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INDIAN COUNCIL OF WORLD AFFAIRS

ANNUAL REPORT,2020-21

1. Introduction

During the year, ICWA continued with its mandated activities according high priority to research and study of political, security and economic developments in Asia, North America, Europe, Central Asia, Russia, South Asia, Africa, the Indo-Pacific and Latin America & Caribbean. Global geo-strategic and geo-political developments were analyzed. The conclusions were disseminated in the form of Sapru House Papers, Policy Briefs, Special Reports, Issue Briefs and Viewpoints. These were published on the ICWA website. A large number of events, including lectures, conferences and outreach activities were conducted. In line with the advice/recommendation of the last meeting of the Governing Body/Governing Council, ICWA initiated various programmes and activities to propagate and popularize foreign affairs and international relations issues in Hindi by *inter alias* sponsoring activities in various universities outside of Delhi.

2. Constitution of the Council, including changes therein.

Shri Venkaiah Naidu, has been the President, ex officio, of the Council since his assumption of the office of Vice President of India on 11 August, 2017. Ambassador T. C. A. Raghavan has been the Director General, ICWA & Member-Secretary of the Council since 24 July, 2018.

3. Meetings of the Governing Council/Governing Body :

3.1 Meetings of the Governing Council

The 18th Meeting of the Council was held on 2nd December 2020.

3.2 Meetings of the Governing Body

The 19th Meeting of the Governing Body was held on 2nd December 2020.

4. Meetings of the Committees:

A. FINANCE COMMITTEE

The 26th Finance Committee Meeting was held on 9th July, 2020

B. RESEARCH COMMITTEE

The 18th Research Committee Meeting was held on 25th September, 2020

The membership of the various Committees mentioned above is at **Annexure – I**.

5. Grant-in-Aid by Ministry of External Affairs Rs.11.83 Crores**6. Note on Administrative Issues**

Position, as on 31 March, 2021, regarding important administrative issues, is reflected below:-

(i) Staff Strength

ICWA has presently a total of 66 (sixtysix) personnel. The break-up is given below:-

i.	Director General on fixed tenure	01 (one)
ii.	Deployed from MEA	07 (seven)
iii.	Permanent Employees	18 (eighteen)
iv.	Those on Contracts	02 (two)
v.	Those Outsourced	11 (eleven)
vi.	Research Faculty on contract	27 (twenty seven)

(ii) Officials from MEA

At present, there are seven MEA officials working in ICWA as per the details below:

- i) Shri Soumen Bagchi, Joint Secretary, (working in ICWA from 14.09.2018).
- ii) Smt. Nutan Kapoor Mahawar, Joint Secretary, (working in ICWA from 11.01.2019)
- iii) Shri Sagar Maitra, Under Secretary, (working in ICWA from 16.11.2020).
- iv) Shri Harcharan Singh Sandhu, Sr. Accounts Officer, (working in ICWA from 15.03.2016)
- v) Ms. Pooja Sharma, Personal Assistant, (working in ICWA from 5.01.2021)
- vi) Ms. Navita Jyoti Kujur, Personal Assistant (working in ICWA from 14.08.2020)
- vii) Ms. Anu Vats, Personal Assistant (working in ICWA from 18.05.2018)
- viii) Ms. V. Jayashree Gopal, Private Secretary (working in ICWA from 30.03.2021)

(iii) Renovation Project - Phase II :

Under the Renovation Project Phase-II, up-gradation of Library & Annex Building (Ground, First & Second floor) has been taken up and the work has been awarded to CPWD.

The Renovation Project Part-II of Phase-II (Library Ground floor & basement and Research Wing first floor) was completed in January, 2021 and the project under Part-II of Phase-III (Library reading hall and Research wing ground floor) was started in February, 2021 and is in progress. The work of this part is expected to be completed within 3-4 months ahead.

(iv) Maintenance Work

All maintenance/cleaning works are undertaken regularly.

(v) Security

Security of the building is ensured through 6 (six) Security Guards provided by a private company. To ensure comprehensive security of the Sapru House premises, 1 baggage scanner, 3 DFMD gates and 101 CCTV cameras have been installed including 20 cameras installed in the Sapru House Library.

7. Status of Court Cases & RTI applications

COURT CASES :

There are four Court Cases pending as of March, 2021.

- i. The case relating to Shri H S Chadha concerning arrears of his emoluments is before the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi. He has submitted some additional documents in the Court. The case is now at final hearing stage.
- ii. A case has been filed in Tis Hazari Courts by Ms. Jyoti Sagar, daughter of a former employee of ICWA namely Shri Deepak Sagar, regarding her appointment in the Council on compassionate ground. The case is now at the stage of arguments.
- iii. One appeal is filed by ICWA in the Hon'ble High Court in respect of Shri Balwant Singh to challenge the decision of Hon'ble CAT where only one case, out of the five cases of similar nature, was allowed and other four were dismissed by the CAT filed by the ex ICWA employees for the payment of Earned Leave Encashment.
- iv. The regular staff of ICWA has filed a case in Central Administrative Tribunal (CAT) regarding their service matters.

RTI Applications :

The Council has received a total number of 21 RTI applications out of which 3 (three) applications were received in physical form and 18 (eighteen) applications were through online portal during the financial year 2020-21. All the RTI applications, as mentioned above, have been suitably replied.

8. Publications

Various ICWA's publications were brought out regularly during the period as per details provided below:

1. ICWA's Journal '**India Quarterly**' (English/Hindi) was brought out regularly during the period **01st April 2020- 31st March 2021**.

