

# Goa University School of International and Area Studies Report on G20 University Connect

1. Title of the Event/Activity/program	G20 University Connect – Engaging Young Minds, a lecture series on
2. Date and Time	14th March 2023 at 3 to 5 PM
3. Mode of conduct (Physical/Online)	PHYSICAL
4. School/ Directorate/ Section	School of International and Area Studies
5. Collaborating Agency/School/Directorate	RIS – Research and Information System for Developing Countries and Ministry of External Affairs
6. Detail of the Resource Person (Brief biodata)	<ol> <li>Keynote speaker Prof. Arvind Kumar, of American Studies at the Centre for Canadian, US, and Latin American Studies, at the School of International Studies, JNU.</li> <li>Special Address Dr. Dattesh Parulekar, Assistant Professor and Programme director at the School of International and Area Studies, Goa University.</li> <li>Dr. Priyadarshi Dash, Associate Professor at RIS – Research and Information System for Development, New – Delhi.</li> </ol>
7. Number of Faculty attended/participated	11
8. Number of Student attended / participated	97
9. No. of external students/faculty/other participants	01

10. The objectives of the Program/activity/event	To Create awareness regarding India's G20 Presidency. To highlight the issues in the G20 forum.
11. Description of the Program/activity/event	The School of International and Area Studies, Goa University in Association with RIS – Research and Information System for Developing Countries and Ministry of External Affairs organized G20 University Connect – Engaging Young Minds, a lecture series on 14 <sup>th</sup> March 2023 at Goa University.
12. Benefit/Key outcomes of the Program/activity/event	Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Prof. Harilal Menon delivered his presidential remark and called upon to celebrate India's G20 presidency and ascendency in the field of science and technology.
	highlighted the evolution of Group of Nation, the significance of economic growth of India, sustainable development and energy security issues in the contemporary international relations.
	brought out different dimensions of minilaterlism and multilateralism at the regional, sub-regional, and global levels. He also touched upon the significance of the global south and the power of ideation manifested by the government of India.
13. Enclosures with report	Brochure, Flyer, Geo-tag photos, Attendance of students/faculty/external participants.

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pr. Nukund V. Naeventar Name of coordinator

Designation: AW- By
Date: 11 | 4 | 2023

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# School of International & Area Studies

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## **G20 University Connect**

**Engaging Young Minds** 

Lecture Series

Date: 14-03-2023

Time: 3:00 - 5:00 pm

Venue: Conference Hall, Admn. Block, Goa University

Location: FR5M+HJ9, Goa University, Taleigao, Goa 403206

YouTube livestreaming link:

https://www.youtube.com/goauniversity1985/live

To access the G2O-A Primer Click: <a href="https://doi.org/bit.ly/3VWIWMF">bit.ly/3VWIWMF</a> Scan QR code













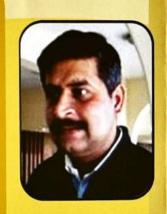
#### Prof. Harilal Menon, Vice Chancellor, Goa University

The 9th Vice-Chancellor of Goa University, Professor Menon has 33 years of teaching and research experience at Goa University. His areas of specialization are optical remote sensing of coastal and estuarine waters and aerosol science. He worked with the concept of "LAB to LAND" and developed a radiative transfer model (GURTRAM – Goa University Radiative Transfer Model). Prof. Menon developed a site-specific algorithm "Goa University Case II water algorithm (GU-CII). His work on coastal water remote sensing and aerosol resulted in scientific outputs on coastal water optics, aerosol and global climate. Prof. Menon, was awarded the CSIR fellowship and received his M.Sc. and Ph.D. from Cochin University of Science and Technology. His postdoctoral work, under DAAD fellowship, was at Max-Plank Institute of Meteorology and Institute of Oceanography, Germany. He has delivered numerous technical lectures and has travelled to Japan, Singapore, Australia, Taiwan, U.S., Germany and U.K. and organized various scientific sessions and chaired sessions on ocean colour and aerosol and climate.



#### Prof. Arvind Kumar, Center for US, Canadian and Latin American Studies, SIS, JNU.

Dr. Arvind Kumar is Professor of American Studies at the School of International Studies (SIS), Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi. His research interests include strategic capabilities of China and Pakistan, nuclear doctrines and strategy, nuclear weapons and delivery systems, India's internal security issues, Indo-US relations and defence strategy and planning. He was at the National Institute of Advanced Studies, Bangalore and the Institute for Defence Studies & Analyses (IDSA), New Delhi. He has a number of publications to his credit, in journals, edited volumes, magazines and newspapers. He was a member of the Advisory Board of contemporary India Programme of the University of Warsaw, Poland and the Hoecschule University of Applied Sciences, Bremen. He is a member of the International Studies Association as well as the European International Studies Association.



