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ICS Annual Report

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1. OVERVIEW

Introduction to the Institute of Chinese Studies

The Institute of Chinese Studies (ICS) grew out of the China Study Group which was initiated in 1969 as an informal, interdisciplinary forum of scholars working on China at various universities and research institutes of Delhi. The Group conducted fortnightly discussions on contemporary topics, and helped sustain *China Report*, the only Indian journal on China and East Asia. In 1990, the China Study Group was reconstituted as the Institute of Chinese Studies (ICS), an interdisciplinary East Asian research programme of the Centre for the Study of Developing Societies, Delhi.

The main function of the ICS is to promote the systematic study of China and East Asia in India by initiating and supporting research programmes, both within the Institute and outside. It seeks to provide a forum for sustained scholarly exchange and interaction between Indian academics and scholars from China and other parts of the world, to build up resource materials and a data-base on China, to disseminate information and research findings to a wider public, as well as to train younger social scientists in East Asian Studies.

Over recent years, the ICS has received financial and other support for its activities from a number of sources, including the Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India; The Indian Council of Social Science Research; the Ford Foundation, New Delhi; The Japan Foundation; the Sasakawa Peace Foundation, Japan; the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII); and the Tata Iron and Steel Corporation (TISCO). Recent years have also seen the consolidation of three new ICS programmes: the East Asia Programme, the Chinese Economy Research Programme, and the India-China Comparative Studies Programme, as well as the initiation of research focus on Korea.

ICS has been the nodal agency for the Bangladesh-China-India-Myanmar (BCIM) Forum for Economic Cooperation and the China-India-Russia Academic Trilateral Conference, as well as a foundation member of the Boao Forum for Asia (Hainan). The Institute also has MoUs with a number of institutions in China and elsewhere in Asia to promote academic cooperation and research activities.

2. NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS

(1) Sixth Meeting of the BCIM:

In collaboration with Centre for Policy Research (CPR), Delhi, ICS hosted the 6th Meeting of the Forum for Regional Economic Cooperation of BCIM (Bangladesh-China-India-Myanmar) which was held at the Samrat Hotel, New Delhi, 30-31st March 2006. Presentations and discussions covered a wide range of issues including: tourism; health; multilateral cooperation; trade and investment potential; transportation; development and social sector issues; organizing and expanding cooperation.

(2) India-China Energy Dialogue:

In collaboration with the Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences, Shanghai, and The Energy Research Institute (TERI), New Delhi, ICS conducted a dialogue on Energy Cooperation between India and China on 10th April 2006. The Dialogue involved academicians, diplomats and policy-makers. The ICS team was led by Amb. V.C. Khanna, co-convenor of the Conference, along with Dr. Ligia Noronha of TERI.

(3) ICS Comparative Development Studies Seminar:

A two-day National Seminar, fifth in the series of ICS Comparative Development Studies, was held on 4-5 August 2006. Entitled “Reforms and Democratization: Challenges of Governance in India and China”, the seminar sought to bring together the field research of ICS faculty and associates, conducted under the Ford Foundation Grant (2003-06). Sessions included: Overview and comparisons of reforms and democratization in India and China; The agrarian sector and the rural-urban divide; Regions, minorities and border peoples; and Social opportunity and social disparity.

(4) Visit of the Yunnan Governor Mr. Xu Rongkai

18 September 2007, ICS hosted an interactive meeting with a delegation from Yunnan Province, China led by the Provincial Governor, Mr. Xu Rongkai. Mr. Xu was accompanied by Mr. Che Zhemin, Director General of the Yunnan Development Research Centre and other YDRC officials, representatives of Departments of the Yunnan Provincial Government, and senior researchers, of the Yunnan Academy of Social Sciences. Speakers included Dr. Patricia Uberoi, Mr. Xu Rongkai and Dr. Arvinder Singh (ICS) who presented an assessment of the achievements and prospects of BCIM cooperation.

