



**JNU JEAN MONNET CHAIR
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**INDIA AND THE EUROPEAN UNION IN
A CHANGING WORLD:
Perceptions and Perspectives**

**Committee Room, Convention Centre
Jawaharlal Nehru University,
1-2 March 2012**

THURSDAY, 1 MARCH 2012

10:00-11.05: Inaugural Session

Chair: Christopher Sam Raj, *Dean, School of International Studies*

- 10.00-10.05 **Welcome Remarks**
Rajendra K. Jain, *Jean Monnet Chair, Centre for European Studies, JNU*
- 10.05-10.10 **Inaugural Remarks**
Prof. Sudha Pai, *Rector, JNU*
- 10.10-10:40 **Keynote Address**
H.E. Joao Cravinho, *Ambassador and Head of Delegation of the European Union, New Delhi*
- 10.40-11:00 **Keynote Address**
H.E. Mr Freddy Svane, *Ambassador of Denmark to India*

11:00 – 11:30 TEA/COFFEE BREAK

11:30 – 13.15

Session 2: The European Union and South Asia

Chair: Ummu Salma Bava, *Centre for European Studies, JNU*

The European Union and South Asia

Pramit Pal Chaudhuri, *Foreign Editor, Hindustan Times*

EU Strategy towards South Asia

Jakub Zajączkowski, *University of Warsaw*

The European Union and Conflict Resolution in Nepal

Manish Thapa, *Department of Conflict, Peace & Development Studies, Tribhuvan University, Kathmandu*

The European Union as a 'Crisis Manager':

A Case Study of Afghanistan since 9/11

Keerthi Kumar, *PhD Scholar, Centre for European Studies, SIS, JNU*

12:45 – 13:15 Discussion

13:15 – 14:15 LUNCH

14:15 – 15:45

Session 3: India and the European Union in a Multipolar World

Chair: Ambassador T.C.A. Rangachari, Director, Academy of International Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi

India-EU Strategic Partnership Revisited

Rajendra K. Jain, *Jean Monnet Chair, Centre for European Studies, JNU*

India and the EU as Emerging Powers in a Changing International Order

Ummu Salma Bava, *Centre for European Studies, JNU*

Europe and India in a Multipolar World:

New Meanings of Nation, Nation-Building and Balance of Power

Hartmut Elsenhans, *Leipzig University*

India-EU Relations in the context of Multilateralism and Multipolar World Order

B K Krishnamoorthy, *Pondicherry University*

India and EU-China Relations

Srikant Kondapalli, *Centre for East Asian Studies, JNU*

15:15 – 15:45 Discussion

15:45 – 16:15 TEA/COFFEE BREAK

16:15—17:45

Session 4: India and the European Union

Chair: Jakub Zajackowski, University of Warsaw

India, the European Union and UN Peacekeeping Operations: Challenges and Opportunities

Satish Nambiar, *former Director, USI Institute*

India, the European Union, and Global Norms

V G Hegde, *Centre for International Legal Studies, JNU*

India, the EU, and Climate Change

Archana Negi, *Centre for International Politics, Organization and Disarmament, SIS, JNU*

Piracy: Issues and Challenges for India and Europe
Sandhya De and Sujata Arya, *Symbiosis Law School, Pune*

The India Take on the EU: An Analysis through the Prism of Newspapers and the Views of the Indian Elite
Shreya Pandey, *PhD Scholar, Centre for European Studies, JNU*

17:30-18:00 Discussion

FRIDAY, 2 MARCH 2012

10:00—10:45

Session 5: Economic and Trade Relations 1

Chair: Ambassador A.N. Ram, former Ambassador to the European Union

India-EU Trade and Investment Agreement
Gulshan Sachdeva, *Centre for European Studies, SIS, JNU*

India, EU and Development Aid
Sachin Chaturvedi, *Research and Information System for the Non-aligned and Developing Countries, New Delhi*

EU Development Cooperation with India
Jayaraj Amin, *Mangalore University*

10:45-11:15 Discussion

11:15-11:45 TEA/COFFEE BREAK

11:45—12:30

Session 6: Economic and Trade Relations, 2

Chair: Manish Thapa, Tribhuvan University, Kathmandu

India and the Eurozone Sovereign Debt Crisis
Karina Jedrzejowska, *University of Warsaw*

Competition for Central Asian Energy: A Study of the European and Indian Approaches
Rajeev Lala, *PhD Scholar, Centre for European Studies, SIS, JNU*

Indian Investment in Central Europe
Aleksandra Jarczewska, *University of Warsaw*

12:30—13:15 DISCUSSION

13:15-14:30 LUNCH

14:30-15:15

Session 5: Social and Cultural Dimensions 1

Chair: Idesbald Goddeeris, *Leuven University, Belgium*

Unity and Diversity: India and Europe

Bhaswati Sarkar, *Centre for European Studies, JNU*

Multiculturalism and Social Structures in India and Europe

Sheetal Sharma, *Centre for European Studies, JNU*

Multiculturalism, Integration and Identity:

Experiences of European Union and India

Praveen Shetty and Neeta Inamdar, *Centre for European Studies, Manipal University*

15:15—15:45 DISCUSSION

15:45-16:15 TEA/COFFEE BREAK

16:15—17:15

Session 5: Social and Cultural Dimensions 2

Chair: Neeta Inamdar, *Manipal University*

European Union and SAARC: The Identity Questions

C. Sheela Reddy, *Indian Institute of Public Administration* and P. Krishna Mohan Reddy, *Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati*

Indian Migration on the European Continent

Idesbald Goddeeris and Sara Cosemans, *Leuven University, Belgium*

Indian Migration in the United Kingdom

Divya Balan, *Research Scholar, CES, JNU*

15:15—15:45 DISCUSSION

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