



Vivekananda International Foundation

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PUBLICATIONS

COMMENTARIES

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1	1-Jun	The US-China Trade Dispute: Uncertain Future	Dr Teshu Singh	486
2	4-Jun	Korean Rapprochement - Hope for Resolution of Maritime Disputes?	Somen Banerjee	379
3	5-Jun	World Environment Day - India should Launch a National Mission for Ecological Restoration of Degraded Lands and Wastelands	Arvind Gupta	343
4	6-Jun	Pakistan - Heightening Financial Action Task Force (FATF) Woes	Tilak Devasher	532
5	7-Jun	Paraktan Harapan Wins in Malaysia after Six Decades: The View from India	Asha Sundaramurthy	491
6	8-Jun	One More Step towards Self-esteem in Defence	Lt Gen (Dr) V K Saxena	895
7	11-Jun	Kashmiris Long for Vikas not Azadi and Youth Need Counselling	Pravas Kumar Mishra	466
8	13-Jun	India Gains Access to Sabang -A Road Map for Economic and Sustainable Development	Dr Vijay Sakhuja	659
9	17-Jun	Report of OHCHR on Human Rights in Kashmir Reeks of Bias	Amb Satish Chandra	305
10	18-Jun	UNHRC Report on 'Situation of Human Rights in Kashmir from June 2016 to April 2018'	Ambassador Bhaswati Mukherjee	454
11	19-Jun	Review of the Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights on "The Situation of Human Rights in Kashmir"	Amb Asoke Mukerji	524
12	20-Jun	The Trump-Kim Summit: A Mixed Bag	Amb Anil Wadhwa	981
13	20-Jun	OHCHR Report on Kashmir: Inconsistencies Exposes Malicious Intent	Brig (ret'd) Rahul Bhonsle	428
14	21-Jun	Yoga and an Indian Framework of Ethics	Dr. Arpita Mitra	311
15	21-Jun	Jordan is at the Cross Roads	Amb Anil Trigunayat	905
16	28-Jun	Beginning of a New End in the Korean Peninsula	Dr Teshu Singh, Gunjan Singh & Prerna Gandhi	406

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ARTICLES

No	Pub. Date	Title	Author	Views on website*
1	5-Jun	China Crosses Hypersonic Threshold, A New Threat Dimension Emerges	Lt Gen (Dr) V K Saxena	748
2	7-Jun	Strategy for Defence Exports: Need for Alternative Measures	Maj Gen (Retd.) P K Chakravorty	439
3	11-Jun	Demystifying Diplomatic Expulsions	Abhinav Pandya	497
4	12-Jun	An update on Developments in Maldives	Akash Sahu	1118
5	22-Jun	Kashmir - An Analysis of Recent Developments	C D Sahay	907
6	26-Jun	China's Economic Dilemma	Aayush Mohanty	421
7	26- Jun	UN Report on Human Rights 'Violations' in Jammu & Kashmir: Countering Machinated Allegations against the State	Lt General S A Hasnain	2219
8	27-Jun	Report of the UN High Commissioner on "Kashmir": Promotion of Human Rights or creating a controversy?	Amb D P Srivastava	181
9	28-Jun	Nuances of a Skewed Agreement- An Analysis	Lt Gen (Dr) V K Saxena	411

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PAPERS | MONOGRAPHS | BRIEFS

No	Pub. Date	Title	Author	Views on website
1	12-Jun	Current Military Situation in Afghanistan	Maj Gen (Retd.) P K Chakravorty	210
2	21-Jun	Maritime Power through Blue Economy in the Indian context	Somen Banerjee	90
3	29-Jun	Xi Jinping Continues China's Repressive Policies in Xinjiang	Gunjan Singh	164

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VIF NEWS DIGEST

No	Pub. Date	Title	Period	Views on website
1	6-Jun	VIF News Digest: International Developments	28 May- 3 June, 2018	348
2	20-Jun	VIF News Digest: International Developments	June 4 - 10, 2018	296
3	26-Jun	VIF News Digest: International Developments	June 11 - 17, 2018	273
4	27-Jun	VIF News Digest: National Security- Defence Studies & Terrorism (Vol 2 Issue VIII)	June 1 - 15, 2018	288

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* VIF also issues Neighbourhood News Digest & Information Alerts on a daily bases.

* All these and more are available at the VIF website www.vifindia.org.

