

**SEMINAR ON  
“INDIA AND UN PEACEKEEPING – AN APPRAISAL”  
01<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER 2021**

**WEBINAR PROGRAMME**

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| 1100-1105 | <b><u>WELCOME REMARKS</u></b><br>Amb. Sujana R. Chinoy, <i>Director General, MP-IDSA</i>  |
| 1105-1110 | <b><u>INAUGURAL REMARKS</u></b><br>Padma Bhushan Lt. Gen. Satish Nambiar, PVSM, AVSM, VrC (Retd), <i>former DCOAS, DGMO and First Force Cdr, UNPROFOR, Yugoslavia</i>   |
| 1110-1120 | <b><u>UN: Past and Future</u></b><br>Amb. Vijay Nambiar, <i>former Dy. NSA, NSCS, PR UN at New York and Spl Advisor of SG on Myanmar and Chief of Staff, UN</i>   |
| 1120-1130 | <b><u>An Appraisal of the UN and its Peacekeeping Structure</u></b><br>Maj. Gen. Mono Bhagat, PVSM (Retd), <i>Cdr. Indian Bde UNOSOM, Mil Adv to UNSG, Head of Admin and Logs, UN Mission in Congo and Sierra Leone</i>   |
| 1130-1140 | <b><u>India's first Peace Keeping Mission - An appraisal of the Korean Experience 7 decades later</u></b><br>Col. (Dr.) D.P.K. Pillay, SC (Retd), <i>Research Fellow, MP-IDSA</i>   |
| 1140-1150 | <b><u>Technology as Force Multiplier in Contemporary UN PKO</u></b><br>Lt. Gen. J.S. Lidder, UYSM, AVSM, (Retd) <i>(participation from Chandigarh) Force Cdr UNMIS, DSRSG (P)</i>   |
| 1150-1200 | <b><u>An assessment of India's missions and its impact in the countries of employment</u></b><br>Maj. Gen. Michael A.J. Fernandez, VSM, <i>Addl DG (SD), Army HQ (the talk will link up with North KIVU Brigade currently deployed in Congo for an interaction on an ongoing Mission)</i> |
| 1200-1210 | <b><u>Chapter VII- Implications in South Sudan – Experiences of a Sector Commander</u></b><br>Lt. Gen. K.S. Brar, <i>DG Armoured Corps, former Sector Cdr of a Brigade in South Sudan</i>   |
| 1210-1220 | <b><u>Use of the Airpower in UNPKO – opportunity to leverage Tech</u></b><br>Air Vice Marshal M. Bahadur, VM (Retd), <i>(participation from Mumbai), IAF contingent Cdr, UNMIS</i>  |
| 1220-1230 | <b><u>India and UN Peacekeeping in Africa: An assessment</u></b><br>Ms. Ruchita Beri, <i>Senior Research Associate &amp; Coordinator Africa, LAC &amp; UN Centre, MP-IDSA</i>   |
| 1230-1240 | <b><u>'India and UN Peacekeeping - Past, Present and Future'</u></b><br>Ms. Rachita Bhandari, <i>Dir (UNP), MEA (participation online)</i>  |
| 1240-1250 | <b><u>Technology and Peacekeeping: Can India become a Tech Contributing Country</u></b><br>Dr. Rajeesh Kumar, <i>Associate Fellow, MP-IDSA</i>  |
| 1250-1310 | <b><u>Q&amp;A and CLOSING REMARKS</u></b> – Chair, Padma Bhushan Lt. Gen. Satish Nambiar, PVSM, AVSM, VrC (Retd), <i>former DCOAS, DGMO and First Force Cdr, UNPROFOR, Yugoslavia</i>   |
| 1310-1315 | <b><u>CLOSING REMARKS</u></b> – Amb. Sujana R. Chinoy, <i>Director General, MP-IDSA</i>   |
| 1315-1320 | <b><u>VOTE OF THANKS</u></b> – Maj. Gen. (Dr.) Bipin Bakshi, AVSM, VSM (Retd), <i>Dy Director General, MP-IDSA</i>  |
| 1320-1330 | Spillover of sessions/Cushion   |
| 1330-1400 | Lunch for participants  |