- i) India Quarterly (A Journal of International Affairs)
Vol-76 No.2, **June, 2020**
- ii) India Quarterly (A Journal of International Affairs)
Vol-76 No.3, **September, 2020**
- iii) India Quarterly (A Journal of International Affairs)
Vol-76 No.4, **December, 2020**
- iv) India Quarterly (A Journal of International Affairs)
Vol-77 No.1, **March, 2021**

- क. इंडियाक्वार्टरलीखंड-1 अंक- **2 जून,2020**
- ख. इंडियाक्वार्टरलीखंड-1 अंक- **3 सितम्बर,2020**
- ग. इंडियाक्वार्टरलीखंड-1 अंक- **4 दिसम्बर,2020**
- घ. इंडियाक्वार्टरलीखंड-1 अंक- **1 मार्च,2021**

2. ICWA's Manuscripts published during the period **01st April 2020- 31st March 2021.**

S.No	Title	Editor/Author	Year of Publication
I Books (under ICWA Book Project)			
01.	The South Caucasus Transition From Subjugation to Independence	Shri Achal Malhotra	2020
02.	Kashmir a Study in India-Pakistan Relations (First Editions -1966; Reprint-1998; Reprint-2020)	Shri Sisir Gupta (Re-Print)	2020
03.	नेपालकासंवैधानिकविकास	राकेशकुमारमीना	2020
04.	अंतर्राष्ट्रीयमुद्राकोष (आईएमएफ) केसाथभारतकेसंबंधकेपरिप्रेक्ष्यमें 25 वर्ष 1991-2016	श्री वी .श्रीनिवास (Translated version)	2020
05.	Status of European Integration: Possible Trajectory	Shri Purushottam Bhattacharya	2021
06.	Indo-Pacific: Re-Imaging the	Mrs. Nutan Kapoor	2021

	Indian Ocean Through an Expanded Geography	Mahawar&Dr. Vijay Sakhuja	
II Sapru House Paper			
01.	China-Myanmar Relations under Xi Jinping -	Dr Puyam Rakesh Singh	2020
02.	The Evolution of China's Economic Clout- 190-2020	Shri V. Srinivas	2020
03.	The Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank	Shri V. Srinivas	2020
04.	चीनके आर्थिकवर्चस्वकाविकास- 1990-2020	श्री वी. श्रीनिवास, आई.ए.एस. (Translated version)	2020
05.	Changing liberal World Order and the European Union	Dr.Ankita Dutta	2020
06.	The Electoral Super cycle: Elections and the Changing Political Landscape in Latins America	Dr.Stuti Banerjee	2020
07.	India-Indonesia Comprehensive Strategic Partnership: Convergence and Challenges	Dr.TemjenmerenAo	2020
III Other Publications			
01.	The United Nations	Ms. Laxmi Puri	2021
02.	INDIA AND THE SHANGHAI COOPERATION ORGANIZATION	Amb. Yogendra Kumar and Amb Stobdan	2021
03.	Advancing Reformed Multilateralism in the Changing World	Amb. ManjeevPuri&Amb. Ashok Mukharjee	2021

List of Book Projects under process

1. Legitimacy of Power: The Permanence of Five in the Security Council - Authored by - Dilip Sinha (**Malayalam**)
2. पाकिस्तान-बलूचिस्तानकीपहेली- लेखक - श्रीतिलकदेवाशर)**हिन्दी**(
3. Pakistan The Balochistan Conundrum -Authored by –Shri Tilak Devasher)**Urdu**)
4. Saudi Arabia in a Multipolar World - Authored by –Dr. Zakir Hussain (**Urdu**)
5. भारत-चीनसीमामुद्दे :विवादनिपटानकीतलाश- लेखक - श्रीरंजीतसिंहकाल्हा)**हिन्दी**(
6. India-China Boundary Issues -Authored by – Shri Ranjit Singh Kalha(**Re-Print in English**)

7. Latin America, The Caribbean and India: Promise and Challenge - Authored by –Shri Deepak Bhojwani(हिन्दी)
8. Indian Cultural Diplomacy: Celebrating Pluralism in a Globalised World - Authored by – Amb. Paramjit Sahai(हिन्दी)
9. India's Relations with the International Monetary Fund (25 Years in Perspective 1991-2016) (Tamil)
10. Sapru House A Story of Institution in World Affairs (An Institutional History of the ICWA) Edited by – Dr. T.C.A. Raghavan &Dr. Vivek Mishra.
11. Between Survival and Status: The Counter-Hegemonic Geopolitics of Iran” Authored by Dr. Deepika Saraswat.
12. 1971 War: AIR commentaries from 50 years ago by U.L. Baruah- Authored by Shri U. L. Baruah.
13. Arab World in Transition and The Quest for a New Regional Order” Authored by Dr.Fazzur Rahman Siddiqui.
14. Gandhi And the World” Edited by – Smt. Nutan Kapoor Mahawar&Dr. Dhruvajyoti Bhattacharjee.
15. Twenty Years of Making Ganga Cooperation: Achievements and Way Forward' -- Edited by –Mr. Prabir De.
16. Road, Wind, Spices in the Western Indian Ocean: The memory and Geopolitics of Maritime Heritage” Edited by – Smt. Nutan Kapoor Mahawar&Dr. Pragya Pandey.
17. Women and Power Gender within International Relations and Diplomacy” Edited by Smt. Nutan Kapoor Mahawar&Dr. Ankita Dutta.
18. The Harambee Factor: India Africa Economic & Development Partnership Preface- Authored by Ambassador Gurjit Singh.
19. The Arab Spring that was and wasn't” Authored by –Amb. K.P. Fabian's.
20. **Sapru House Soundings on Area Studies (ICWA) 6 Volume.**
 - i) India-Central Asia Relations: The Way Ahead. (Dr. Athar Zafar)
 - ii) Enhancing India-Myanmar Ties: The Way Ahead. (Dr. SamathaMallempati)
 - iii) Gilgit-Baltistan under Pakistan's Occupation. (Dr. Ashish Shukla)
 - iv) India-Africa Relations in a Changing Global Order: The Way Ahead. (Dr. Nivedita Ray)
 - v) India-Sri Lanka Relations: Present Context and The Way Ahead. (Dr. SamathaMallempati)
 - vi) External Dimensions of the Security of the North East Region. (Dr. TemjenmerenAo)

Sapru House Paper Projects Under Process

- i) “Evolving Geopolitics of the Western Indian Ocean: A Primer from India” by – **Dr. SankalpGurjar and Dr. Ankita Dutta.**

9. Library

Functioning since 1955 at its present premises, the ICWA Library (popularly known as Sapru House Library) has emerged as a premier resource centre for Indian and foreign scholars over the past seven decades. It houses a rich collection on international relations, international law, international economy, foreign policy, political history and social sciences as well. It functions as a research library with a stock of about 1,55,000 documents including books (thousands of these are rare), bound volumes of journals, maps, special collections of UN documents and EU documents. The Library is automated with a database of entire holdings operated through the in-house library management software. The inventory is searchable through Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC) within the library premises and also from outside through Web OPAC.