(5) Brainstorming session on the visit of Chinese President Mr. Hu Jintao

On the eve of Chinese President Mr. Hu Jintao's visit to Delhi in November 2006, ICS conducted an internal brainstorming session on 4 October 2006. This meeting provided an occasion to collectively discuss the changes that have occurred in India-China bilateral relations since the former Chinese President Jiang Zemin's visit to India.

(5) Sixth China-India-Russia Academic Trilateral Conference

The Sixth China-India-Russia Academic Trilateral Conference was held on 2-4th November 2006 in New Delhi with the collaboration of the Indian Council of World Affairs. The Conference was attended by foreign delegates from the China Institute of International Studies (CIIS), Beijing and RAS Institute of Far Eastern Studies, Moscow. The keynote address on "China, India, Russia: Getting Out of Backwardness or, 'Cunning Passages of History'" was delivered by Prof. Amiya Kumar Bagchi, Director, Institute of Economic Development, Kolkata.

The discussions focussed on the following themes:

- Emerging Trends in the Global Trading Regime
- Development and Growth: 1) Environment issues; 2) Agriculture; 3) Restructuring of the Public Sector
- Current International Situation: 1) Shanghai Cooperation Organization; 2) Crisis in West Asia; 3) North Korean Nuclear Tests
- Policy Recommendations and Summing Up.

(7) Lines of Convergence: India-China-Japan and the Future of Asia:

As part of the India-China-Japan project under the East Asian Programme of ICS, an international conference on "Lines of Convergence: India-China-Japan and the Future of Asia" was organized by Prof. Brij Tankha on 13-14 December 2006 at India International Centre and United Service Institute, Delhi. Distinguished scholars from the three countries participated and presented papers. They discussed the changing social and cultural contours of societies in India, China and Japan. This event was sponsored by the Sasakawa Peace Foundation, Tokyo.

(8) Fourth Giri Deshingkar Memorial Lecture:

The Giri Deshingkar Memorial Lectures are a series of lectures instituted in the memory of Prof. Giri Deshingkar, former Director of the Centre for the Study of Developing Societies, founder member of the Institute of Chinese Studies, and a distinguished China scholar. Earlier lectures were delivered by Prof. Prasenjit Duara, Prof. Wang Gungwu and Prof. Tan Chung.

The Fourth Giri Deshingkar Memorial Lecture on "Remapping Modern East-West History into Geopolitical North-South Regional Dynamism" was delivered by Prof. Hamashita Takeshi, Professor in the Faculty of International Communication, Ryukoku University, Japan the Lecture was held at the CSDS Conference Hall on 15 December 2006, Chaired by Prof. T.N. Madan.

(9) Public Lecture by Prof. David Shambaugh:

ICS had organized a Public Lecture by Prof. David Shambaugh, Director, China Policy Programme, The George Washington University on “China Engages Asia: Implications for the Regional Order” on 19 December 2006 at the IIC. In his lecture Prof. Shambaugh detailed the dimensions of China’s engagement with Asia and discussed the consequences for the emerging regional order.

(10) Conference on “Review of China Studies in India”:

The Institute of China Studies, supported by the ICSSR and the MEA, organized a Conference at the Women’s Studies Centre, University of Delhi on 20-21 December 2006, to review the present state of China Studies in India, as well as to consider ways to take China Studies forward. Scholars from various universities and institutions from different parts of India, along with persons from the media and business organizations, participated in this Conference, which was convened by Dr. Madhavi Thampi, along with Prof. Patricia Uberoi and Dr. Ravni Thakur. The Conference was inaugurated by Mr. Shiv Shankar Menon, Foreign Secretary, Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India.