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SCHOLARS OUTREACH

Articles/OPEDS in Indian main stream Media/Journal:

- **2 June:** Maj Gen P K Mallick, VSM (Retd), Consultant, VIF – *China's Defence Budget: An Analysis and Comparison with India's Defence Budget*, Published in CLAWS.
- **8 June:** Prateek Joshi, Research Associate, VIF – *With India a reluctant partner, the US South China Sea strategy is more about muddying the waters than concrete action by Quad allies*, Published in South China Morning Post.
- **11 June:** Amb Anil Wadhwa, Senior Fellow & Cluster Leader, VIF – *Interests are paramount in this globalised & transactional world. Alliances are not*, Published in The Print.
- **12 June:** Brig Vinod Anand, Senior Fellow, VIF – *Shangri La Dialogue and the South China Sea Conflict*, Published in Research Institute for European and American Studies.
- **16 June:** Dr Harinder Sekhon, Senior Fellow, VIF – *Decoding Trump-Kim summit*, Published in DNA.
- **27 June:** Gunjan Singh, Associate Fellow, VIF – *China and the Kim-Trump Summit*, Published in Science, Technology & Security Forum, Manipal University.
- **30 June:** Neha Sinha, Associate Fellow, VIF – *Mozambique-India Relations: Surging Ahead*, Published in 'Diplomacy & Beyond', June Issue.

Participation in Conferences:

Dr Arvind Gupta, Director - VIF

- **27 June:** Delivered a talk in the seminar on 'Cyber Deterrence', at Centre for Joint Warfare Studies (CENJOWS), New Delhi.

Anil Wadhwa, Senior Fellow & Cluster Leader, VIF

- **5 June:** Interview on 'RCEP and india china trade deficit', CNBC TV.

Dr. Teshu Singh, Associate Fellow, VIF

- **20-21 June:** Presented a paper titled 'Locked in a Spiral? Sino-US Relations in the Asia-Pacific Region: An Indian Perspective' in the 'First Wanshou Dialogue on Global Security' organised by the Chinese People's Association for Peace and Disarmament, Beijing, China.

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MAJOR EVENTS AT VIF

- **1 June:** Interaction with the 'South Korean Delegation'.
- **6 June:** Discussion on 'Police Reforms & Information Age Crimes' with Shri D P Singh.
- **8 June:** Discussion on 'Political Developments in Bangladesh' with Mr. AKM Chaudhary, former Minister for Commerce, People's Republic of Bangladesh and Member, Standing Committee, Bangladesh Nationalist Party (BNP).
- **19 June:** Vimarsha on 'Understanding the Ancient Indian Texts : Puranas & the Bhagavad Gita' by Dr Bibek Debroy (Chairman of the Economic Advisory Council to the Prime Minister).
- **21 June:** Interaction with Dr. Shashibala, on 'Echoes of Indian culture in China'.
- **22 June:** Seminar on 'India's Recent Foreign Policy Moves in Wuhan, Sochi, Singapore and Qingdao'.
- **25 June:** The release of the Hindi, Kannada, Telugu & Gujarati editions of A. Surya Prakash's book 'The Emergency-Indian Democracy's Darkest Hour' by the Chief Guest Shri M. Venkaiah Naidu (Hon'ble Vice President of India).

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VIF IN SOCIAL MEDIA

647K

Impressions on Twitter

12,342

Followers on Twitter



9,388

Followers on Facebook Page

85,147

Impressions on Facebook Page

28,144

Minutes watched on VIF YouTube Channel

4,215

Views on VIF YouTube Videos



Top 3 Videos watched on VIF YouTube Channel

Video Title	Watch time (Minutes)	Views
Understanding the Ancient Indian Texts : Puranas & the Bhagavad Gita' by Dr Bibek Debroy	6690	507
Release cum discussion on Black Money and Tax Havens authored by Prof R Vaidyanathan	3678	252
Vimarsha on "The Role of Indian Air Force in the Changing Security Environment" by Air Chief Marshal B S Dhanoa, PVSM, AVSM, YSM, VM, ADC.	3380	319

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VIF WEBSITE ANALYSIS

From Google Analytics

Sessions: 22,963











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

Users: 17,926

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

Page Views: 50,790

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

Country	Sessions	
	22,963 % of Total: 100.00% (22,963)	72.78% Avg for View: 72.73% (0.07%)
1.  India	19,197 (83.60%)	71.63%
2.  United States	944 (4.11%)	79.24%
3.  United Kingdom	222 (0.97%)	75.68%
4.  China	218 (0.95%)	78.44%
5.  France	160 (0.70%)	91.25%
6.  United Arab Emirates	148 (0.64%)	85.14%
7.  Pakistan	143 (0.62%)	67.13%
8.  Singapore	141 (0.61%)	68.09%
9.  Australia	137 (0.60%)	75.18%
10.  Canada	118 (0.51%)	83.05%

From Server Analytics

Visits: 159,994

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

Unique Visits: 45,412

(First Time Visitor from different IP Address.)

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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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