Thousands of rare books, old editions of newspapers, especially the Hindu, for the period 1933 to 2004 and press clippings on international affairs from 1960 to 1990 are also available, which have frequently been referred by researchers and experts in the field of world affairs in India and abroad. The entire collection of the ICWA journal – India Quarterly is also accessible in digitized form at the library. The documents of the first Asian Relations Conference held in March 1947 are also available. A Cyber Library is available in the reading hall with in-house access to the digital contents, online journals' databases, Delnet's bibliographical data resources of member libraries and internet browsing facility. The Library has arrangements with other libraries to facilitate consultation of their resources for ICWA scholars on the basis of their ID cards issued by the Council.

The library is open for parliamentarians, legislators, academics, diplomats, historians, senior civil servants, journalists, students, subject experts and other members of the learned society as well as general public. Valid ID and residential address proof is required to be submitted with application form duly filled in by the user to be enrolled as member of the library. The library membership has been made free for students and other members of the civil society. The ICWA Library has introduced RFID Membership Smart Card, free of cost to its members.

The ICWA authorities are pleased in allowing Post-Graduate/ Undergraduate students of any discipline to bring two personal books inside the library for study and use. Janitor facilities are also available for members to keep their belongings with safe custody. The library also extends photocopying facility for its members at a nominal fee of Rs. One per page in accordance with the IPR. Number of users this year was much lower on account of the pandemic and the library being closed for consultation for extended periods.

In order to facilitate the research activities and meeting the day to day requirements of nascent published information by scholars in the niche areas of foreign policy, new books of topical importance were added to the library collection. Special attention is also being given to procure more books on international affairs in Hindi for the convenience of our Hindi knowing scholars.

To further establish the Sapru House Library as a premier research institution, there is need for it to be continuously equipped with exhaustive research materials and documentation in the subjects of international law, strategic studies, and other social issues of global concern during the existing pandemic period of COVID-19.

Amid the constraints of reduced staff strength and the need to strike a balance with the steadily growing utilization of Library resources and facilities in addition to the persistent challenges of upgrading them, suitable actions are being undertaken to foster a user-friendly and efficient environment. We are also exploring the possibilities to collaborate with other libraries to establish better resource sharing for our users. The library is going through a major renovation work to make it more user-friendly with better reading environment.

Library Statistics at a Glance: (as on 31.03.2021)

Collections

- Books: 1,15,613
- Books Added: 1171(during the year 2020-21)
(English- 1026, Hindi- 145)
- Bound Volumes of Journals/Serials: 39,011 (including UN and EU Sections)
- Total Collection: 1,54,624

Library Members/ Visitors (during the year 2020-21)

- No. of Library Members: 109
- No. of Library Visitors: 589

Periodicals Subscriptions (during the year 2020-21)

- Journals: 52
- Newspapers: 11

Online Databases/Resources

- DELNET Online- It is a major resource-sharing library network in South Asia which covers a wide spectrum of member-libraries and their resources connecting more than 1170 libraries in India and overseas.
- Project Muse (Social Science Collection)- It is an online database of peer-reviewed academic journals, and e-books with access to digital content in the areas of humanities and social sciences.
- JSTOR- It is a digital library, mostly containing back issues of academic journals, providing full-text search of articles. It also includes books and other primary resources.
- Political Science Complete- It is an online full-text research database of journals, books, monographs and conference papers, covering political topics with a worldwide focus, including international relations, political theory and comparative politics. Its subscription is a step forward to enhance the additional capabilities of our existing e-resources to be utilized by the esteemed members of our Research Faculty and the library users as well.

10. Conference/Lectures/Seminars

From 1st April 2020 to 31st March 2021, the Indian Council of World Affairs organized 71 events which are detailed below :

Lectures/Talks	-	03
Seminars/Conferences	-	27
Bilateral strategic dialogue	-	17
Panel Discussions/Background briefings	-	20
Book Launch/Release/Discussion function	-	<u>04</u>
Total		71

Some of the important Lectures/ Talks held:

1. Lecture on '*The Broad Canvas of Indian Diplomacy during the Pandemic*' by Shri Harsh Vardhan Shringla, Foreign Secretary, Ministry of External Affairs at Video Platform, 04 September 2020
2. 37th Sapru House Lecture by H.E. Mr. Pradeep Kumar Gyawali, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Nepal, at Sapru House lawns, 15 January 2021

Some of the important Seminars/ Conference held:

- a) Webinar on *RE-IMAGINING THE GLOBAL HEALTH AGENDA: WHAT ROLE CAN INDIA PLAY?* at Video Platform, 29 April 2020
- b) Webinar on “*India-China Relations@70 Recapping the Milestone: Imagining the Future*” at Video Platform, 05 May 2020
- c) Webinar on “*Non-Traditional Security: Renewed Focus in the Post Covid World?*” at Video Platform, 3 June 2020
- d) Webinar on “*Re-Defining National Logistics Post-Covid-19: India & Global Supply Chains*” at Video Platform, 11 June 2020
- e) International Webinar on ‘*Gandhi and the World*’ at Video Platform, 1-2 October 2020
- f) Webinar on “*China-Pakistan Relations and the CPEC: Returning to the Shadows?*” at Video Platform, 10 November 2020
- g) Fourth India-Africa Online Conference under IAFS-III on “*India and Africa Looking Ahead: Contemporary Realities and Emerging Prospects*” at Video Platform, 24-25 November 2020
- h) Webinar on “*Afghanistan’s Opportunity for Peace: Young voices from Afghanistan reflect on the Peace Process*” at Video Platform, 25 February 2021
- i) First in the series of six ICWA-USI: UN Webinars, on “*India and UN Peace Operations: Principles of UN Peacekeeping and Mandate*” at Video Platform, 27 February 2021
- j) International Conference on “*K M Panikkar and The Growth of a Maritime Consciousness in India*” at Video Platform, 23-24 March 2021

Some of the important Bilateral and Strategic Dialogues held:

- a) ICWA-RIAC Closed-Door Webinar on “*India-Russia Relations in the Context of Post-Pandemic Global order*”, at Video Platform, 15 July 2020
- b) Second ICWA – Institute for Foreign Affairs and Trade (IFAT) Hungary, Dialogue, at Video Platform, 10 September 2020
- c) ICWA- RIAC Webinar “*Russia – India Strategic Partnership: Assessing Progress and Chartering the Path Forward*” *20 Years of Signing of the Declaration on Strategic Partnership* at Video Platform, 20 October 2020
- d) Web Interaction between ICWA and FUNAG, Brazil at Video Platform, 20 October 2020
- e) 7th ICWA-PISM Strategic Dialogue on “*Towards a Stronger India-Poland Partnership in Times of Global Change*” *An online Conference* at Video Platform, 27 October 2020

