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Reflections on PM Narendra Modi's Foreign Policy

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1	25 Apr	An Overview: Modi Government's Approach to its SAARC Neighbours (2014-2024)	Amb Satish Chandra	368
2	30 Apr	Key Changes in India's Approach Towards West Asia over the Last ten Years: From Link West to Act West	Amb Anil Trigunayat	229

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Book Review

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1	03 Apr	Modian Consensus: The Rediscovery of Bharat by Dr. Swadesh Singh, Publication BluOne Ink,2024 Language: English, First Edition; 304pp, ISBN;978-93-92209-78-9	Manish Kumar Tiwary	492

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1	02 Apr	Technology, Geopolitics and India's Quest for Tech Self-Reliance	Dr Saroj Bishoyi	243
2	04 Apr	Visiting Delegations Report - February 2024	Anurag Bisen	141
3	23 Apr	International Strategic Engagement Capsule (IN-STEP)	Anurag Bisen	105
4	24 Apr	Trends in Global Arms Trade & India	Dr Saroj Bishoyi	120
5	30 Apr	Ongoing Crisis in Myanmar and Implications for India	Dr Cchavi Vasisht	102

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VIF News Digest

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1	04 Apr	Eurasia News Digest	16-31 March 2024	198
2	05 Apr	Science and Technology (S&T) Digest	16-31 March 2024, Issue 34	262
3	05 Apr	Cultural and Civilisational Newsletter	March 2024	267
4	08 Apr	VIF News Digest : National Security- Defence Studies & Terrorism	16-31 March 2024	349
5	12 Apr	Myanmar Round Up	March 2024	237
6	12 Apr	US - Insights	March 2024	220
7	12 Apr	Global Developments and Analysis: Weekly Monitor	25-31 March 2024	142
8	15 Apr	Multilateralism Digest	March 2024-Issue 3	251
9	16 Apr	Global Developments and Analysis: Weekly Monitor	01-07 April 2024	130
10	16 Apr	Cyber Review	March 2024	211
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* All these and more are available at the VIF website www.vifindia.org.

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Articles/OPEDS Published outside the VIF

- 16 Apr India's Options with respect to Russia's proposal for greater BRICS engagement in the Arctic (Published in Russian News agency TASS) - Anurag Bisen, Senior Fellow, VIF
- 21 Apr A view from India: The signing of the Treaty on Allied Relations between Uzbekistan and Tajikistan is one of the practical results of Tashkent's regional policy (Published in the Uzbek MFA's news agency, Dunyo) - Dr Pravesh Kumar Gupta, Associate Fellow, VIF

Participation in Conferences | Discussions

- 4 Apr Attended 54th Meeting of the IIMC Society at New JNU Campus, Delhi
- 20 apr Participated as a Special invitee for the Concluding ceremony at the 2nd Indian Def Space Symposium (18-20 April) organized by the Indian Space Association (ISpA) at Manekshaw Centre Auditorium, New Delhi.
- 29 Apr Moderated a session on India's strategic culture during Warfare and Aerospace Strategy Programme (WASP) at CAPS, New Delhi.

Events

- 1 Apr Interaction with a Visiting Delegation from Shanghai Institute of International Studies (SIIS), China
- 3 Apr Discussion with the delegation from the US House Select Committee on Chinese Communist Party
- 8 Apr Book discussion on the book Bangladesh on a New Journey edited by Prof Sreeradha Dutta
- 9 Apr Interaction with H.E. Erich Michael Garcetti, the US Ambassador to India
- 9 Apr Release of History of Ancient India by Shri Ajit Doval, KC, National Security Advisor (NSA), GoI
- 10 Apr Interaction with a visiting delegation from the Mathias Corvinus Collegium (MCC), Hungary
- 12 Apr Interaction with delegates from the Northern (Arctic) Federal University (NArFU)
- 15 Apr Talk by Vice Admiral A.N. Pramod, AVSM, Director General Naval Operations (DGNO) on Operation Sankalp- Indian Navy's recent activities in the Western Indian Ocean Region
- 18 Apr VIF-IIT Madras Roundtable Discussion on Establishing Defence Manufacturing Ecosystem in India
- 18 Apr A Talk by Vice Admiral G Ashok Kumar, PVSM, AVSM, VSM, ADC (Retd), NMSC on Maritime Security
- 19 Apr Interaction with the UNAMA delegation on Afghanistan

VIF in Social media

28K

Followers on Twitter

73.1K

Impressions on Twitter



12K

Followers on Facebook Page

6.3k

Reach

59.4K

Views on VIF YouTube Videos

3.3K

Hours watched on VIF YouTube Channel



VIF Website Analysis

From Google Analytics

Sessions: 41,626

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

Users: 29,834

(Users who have initiated at least one session in Apr 2024.)

Page Views: 81,915

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

COUNTRY	USERS
India	21K
United States	2.2K
China	820
United Kingdom	544
Hong Kong	527
Pakistan	382
Canada	262

From Server Analytics

Visits: 3,347

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

Unique Visits: 315,023

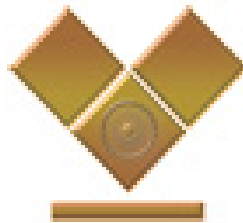
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