: Countering Terrorism and Preventing Violent Extremism in Digital Space', organised by the United Nations Office of Counter-Terrorism, New York,

Television Appearances

Arvind Gupta, Director, VIF

- 15 Nov Interview on G-20 at DD News
- 18 Nov Interview on Terror financing at Sansad TV
- 23 Nov Discussion on Global Debate on terrorism finance at Sansad TV
- 25 Nov Discussion on Data Protection Bill organised by Swadeshi Jagaran Manch.
- 26 Nov Interview on आखिर कब सजा पाएंगे मुम्बई हमले (26/11) के दोषी ? पाकिस्तान में खुलेआम घूम रहे इन लोगों

Major Events at VIF

- 1 Nov Discussion on India's National Defence Doctrine Now.
- 3 Nov Discussion Possibility of Use of TNWs in Russia-Ukraine Conflict: its Implications particularly for India.
- 7 Nov Discussion on the US National Security Strategy.
- 7 Nov Interaction with Prof Salvator Babones, associate professor, the University of Sydney.
- 9 Nov Special Strategic Discussion: Assassination attempt on Imran Khan and its Implications for on India.
- 10 Nov Interaction with H.E. Mrs. Ina Krishnamurthy, Ambassador of Indonesia on "Indonesia-India Relationship and Developments in the Region.
- 11 Nov Interaction with the visiting delegation from Institute of Political and International Studies (IPIS) of Iran.
- 14 Nov Seminar on The State of Archeology in India (in 2022).
- 14 Nov Ninth Lecture on Gita for the Millennia by Swami Mitrananda, Chinmaya Mission.
- 15 Nov Discussion on India's Role as a Mediator in the Ukraine Conflict.
- 16 Nov Interaction with Prof. Dr. Tomas Casas i Klett, University of St. Gallen, Switzerland on Europe's Relations with China.
- 16 Nov Singapore delegation's visit.
- 17 Nov Talk on How Ayurveda Can Power the Development of a Global Health Culture? by Dr. P. Rammanohar, Research Director of Amrita School of Ayurveda.
- 18 Nov Book discussion on the book Arab Spring that was and wasn't authored by KP Fabian.
- 21 Nov Book discussion on Radicalisation in India authored by Abhinav Pandya.
- 22 Nov Interaction with H.E. Dr. Philipp Ackermann, Ambassador of Germany to India.
- 23 Nov Joint MOU signed between Institute for National Defense and Security Research (Taiwan) & the Vivekananda International Foundation.
- 23 Nov Talk on Vedānta and Nationalism by Shri Srinath Mohandas, Assistant Professor, School of Ethics Governance Culture (EGCS).
- 24 Nov Book discussion on 'Iconic Indians: 75 Extraordinary Individuals Who Inspired The Country' authored by Sanjeev Sanyal & Rajesh Singh.
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- 25 Nov Brainstorming Session on New Trends in Terrorism.

VIF in Social Media

113K

Impressions on Twitter

26.1K

Followers on Twitter



12,537

Followers on Facebook Page

47,225

Impressions on Facebook

686.3

Hours watched on VIF YouTube Channel

7.2K

Views on VIF YouTube Videos



Videos watched on VIF YouTube Channel (Nov 2022)

Video Title	Watch time (Hours)	Views
Talk on Vedānta and Nationalism by Shri Srinath Mohandas, Assistant Professor, School of Ethics Governance Culture (EGCS) and Social Systems, Chinmaya Vishwa Vidyapeeth	13.3	173
Talk on How Ayurveda Can Power the Development of a Global Health Culture? by Dr. P. Rammanohar, MD (Ay), Research Director of Amrita School of Ayurveda, Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeethaam, Kollam, Kerala	11.8	172
Book discussion on 'Iconic Indians: 75 Extraordinary Individuals Who Inspired The Country' authored by Sanjeev Sanyal & Rajesh Singh	9.9	166
Ninth Lecture on Gita for the Millennia by Swami Mitrananda, Chinmaya	8.8	128

VIF Website Analysis

From Google Analytics

Sessions: 32,356

(A session is the period time a user is actively engaged with our website, app, etc.)

Users: 25,569

(Users who have initiated at least one session in Nov 2022.)

Page Views: 58,448

(Page Views is the total number of pages viewed.)

Country	Sessions	
	32,356 % of Total: 100.00% (32,356)	74.46% Avg for View: 74.41% (0.07%)
1.  India	19,593 (60.55%)	69.02%
2.  United States	3,056 (9.44%)	77.81%
3.  China	2,491 (7.70%)	95.02%
4.  Mexico	1,877 (5.80%)	99.79%
5.  Pakistan	576 (1.78%)	74.48%
6.  Hong Kong	322 (1.00%)	58.39%
7.  Bangladesh	289 (0.89%)	65.40%
8.  United Kingdom	264 (0.82%)	83.33%
9. (not set)	239 (0.74%)	97.49%
10.  Canada	203 (0.63%)	73.40%

From Server Analytics

Visits: 108,742

(A visit is one individual visitor who arrives at our web site and proceeds to browse.)

Unique Visits: 16,573

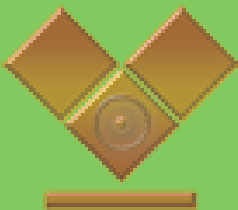
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About the VIVEKANANDA INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION

The Vivekananda International Foundation is an independent non-partisan institution that conducts research and analysis on domestic and international issues, and offers a platform for dialogue and conflict resolution. Some of India's leading practitioners from the fields of security, military, diplomacy, government, academia and media have come together to generate ideas and stimulate action on national security issues.

The defining feature of VIF lies in its provision of core institutional support which enables the organisation to be flexible in its approach and proactive in changing circumstances, with a long-term focus on India's strategic, developmental and civilisational interests. The VIF aims to channelise fresh insights and decades of experience harnessed from its faculty into fostering actionable ideas for the nation's stakeholders.

Since its inception, VIF has pursued quality research and scholarship and made efforts to highlight issues in governance, and strengthen national security. This is being actualised through numerous activities like seminars, round tables, interactive dialogues, Vimarsh (public discourse), conferences and briefings. The publications of VIF form lasting deliverables of VIF's aspiration to impact on the prevailing discourse on issues concerning India's national interest.



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