- f) **Second ICWA-** Institute for Political and International Studies (IPIS), Tehran, IRAN **dialogue** at Video Platform, 21 December 2020
- g) Second India-Uzbekistan Think Tanks Forum at Video Platform, 23 February 2021

Some of the important Panel Discussions/Background briefings held:

- a) Webinar on '*What (Afghan) Women Want: What do Peace Talks with the Taliban mean for Afghan Women?*' at Video Platform, 4 June 2020
- b) ICWA Webinar on *The Antarctica Treaty @60: India and the 'White Continent'* at Video Platform, 23 July 2020
- c) ICWA Webinar on *"The UN at 75 and a Century of Indian Multilateralism"* at Video Platform, 30 July 2020
- d) 15th Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) Forum Meeting at Video Platform, 29 September 2020
- e) Webinar on *"India and the 1982 UNCLOS"* at Video Platform, 8 October 2020
- f) **'IORA Capacity Building Workshop on the 1982 UNCLOS'** at Video Platform, 29 January 2021
- g) Discussion on *"Current Political Situation in Nepal"* at Sapru House, 25 March 2021

Important Book Launch/Release/Discussion functions held:

- a) Book Discussion on *'Trumped: Emerging Powers in a Post-American World'* authored by Prof. Sreeram Chaulia, Professor and Dean at the Jindal School of International Affairs, O.P. Jindal Global University at Video Platform, 28 May 2020
- b) Book Launch *"Beyond Pan-Asianism: Connecting China and India, 1840s-1960s"* co-hosted by ICWA, ICS and JNU at Video Platform, 3 December 2020
- c) Online Panel Discussion on the Book *'Syria: The Tragedy of a Pivotal State'* by Ambassador Rajendra M. Abhyankar, Former Ambassador of India to Syria at Video Platform, 17 February 2021

A complete list of the events organized by the ICWA during the period is attached at [Annexure-II]

Outreach Programmes with Universities and think tanks & research institutions within India:

- a) ICWA- Center for Public Policy Research (CPPR) Webinar on “*Indian Migrants in the Gulf: Coping with the Double Blow of Oil Price Collapse and COVID-19*”, at Video Platform, 14 May 2020
- b) ICWA- Indira Gandhi National Centre for Arts (IGNCA) Webinar on “*Roads, Winds, Spices in the Western Indian Ocean: The Memory and Geopolitics of Maritime Heritage*” at Video Platform, 6-7 July 2020
- c) Joint USI-ICWA Webinar on “*Re-Imagining Pakistan's Strategic Behaviour vis a vis India*” at Video Platform, 24 July 2020
- d) National Institute of Advanced Studies (NIAS)-ICWA Panel Discussion on “*Sri Lanka: The New Government and the Return of Mahinda Rajapaksa*” - Election Analysis, Expectations from the Government, Challenges Ahead, & a road map for India at Video Platform, 13 August 2020
- e) ICWA-South Asian University (SAU) Webinar on “*Women and Power: Gender within International Relations and Diplomacy*” at Video Platform, 15-16 October 2020
- f) ICWA- ASEAN-India Centre (AIC) at RIS-Pathfinder Foundation-Asian Confluence Web Dialogue on “*Deepening India-Sri Lanka Ties in the New World Order*” at Video Platform, 29 October 2020
- g) ICWA-ASEAN India Centre (AIC), RIS Conference on *Mekong Ganga Cooperation* at Video Platform, 5-6 November 2020
- h) Book Launch “*Beyond Pan-Asianism: Connecting China and India, 1840s-1960s*” co-hosted by ICWA, ICS and JNU at Video Platform, 3 December 2020
- i) ICWA- ISB, Hyderabad Learning Table (virtual) on “*How Can India Emerge as an International Education Hub: the NEP and Beyond: The Critical Role of Faculty Development in this Mission*” at Video Platform, 18 February 2021
- j) Foreign Policy awareness programme in HINDI in जी. डी. सी. मेमोरियल कॉलेज, भिवानी, हरियाणा on “भारतीयविदेशनितिमेंएआयाम”, भिवानी, हरियाणा, 19-20 February 2021
- k) First in the series of six ICWA- *United Service Institution of India (USI)*: UN Webinars, on “*India and UN Peace Operations: Principles of UN Peacekeeping and Mandate*” at Video Platform, 27 February 2021
- l) Foreign Policy awareness programme in HINDI at राजनीति विज्ञान विभाग, चमनलाल महाविद्यालय, लंढौरा, हरिद्वार on “दक्षिणएशियामेंराजनितिकस्थिरताएवंविकासमेंभारतकीभूमिका”, हरिद्वार, उत्तराखंड, 6-7 March 2021
- m) Foreign Policy awareness programme in HINDI at अमरनाथमिश्र सनातकोतर महाविद्यालय, दुबेछपरा, बलिया, (उत्तरप्रदेश) on “कोविड-19 कालमेंभारत-चीनसम्बन्धोकेपरिवर्तितआयाम”, बलिया,

(उत्तरप्रदेश), 13-14 March 2021

- n) Two day International Webinar on “*India Relations with Sri Lanka & Maldives*” Organized by Kolkata Society for Asian Studies, Kolkata (West Bengal) at Video Platform, 28-29 March 2021

Outreach Programmes with Universities and think tanks & research institutions outside India:

