

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

**WEBINAR PROGRAMME**

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