#### Prof. Aparajita Gangopadhyay, Dean, SIAS, Goa University

Professor Aparajita Gangopadhyay is currently the Dean of the School of International & Area Studies, Goa University. She has been a Visiting Faculty at the Chengchi National University, Taipei, Taiwan, and the department of International Relations, Marie Curie Sklodowska University, Lublin, Poland, as also at the Institute of International Relations, at Vilnius, Lithuania, and the Sciences Po Lyon, France. Besides, she was designated as Visiting Professor Extraordinary, by the Universidad Nacional de Rio Cuarto, Argentina. She was a member of the Indian Delegation to Brazil, as part of the Government of India's India-Brazil 1.5 Dialogue in 2013. She has widely published in areas such as India-Latin America Relations, India's Foreign Policy, India's Diaspora Policy, Argentina-Brazil Relations, and Regional Integration. She is also a member of the Academic Council of the India Studies Programme, of the State University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. Furthermore, she is the founding member of the Centre for International Development and Cooperation Research at the University of Bucharest, Romania.









### Dr. Priyadarshi Dash, Associate Professor, Research and Information Center (RIS).

Dr. Priyadarshi Dash is Associate Professor at Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS), New Delhi, India. He contributes to RIS work programmes on G20, BIMSTEC, Indo-Pacific and Asia-Africa Growth Corridor. His research interests include services trade, regional financial cooperation, infrastructure finance, macroeconomic and development strategies, and blue economy. Dr. Dash has widely published and several papers in peer-reviewed journals and edited volumes. He has visited Korea Institute for Industrial Economics and Trade (KIET), Seoul as a 'Visiting Fellow' and holds a PhD in Economics from IIT, Bombay, has received the "Award for Excellence in Thesis Work" by IIT Bombay.



## Dr. Dattesh D. Parulekar, Asst. Professor & Programme Director, SIAS, Goa University.

Dattesh D. Parulekar (PhD), is Assistant Professor and Programme Director at the SIAS. He is a Visiting Faculty at the Rashtriya Raksha University (RRU), Gandhinagar, Gujarat, which is an institution of national importance of the Govt. of India. His areas of specialisation, are India's Foreign Policy, Chinese Political Economy, Strategic Maritime Affairs, and Eurasian and West Asian Geopolitics. He periodically lectures on myriad Strategic Issues, at all national defence institutions, such as the Naval War College, Goa; the College of Defence Management (CDM) and College of Air Warfare (CAW) both at Secunderabad; the Defence Services Staff College (DSSC), Wellington; and the Army War College (AWC), Mhow. He is also associated with multiple think tanks, public universities and institutes in China, besides, across Europe, Latin America and South Asia. Besides being a regular strategic commentator, he is involved with research projects with the Kajima Institute of Peace (Japan) and the Institute for Security and Development Policy (Sweden).



#### Dr. Mukund Narvenkar, Asst. Professor, SIAS, Goa University

Dr. Mukund V. Narvenkar, is Assistant Professor at the School of International and Area Studies, Goa University. His areas of interest are Maritime Security, India's foreign policy, and strategic security. He did his Ph.D. from the Department of Political Science, Goa University in 2019. He has nine years of teaching experience, and has published research articles in national and internationally edited books. He has attended national and international seminars on maritime security, international relations, and security studies, most notably, on the Sea Lines of Communication and the Arabian Gulf: An Indian Perspective, at the King's College, London, and on India's Look-East Policy: An Integration of States at Trivandrum, and on Maritime Domain Awareness and the Concept of Security Net of India, at the Gujarat National Law University, Gandhinagar, Gujarat. Besides, he also vended on Understanding the Strategic Contours of India's Perspective on the Indo-Pacific at Cochin. Notwithstanding, he was awarded the Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship during his M.Phil.









## 'G20 University Connect: Lecture Series'

## School of International & Area Studies

Date: Tuesday, 14th March 2023 Time: 3.00 - 5.00pm Venue: Conference Hall, Goa University

#### **AGENDA**

Time	Event
3.00 - 3.05pm	Screening of the Official Video - Theme of 'G20' Indian Presidency 2023
3.05 - 3.10pm	Dignitaries Welcomed on Dias & Lighting of the Traditional Lamp
3.10 - 3.20pm	Welcome Remarks and Introduction of Dignitaries and Speakers by Prof. Aparajita
	Gangopadhyay, Dean, SIAS.
3.20 - 3.30pm	Presidential Address by Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Prof. Harilal Menon
3.30 - 3.55pm	Keynote Address by Prof. Arvind Kumar, Centre for Canadian, United States and
	Latin American Studies, SIS, JNU
3.55 – 4.10pm	Special Address by Dr. Dattesh D. Parulekar, Assistant Professor, SIAS
4.10 - 4.25pm	Special Address by Dr. Priyadarshi Dash, Associate Professor, RIS
4.25 - 4.45pm	Q&A
4.45 - 4.55pm	Prize Distribution Ceremony and Presentation of Mementos to the Guests
4.55 - 5.00pm	Vote of Thanks by Dr. Mukund Narvenkar, Assistant Professor, SIAS