1. ICWA-Russian International Affairs Council (RIAC) Closed-Door Webinar on “*India-Russia Relations in the Context of Post-Pandemic Global order*” at Video Platform, 15 July 2020
2. Video Conversation/Meeting between DG, ICWA and President, CPIFA (Beijing) at Video Platform, 7 August 2020
3. Second ICWA – Institute for Foreign Affairs and Trade (IFAT) Hungary, Dialogue at Video Platform, 10 September 2020
4. 15th Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) Forum Meeting at Video Platform, 29 September 2020
5. ICWA- Vietnam Institute for Indian and Southwest Asian Studies (VIISAS) International Webinar on “*New Horizons in India-Vietnam Relations*” at Video Platform, 7 October 2020
6. **ICWA-** Russian International Affairs Council (RIAC) Webinar “*Russia – India Strategic Partnership: Assessing Progress and Chartering the Path Forward*” *20 Years of Signing of the Declaration on Strategic Partnership* at Video Platform, 20 October 2020
7. Web Interaction between ICWA and FUNAG, Brazil at Video Platform, 20 October 2020
8. 7th ICWA- Polish Institute for International Affairs (PISM) Strategic Dialogue on “*Towards a Stronger India-Poland Partnership in Times of Global Change*” *An online Conference* at Video Platform, 27 October 2020
9. ICWA- The Wilson Centre, Washington D.C. (Closed Door Briefing) at Video Platform, 19 November 2020
10. Fourth India-Africa Online Conference under IAFS-III on “*India and Africa Looking Ahead: Contemporary Realities and Emerging Prospects*” at Video Platform, 24-25 November 2020
11. **Second Indo-German Track 1.5 Dialogue at Video Platform, 27 November 2020**
12. **Second ICWA-** Institute for Political and International Studies (IPIS), Tehran, IRAN **dialogue at Video Platform, 21 December 2020**

13. First Track-II Dialogue on '*India-Japan-Russia Trilateral Cooperation in the Russian Far East*' in collaboration with Economic Research Institute for Northeast Asia (ERINA), Japan and Far East Investment and Export Agency (FEIEA), Russia at Video Platform, 20 January 2021
14. Second India-Uzbekistan Think Tanks Forum at Video Platform, 23 February 2021

Sapru House Lecture by Visiting Foreign Dignitaries to the Council in New Delhi

- a) H.E. Mr. Pradeep Kumar Gyawali, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Nepal, 15 January 2021

MOUs Signed :

ICWA has signed two international MOUs during the financial year 2020-21. The first MoU is with the Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS) of the Republic of India and the Institute of Foreign Affairs and National Security of the Korea National Diplomatic Academy (IFANS) and the Korea Institute for International Economic Policy (KIEP) of the Republic of Korea on October 22, 2020; the second one is with the Institute of International Politics and Economics, (IPE) Belgrade on 10 December, 2020. At the national level, five MoUs have been signed with Christ University, Bengaluru on 16 June, 2020, Centre for Public Policy Research (CPPR), Kochi on 18 June, 2020; National Institute of Advanced Studies, Bengaluru on 26 June, 2020, United Service Institute of India, New Delhi on 9 November, 2020 and Indian School of Business, Hyderabad and Mohali on 17 November, 2020.

11. Awards: Nil

12. Research and Analysis :-

The current strength of the Research Faculty is as follows:

a) Director (Research)	01
b) Research Fellows	17
c) Research Interns	09

During the period under review, the ICWA Fellows undertook study and research on subjects of all major political, security, and economic trends and developments in foreign policy and in international affairs. The research outputs were published in the form of Issue Briefs, View Points, Special Reports, and Sapru House Papers. During the period from 1 April -30 March 2021 the Council published 99 web articles written by Research Faculty which include 61 Issue Briefs, 34 View Points and 4 Special reports. Out of these 44 web articles (31 Issue Briefs and 13 Viewpoints) were specifically related to tracking the impact of Corona virus in different regions across the globe. The Research faculty also published various articles in the media and other academic journals. These publications are exhibited at the Council's website and social media platforms.

In order to reach out to a wider audience, ICWA continued to publish translated versions of its academic articles in Hindi. In pursuit of this objective, all Viewpoints, Issue Briefs, Sapru House papers, Special Reports were translated into Hindi and uploaded on the Hindi version of the ICWA website.

Several special studies and papers were commissioned by the Council, which include the following: India and the SCO ; Gender Mainstreaming of IR and Foreign Policy; Advancing Reformed Multilateralism ; Furthering India- Afghanistan – Uzbekistan Ties and India Central Asia Relations India – Russia Strategic Partnership and Redefining Logistics Post Covid -19 and Global Supply Chains.

Special Research Projects were undertaken on Maritime issues through in – house policy research, commissioned papers and programme and research collaboration with CPPR, Cochin. The Council’s UNSC academic project provided well-mechanized policy inputs in support of India’s responsibilities arising from its UNSC tenure 2021-22 through commissioned papers. The Council has undertaken two Research Projects on Africa including Chinese Influence in Africa and African Students in Indi; and one Special Research project on Nepal tasked by the MEA.

As part of its outreach activities and to create awareness about foreign policy issues among the youth, ICWA in collaboration with its MoU partners undertook regional Essay writing contests in Telugu, Malayalam and Kannada among school going students (10-12 standard), and undergraduate & postgraduate students on foreign policy and International Relations related themes. The winners in the respective essay competitions, decided on the basis of evaluation by a committee of four referees, has been announced.

14. Report on matters referred to the Council by the Central Government or Governing Body. Nil.

15. Council for Security and Co-operation in the Asia-Pacific (CSCAP) - India activities:

The ICWA is the designated Secretariat of CSCAP-India Committee, the composition of which is attached. (**Annexure – III**). CSCAP events organized from April, 2019 to March, 2020 are as follows:

- i) CSCAP Study Group Meeting webinar on Export Controls Experts Group from September 14-15, 2020
- ii) CSCAP SGM webinar on Non-proliferation and Disarmament in the Asia Pacific on October 13-14, 2020.
- iii) CSCAP SGM Rules Bases Order webinar on October 22, 2020.
- iv) CSCAP SGM webinar on Nuclear Energy Expert Group on November 9-10, 2020.
- v) Webinar on CSCAP Steering Committee Meeting on November 19-20, 2020
- vi) CSCAP SGM webinar on Northeast Asia Security and Cooperation December 28, 2020
- vii) CSCAP India online Meeting on March 18, 2021.

16. Essay Competition

As part of its outreach activities and to create awareness about foreign policy issues among the youth, ICWA has undertaken essay writing competitions at national levels among school going students (10-12 standard), and undergraduate and postgraduate

students. It has expanded this essay competition to different regional languages in collaboration with its MoU partners. Regional Essay writing contests in Telugu, Malayalam and Kannada among school going students (10-12 standard), and undergraduate & postgraduate students on foreign policy and International Relations related themes have been held.



