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# DELHI POLICY GROUP

*Program on Developing Durable Peace Processes & Partners*

## *Conference II*

### **Finding Common Ground: India's Global Peacemaking Interests**

*August 31-September 2, 2005*

*Venue—India International Centre, Conference Room II*

## **Agenda**

### **Aug 31, 2005**

**7.30 p.m.**

**Conference dinner, Cocktail Lounge, Ashoka Hotel.**

#### **Opening Remarks:**

KS Bajpai, *Delhi Policy Group*

Michael Arthur, *United Kingdom High Commissioner to India*

Francisco da Camara Gomes, *European Union Ambassador to India*

#### **Keynote Address: The Millennium Development Goals**

Montek Singh Ahluwalia, *Deputy Chairman of the Planning Commission of India*

### **September 1, 2005**

**10.00 – 10.30 a.m.**

**Session I. Opening Remarks**

*Speaker: Meera Shankar, UN Division, Ministry of External Affairs*



**10.30 – 11.30 a.m.**

**Session II. Changing Approaches to Peacemaking after the Cold War and 9/11**

*Speakers: Radha Kumar, Peacemaking After the Cold War and 9/11: Lessons Learned*

*Yogesh Saxena, What Makes A Peace Agreement Implementable? —Observations from Africa, Central Asia and East Timor*



*Chair: Naresh Chandra*

**11.30 – 11.45 a.m.**

**Break**



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**11.45 a.m. – 1.00 p.m. Session III. India, the EU, the UN, Cooperation & Reform**

*Speakers:* Satish Nambiar, *Humanitarian Response & the “Right to Protect”*

Gareth Price, *UN Reform: The View from Europe*

*Chair:* Nitin Desai

**1.00 – 2.00 p.m. Break**

**2.00 – 3.45 p.m. Session IV. In Focus, Africa: The Sudan Peace Process**

*Speakers:* Lazaro Sumbeiywo, *Negotiating the Comprehensive Peace Agreement*

Gama Hassan, *Will the Federal Solution Work?*

Bol Gatkouth C. Kol, *Self-Determination and Sudanese Unity*

*Chair:* KS Bajpai

**3.45 – 4.00 p.m. Break**

**4.00 – 5.30 p.m. Session V. Round Table Discussion on Lessons Learned in Africa**

*Chair:* Arundhati Ghose

**6.30 – 8.00 p.m. Public Lecture Lazarus Sumbeiywo**

*Chair:* SK Singh, *Governor of Arunachal Pradesh*



**September 2, 2005**

**10.00 – 11.30 a.m. Session VI. At Home and Abroad, Afghanistan**

*Speakers:* M Masoom Stanekzai, *Implementing the Bonn Agreement*

Barnett Rubin, *What Next for the International Community in Afghanistan?*

*Comments:* Faruk Kaymakci

*Chair:* Sati Lambah

**11.30 – 11.45 a.m. Break**





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- 11.45 – 1.00 p.m.**      **Discussion, Afghanistan**
- 1.00 – 2.00 p.m.**      Break
- 2.00 – 3.30 p.m.**      **Session VII. At Home Abroad, Sri Lanka  
In Memoriam: Lakshman Kadirgamar**
- Speakers: Jehan Perera, Renewing the Sri Lankan Peace Process—Key Elements  
Bandula Jayasekara, Island News, The Peace Process after Kadirgamar  
Ketesh Loganathan, Role of the International Community and India*
- Chair: K Padmanabhaiyah*
- 3.30 – 3.45 p.m.**      Break
- 3.45 – 4.30 p.m.**      **At Home Abroad, Sri Lanka (continued)**
- Comments: Jon Westborg*
- 4.30 – 5.30 p.m.**      **Session VIII. Building Consensus on Peace and Security**
- Christian Wagner, India and the EU: An Evolving Relationship  
Kirsty Hughes, Developing a European Consensus on Foreign and Security Policy: The EU's Mixed Bag  
Murat Belge, Will Membership Help Peace? Turkey, the Kurds, Cyprus and Europe*
- Chair: NN Vohra*
- 6.30 – 8.00 p.m.**      **Panel Discussion on Radical Islam**
- Panelists: Barnett Rubin, Masoom Stanekzai and Murat Belge*
- Chair: Radha Kumar*





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## Participants List

1. Lt-General Lazarus Sumbeiywo, IGAD Special Envoy to the Sudan peace process, Kenya
2. Bol Gatkouth C. Kol, Chairman, Sudan People's Democratic Front, Sudan
3. Gama Hassan, former Minister for Science and Technology, south Sudan
4. Jehan Perera, Media Director, National Peace Council, Sri Lanka
5. Bandula Jayasekara, *Island News*, Sri Lanka
6. Masoom Stanekzai, Advisor to the President of Afghanistan and Vice-Chair of the Commission on Decommissioning, Demobilization and Reintegration
7. Barnett Rubin, Studies Director, Center for International Cooperation, NYU, U.S.
8. Murat Belge, Bilgi University, Turkey
9. Gareth Price, Director Asia Program, Chatham House, UK
10. Kirsty Hughes, Birkbeck College, UK
11. Christian Wagner, Senior Asia Analyst, SWP, Germany
12. Faruk Kaymakci, Political Advisor to the Civilian Representative, NATO, Afghanistan
13. Anne Coulon, University of Limerick, Ireland
14. Ketesh Loganathan, Center for Policy Alternatives, Sri Lanka
15. Ambassador Sati Lambah, Chairman National Security Advisory Board of India
16. Ambassador Naresh Chandra, Co-Chairman India-U.S. Strategic Dialogue
17. Ambassador Shankar Bajpai, Chairman Delhi Policy Group
18. NN Vohra, Co-Chairman India-EU Round Table
19. General Ashok Mehta
20. Ambassador Hamid Ansari, Observer Research Foundation
21. Ambassador Arundhati Ghose
22. Amitabh Mattoo, Vice-Chancellor Jammu University
23. Mushirul Hasan, Vice-Chancellor Jamia Millia University
24. Professor Zoya Hasan, Jawaharlal Nehru University
25. Nitin Desai, Trustee Delhi Policy Group
26. K Padmanabhaiyah, GOI Representative for the Naga Peace Talks
27. Ambassador Shekhar Dasgupta, Tata Energy Research Institute
28. General Satish Nambiar, United Services Institute
29. Pradeep Rao, Delhi Policy Group
30. Ambassador Virendra Dayal
31. Professor Suryanarayana, Calicut University
32. Yogesh Saksena
33. Ambassador Satish Chandra, former Deputy National Security Advisor of India
34. R. M. S. Liberhan, Director Habitat Center
35. Lt-General Vijay Jetley
36. Air Marshal Patney
37. Tasneem Minai, Jamia Millia University
38. C Rajamohan, Strategic Affairs Editor, Indian Express
39. Rear Admiral Raja Menon
40. Major-General Dipankar Bannerjee, Institute for Conflict Resolution
41. Former Foreign Secretary Shashank
42. T. N. Ninan, Editor, Business Standard
43. Shahid Siddiqui, MP, Samajwadi Party
44. George Verghese, Center for Policy Research
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