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10June, 2021

Annexure-I

INDIAN COUNCIL OF WORLD AFFAIRS
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Annexure-II

List of events organized by the ICWA from 1 April 2020 to 31 March 2021

April 2020

1.	27 April 2020	<p>Web Lecture on "Adjusting to a New Virtual Reality: the Coronavirus and how you need to adjust? by Ambassador Navdeep Suri, Former High Commissioner/Ambassador of India to the U.A.E., Australia and Egypt, Distinguished Fellow at Observer Research Foundation</p> <p><u>Chaired by:</u> Dr. T.C.A. Raghavan, Director General, ICWA</p> <p>Venue: Zoom Video Conference</p>
2.	29 April 2020	<p>Webinar on <i>RE-IMAGINING THE GLOBAL HEALTH AGENDA: WHAT ROLE CAN INDIA PLAY?</i></p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Ms. Indrani Bagchi, Senior Diplomatic Editor with The Times of India</p> <p>Venue: BlueJeans Video Platform for Panelists</p>

May 2020

3.	05 May 2020	<p>Webinar on "<i>India-China Relations@70 Recapping the Milestone: Imagining the Future</i>"</p> <p><u>Chair and Moderator</u> Dr. Sanjaya Baru, <i>Distinguished Fellow Manohar Parrikar Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses, New Delhi</i></p> <p>Venue: BlueJeans Video Platform for Panelists</p>
4.	14 May 2020	<p>ICWA-CPPR Webinar on "<i>Indian Migrants in the Gulf: Coping with the Double Blow of Oil Price Collapse and COVID-19</i>"</p> <p><u>Chair and Moderator</u> Ambassador Navdeep Suri, Distinguished Fellow, Observer Research Foundation</p>

		[in collaboration with the Center for Public Policy Research(CPPR), Kochi] Venue: BlueJeans Video Platform for Panelists
5.	15 May 2020	Webinar on Sapru House Paper Discussion on <i>“India-Indonesia Relations: Factors that Shaped the Comprehensive Strategic Partnership”</i> <u>Chaired and Lead Discussant</u> Ambassador Sudhir T. Devare, Former DG, ICWA Venue: BLUEJEANS VIDEO PLATFORM
6.	18 May 2020	Webinar on <i>“Pandemic Challenges and Looking Beyond: Our Eastern Neighbours: Bangladesh and Myanmar”</i> <u>Chair and Moderator</u> Ambassador Rajiv Bhatia, Distinguished Fellow, Foreign Policy Studies Programme, Gateway House; Former Ambassador of India to Myanmar Venue: BlueJeans Video Platform for Panelists
7.	21 May 2020	Webinar on <i>“Responses to Covid-19 and Northeast Asia’s Geopolitics”</i> <u>Chair and Moderator</u> Ambassador Deepa Gopalan Wadhwa, Former Indian Ambassador to Japan Venue: BlueJeans Video Platform
8.	26 May 2020	<i>To commemorate the Africa Day on 25 May</i> Webinar on <i>“COVID-19 and Beyond: Priorities and Prospects for India -Africa Cooperation”</i> <u>Chair and Moderator</u> Ambassador Gurjit Singh, Former Ambassador to Ethiopia and African Union Venue: BlueJeans Video Platform
9.	28 May 2020	Book Discussion on <i>‘Trumped: Emerging Powers in a Post-American World’</i> authored by Prof. Sreeram Chaulia, Professor and Dean at the Jindal School of International Affairs, O.P. Jindal Global University <u>Chair and Discussant:</u> Dr. Zorawar Daulet Singh,

		Adjunct Fellow, Institute of Chinese Studies and Founder, The Northcap University Venue: BlueJeans Video Platform
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June 2020

10.	3 June 2020	Webinar on " <i>Non-Traditional Security: Renewed Focus in the Post Covid World?</i> " <u>Chair and Moderator:</u> Ambassador P.S. Raghavan, Chairman, National Security Advisory Board (NSAB) Venue: VC
11.	4 June 2020	Webinar on ' <i>What (Afghan) Women Want: What do Peace Talks with the Taliban mean for Afghan Women?</i> ' <u>Chair and Moderator:</u> Ambassador Amar Sinha, Former Indian Ambassador to Afghanistan Venue: BlueJeans Video Platform
12.	9 June 2020	Webinar on " <i>Parliamentary Elections and COVID-19 in Sri Lanka: Debating the Way Forward</i> " <u>Chair and Moderator:</u> Ambassador Ashok K. Kantha, Director, Institute of Chinese Studies, New Delhi Venue: VC
13.	11 June 2020	Webinar on " <i>Re-Defining National Logistics Post-Covid-19: India & Global Supply Chains</i> " <u>Chair and Moderator</u> Shri Dilip Chenoy, Secretary General, FICCI Venue: BlueJeans Video Platform
14.	16 June 2020	Web Meeting to mark the conclusion of MoU between ICWA and Christ University, Bengaluru [Closed-door event]

		Venue: Zoom Video Conference
15.	18 June 2020	Web Meeting to mark the conclusion of MoU between ICWA and Center for Public Policy Research(CPPR), Kochi [Closed-door event] Venue: Zoom Video Conference
16.	25 June 2020	Webinar on " <i>Is Globalisation Really Dead?</i> " <u>Chair:</u> Prof. Ram Upendra Das Head & Professor at the Centre for Regional Trade, New Delhi Venue: BlueJeans Video Platform for the Panelists
17.	26 June 2020	Web Meeting to mark the conclusion of MoU between ICWA and National Institute of Advanced Studies (NIAS), Bengaluru [Closed-door event] Venue: Zoom Video Conference
18.	30 June 2020	Webinar on " <i>Korean War at 70: Revisiting India's Role in the Korean Crisis</i> " <u>Chair and Moderator:</u> Lt. Gen Satish Nambiar, PVSM, AVSM, Vr C. (Retd.) Venue: BlueJeans Video Platform for the Panelists

July 2020

19.	6-7 July 2020	ICWA-IGNCA Webinar on " <i>Roads, Winds, Spices in the Western Indian Ocean: The Memory and Geopolitics of Maritime Heritage</i> " [in collaboration with the Indira Gandhi National Centre for Arts (IGNCA)] Venue: Zoom
20.	15 July 2020	ICWA-RIAC Closed-Door Webinar on " <i>India-Russia Relations in the</i>

		<p><i>Context of Post-Pandemic Global order"</i></p> <p>[Closed-door event]</p> <p><i>[in collaboration with the Russian International Affairs Council (RIAC)]</i></p> <p>Venue: Zoom</p>
21.	20 July 2020	<p>ICWA Webinar on "<i>Nelson Mandela in 2020</i>" to Commemorate Nelson Mandela Day</p> <p><u>Chair and Moderator:</u> Ambassador Ruchi Ghanashyam, Former High Commissioner to South Africa, Ghana and the UK</p> <p>Venue: BlueJeans Video Platform</p>
22.	23 July 2020	<p>ICWA Webinar on <i>The Antarctica Treaty @60: India and the 'White Continent'</i></p> <p><u>Chair and Moderator:</u> Dr. Rasik Ravindra, Former Director, National Centre for Polar and Ocean Research, Goa</p> <p>Venue: BlueJeans Video Platform</p>
23.	24 July 2020	<p>Joint USI-ICWA Webinar on "<i>Re-Imagining Pakistan's Strategic Behaviour vis a vis India</i>"</p> <p><u>Chair:</u> Maj Gen B.K. Sharma, AVSM, SM & Bar (Retd.), Director, USI</p> <p>Venue: Webex</p>
24.	30 July 2020	<p>ICWA Webinar on "<i>The UN at 75 and a Century of Indian Multilateralism</i>"</p> <p><u>Chair and Moderator:</u> Ambassador Asoke Mukerji, Former Permanent Representative of India to the United Nations in New York</p> <p>Venue: BlueJeans Video Platform</p>

August 2020

25.	6 August 2020	<p>Closed-door National Consultations on <i>"1982 UNCLOS: Issues of Safety, Security and Sustainable use of Ocean Resources in the Indian Ocean Region"</i></p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
26.	7 August 2020	<p>Video Conversation/Meeting between DG, ICWA and President, CPIFA (Beijing)</p> <p>From the Council DG, DDG and Dr. Sanjeev Kumar, RF will be attending the meeting</p> <p>CPIFA will provide details/link of video Meeting on Zoom platform</p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
27.	13 August 2020	<p>NIAS-ICWA Panel Discussion on <i>"Sri Lanka: The New Government and the Return of Mahinda Rajapaksa" - Election Analysis, Expectations from the Government, Challenges Ahead, & a road map for India</i></p> <p>[in collaboration with the National Institute of Advanced Studies (NIAS)]</p> <p>Venue: Zoom</p>
28.	17 August 2020	<p>Webinar to discuss the Sapru House Paper (SHP) on <i>"Coping with the Changing International Liberal Order: A Fundamental Challenge to the European Union"</i> written by Dr. Ankita Dutta, Research Fellow, ICWA</p> <p>Venue: Zoom</p>

September 2020

29.	02 September 2020	<p>Webinar on <i>"India-SCO Engagement: The Next Steps"</i></p> <p>Venue: Cisco Webex</p>
30.	04 September 2020	<p>Lecture on <i>'The Broad Canvas of Indian Diplomacy during the Pandemic'</i></p>

		<p>by Shri Harsh Vardhan Shringla, Foreign Secretary, Ministry of External Affairs</p> <p>followed by an interactive discussion moderated by Director General, ICWA Dr. T.C.A. Raghavan</p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
31.	10 September 2020	<p>Second ICWA – Institute for Foreign Affairs and Trade (IFAT) Hungary, Dialogue</p> <p>[Closed-door Interaction]</p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
32.	24 September 2020	<p>Webinar on "<i>The Eastern Mediterranean: A New Geopolitical Hotspot Amidst Turkey-Greece Tensions?</i>"</p> <p><u>Chair and Moderator:</u> Prof. Bimal N. Patel, Director General, Raksha Shakti University, Gujrat</p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
33.	29 September 2020	<p>15th Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) Forum Meeting</p> <p>Venue: VC</p>

October 2020

34.	1-2 October 2020	<p>International Webinar on '<i>Gandhi and the World</i>'</p> <p><u>Valedictory Address by:</u> Hon'ble Vice President of India Shri M. Venkaiah Naidu</p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
35.	7 October 2020	<p>ICWA-VIISAS International Webinar on "New Horizons in India-Vietnam Relations"</p> <p>[in collaboration with the Vietnam Institute for Indian and Southwest Asian Studies]</p> <p>Venue: Blue Jeans</p>
36.	8 October 2020	<p>Webinar on "<i>India and the 1982 UNCLOS</i>"</p>

		<p>Chair and Moderator: Professor Bimal N. Patel, Director General, Raksha Shakti University, Gujarat Venue: VC</p>
37.	12 October 2020	<p>Webinar on "<i>ASEAN's Regional Security Vision and the Sabah Dispute</i>"</p> <p>Chair and Moderator: Ambassador Gurjit Singh, Former Ambassador to Indonesia and ASEAN Venue: VC</p>
38.	15-16 October 2020	<p>ICWA-SAU Webinar on "<i>Women and Power: Gender within International Relations and Diplomacy</i>"</p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
39.	20 October 2020	<p>ICWA- RIAC Webinar</p> <p>"Russia – India Strategic Partnership: Assessing Progress and Chartering the Path Forward" <i>20 Years of Signing of the Declaration on Strategic Partnership</i></p> <p><i>[in collaboration with the Russian International Affairs Council (RIAC)]</i></p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
40.	20 October 2020	<p>Web Interaction between ICWA and FUNAG, Brazil</p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
41.	22 October 2020	<p>Signing Ceremony of MoU on Bilateral Dialogue between Indian Council of World Affairs (ICWA), and Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS) of the Republic of India and Korea National Diplomatic Academy (KNDA), and Korea Institute for International Economic Policy (KIEP) of the Republic of Korea</p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
42.	23 October 2020	<p>Online Book Launch '<i>The South Caucasus: Transition from Subjugation to Independence</i>' by Ambassador Achal Malhotra and</p>

		Panel Discussion on " <i>The Nagorno-Karabakh Imbrolio</i> " Venue: VC
43.	27 October 2020	7 th ICWA-PISM Strategic Dialogue on <i>"Towards a Stronger India-Poland Partnership in Times of Global Change"</i> An online Conference [in collaboration with the Polish Institute for International Affairs (PISM)] Venue: VC
44.	29 October 2020	ICWA-AIC-Pathfinder Foundation-Asian Confluence Web Dialogue on " <i>Deepening India-Sri Lanka Ties in the New World Order</i> " [in collaboration with the ASEAN-India Centre (AIC) at RIS, Pathfinder Foundation and Asian Confluence] Venue: VC

November 2020

45.	02 November 2020	Webinar on " <i>Upcoming General Elections in Myanmar (8 November 2020): A Test for the NLD Led Democratic Transition?</i> " <u>Chair and Moderator:</u> Ambassador Gautam Mukhopadhaya, Senior Visiting Fellow, Centre for Policy Research, Delhi Venue: VC
46.	5-6 November 2020	ICWA-ASEAN India Centre (AIC), RIS Conference on <i>Mekong Ganga Cooperation</i> Venue: VC
47.	9 November 2020	ICWA-USI MoU Signing Ceremony Venue: VC
48.	10 November 2020	Webinar on " <i>China-Pakistan Relations and the CPEC: Returning to the Shadows?</i> "

		<p>Chair: Dr. T.C.A. Raghavan, Director General, ICWA</p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
49.	17 November 2020	<p>Conclusion of MoU between ICWA and ISB, Hyderabad</p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
50.	19 November 2020	<p>ICWA- The Wilson Centre, Washington D.C. (Closed Door Briefing)</p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
51.	24-25 November 2020	<p>Fourth India-Africa Online Conference under IAFS-III on <i>“India and Africa Looking Ahead: Contemporary Realities and Emerging Prospects”</i></p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
52.	27 November 2020	<p>Second Indo-German Track 1.5 Dialogue</p> <p>Venue: VC</p>

December 2020

53.	3 December 2020	<p>Book Launch <i>“Beyond Pan-Asianism: Connecting China and India, 1840s-1960s”</i> co-hosted by ICWA, ICS and JNU</p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
54.	10 December 2020	<p>ICWA Webinar on <i>“Advancing Reformed Multilateralism in the Changing World”</i></p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
55.	19-20 December 2020	<p><i>Dialogues 2020: Fostering the Relations between India and South East Asian Countries with reference to The Rising Role of Buddhism in India’s Soft Power and Bodh Gaya”</i></p> <p>Outreach programme financially supported by ICWA: Organized by Deshkal Society, NOIDA, U.P.</p> <p>Venue: New Delhi</p>
56.	21 December 2020	<p>Second ICWA- IPIS dialogue</p>

		Venue: VC <i>[in collaboration with the Institute for Political and International Studies (IPIS), Tehran, IRAN]</i>
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January 2021

57.	15 January 2021	37 th Sapru House Lecture by H.E. Mr. Pradeep Kumar Gyawali, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Nepal followed by an informal interaction Venue: Sapru House lawns
58.	20 January 2021	First Track-II Dialogue on ' <i>India-Japan-Russia Trilateral Cooperation in the Russian Far East</i> ' Venue: VC [in collaboration with Economic Research Institute for Northeast Asia (ERINA), Japan and Far East Investment and Export Agency (FEIEA), Russia]
59.	29 January 2021	'IORA Capacity Building Workshop on the 1982 UNCLOS' Venue: VC

February 2021

60.	17 February 2021	Online Panel Discussion on the Book ' <i>Syria: The Tragedy of a Pivotal State</i> ' by Ambassador Rajendra M. Abhyankar, Former Ambassador of India to Syria <u>Chair & Moderator:</u> Ambassador V.P. Haran, Former Ambassador of India to Syria Venue: VC
61.	18 February 2021	ICWA- ISB Learning Table (virtual) on " <i>How Can India Emerge as an International Education Hub: the NEP and Beyond: The Critical Role of Faculty Development in this Mission</i> " Venue: VC <i>[in collaboration with the ISB, Hyderabad]</i>
62.	19-20 February 2021	Foreign Policy awareness programme in HINDI in जी. डी. सी. मेमोरियल कॉलेज, भिवानी, हरियाणा on "भारतीयविदेशनितिमेंनएआयाम"

		Outreach programme financially supported by ICWA <u>Venue:</u> भिवानी, हरियाणा -127028
63.	23 February 2021	Second India-Uzbekistan Think Tanks Forum <u>Venue:</u> VC
64.	25 February 2021	Webinar on “ <i>Afghanistan’s Opportunity for Peace: Young voices from Afghanistan reflect on the Peace Process</i> ” <u>Chair & Moderator:</u> Ambassador Gautam Mukhopadhaya, Former Indian Ambassador to Afghanistan <u>Venue:</u> VC
65.	27 February 2021	First in the series of six ICWA-USI: UN Webinars, on “ <i>India and UN Peace Operations: Principles of UN Peacekeeping and Mandate</i> ” <u>Venue:</u> VC [in collaboration with the United Service Institution of India (USI)]

March 2021

66.	6-7 March 2021	Foreign Policy awareness programme in HINDI at राजनीतिविज्ञानविभाग, चमनलालमहाविद्यालय, लंढौरा, हरिद्वार on “दक्षिणएशियामेंराजनितिकस्थिरताएवंविकासमेंभारतकीभूमिका” Outreach Programme financially supported by ICWA <u>Venue:</u> हरिद्वार, उत्तराखंड
67.	11 March 2021	Panel Discussion on “ <i>A Gender – Sensitive Indian Foreign Policy – Why? And How?</i> ” <u>Chair and Moderator:</u> Ambassador Nirupama Menon Rao, Former Foreign Secretary of India <u>Venue:</u> VC

68.	13-14 March 2021	<p>Foreign Policy awareness programme in HINDI at अमरनाथमिश्रसनातकोतरमहाविद्यालय, दुबेछपरा, बलिया, (उत्तरप्रदेश) on “कोविड-19 कालमेंभारत-चीनसम्बन्धोकेपरिवर्तितआयाम”</p> <p>Outreach Programme financially supported by ICWA</p> <p><u>Venue:</u> बलिया, (उत्तरप्रदेश).</p>
69.	23-24 March 2021	<p>ICWA International Conference on “<i>K M Panikkar and The Growth of a Maritime Consciousness in India</i>”</p> <p>Venue: VC</p>
70.	25 March 2021	<p>Discussion on “<i>Current Political Situation in Nepal</i>”</p> <p><u>Chaired by</u> Amb. Dr. T.C.A. Raghavan, Director General, ICWA</p> <p>Venue: Lecture Hall, ICWA</p>
71.	28-29 March 2021	<p>Two day International Webinar on “<i>India Relations with Sri Lanka & Maldives</i>”</p> <p>Outreach programme financially supported by ICWA:</p> <p>Organized by Kolkata Society for Asian Studies, Kolkata (West Bengal)</p> <p>Venue: Kolkata (West Bengal) – Virtual Conference</p>

Annexure-III

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