(11) Roundtable Discussion with Prof. Wang Hui, Professor of History, Tsinghua University

On 12 February 2007, ICS had organized a roundtable discussion at the India International Centre with Prof. Wang Hui, Professor of History, Tsinghua University, Beijing and Editor, *Dushu*, on “Rethinking 1989”. Professor Wang Hui is one of contemporary China’s foremost intellectuals and scholars, and has emerged as a critical voice in the tradition of the great twentieth-century revolutionary author and social critic Lu Xun, on whom he has written extensively. The meeting was convened by Dr. Arvinder Singh and chaired by Prof. Manoranjan Mohanty.

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3. ICS PARTICIPATION IN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES

(1) **Boao Forum for Asia:** Dr. Arvinder Singh and Prof. Manoranjan Mohanty attended the Boao Forum for Asia Annual Conference 2006 on 20-23 April 2006 on behalf of ICS. The theme of the meeting was “The New Opportunities of Asia: Driving Growth to the Next Level”. The Conference included, for the first time, a special panel discussion on the development experiences of India and China, to which Prof. Mohanty contributed a paper, titled “Global Significance of India-China Relationship”, subsequently published in the Proceedings of the Conference.

(2) Prof. Sreemati Chakrabarti participated in an international conference on 25-27 October 2006, organized by RAS Institute of Far Eastern Studies, Moscow. The theme of this Conference was “**China, Chinese Civilization and the World: Past, Present and Future**”. Dr. Chakrabarti presented a paper on “India and Sino-Russian Relations: The Soviet Period”.

(3) ICS Faculty, Prof. Manoranjan Mohanty and Dr. Sanjeev Kumar, actively collaborated in planning and organising the UGC International Seminar on “**Higher Education for Growth and Equity: India-China Experience**” held at Federation House, New Delhi on 20-21 January 2007. The Seminar was one of the important initiatives undertaken during the India-China Friendship Year. Prof. Mohanty and Prof. Sreemati Chakrabarti presented papers at the Seminar, while Dr. Sanjeev Kumar assisted in the preparation of the final Report.

4. ICS WEDNESDAY SEMINARS

The ICS programme of Wednesday Seminars continued through the period under review, convened by Dr. Madhavi Thampi (see Appendix 1). Distinguished visiting scholars who presented papers included, among others: Prof. Quan Heng (SASS, Shanghai); Dr. Liu Fukuo (National Chengchi University, Taiwan); Dr. Eric Teo (Singapore); and Dr. Do Tien Sam of the Vietnam Academy of Social Sciences.

5. RESEARCH AND TRAINING

A number of young researchers were associated with ICS as Research Assistants and Research Associates during the period under review. These included:

- **Mr. Sriram Natrajan**, working on his PhD on “Agrarian Change and Rural Transformation in China, 1965-2005”;
- **Ms. Swargajyoti Gohain**, assisting in the BCIM (Bangladesh-China-India Myanmar) Conference and the ICS Publication programme;
- **Dr. S.N. Yadav**, working on a paper on the Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO);
- **Ms. Anamika Dwivedi**, working on Chinese Education and assisting with Documentation and the monitoring of the ICS website;
- **Ms. Dharitri Chakrabarty**, working as coordinator and translator on the project on “Lines of Convergence: India, China, Japan and the Future of Asia”.
- **Mr Sithara Fernando** assisted with the organization of the Trilateral Conference in Delhi and the preparation of the Report and Conference Proceedings.
- **Mr Satyabrata Sinha**, who continues to assist Dr. Alka Acharya in the production of *China Report*.

- **Dr. Ritu Aggarwal**, who had undertaken translation work to assist the project on “Lines of Convergence: India, China, Japan and the Future of Asia”.
- **Mr. Razak Khan**, who assisted in the organization of several ICS Conferences and events.
- **Dr. Sanjeev Kumar**, Project Research Officer, working on China’s rural industrialization and assisting the ICS publication programme

6. ICS PROGRAMMES

(1) **The East Asia Programme:** Directed by Brij Tankha, the Sasakawa Peace Foundation-supported project brought together a core group of scholars from Japan, China and India to examine in a comparative perspective the social transformations that these societies are undergoing. A series of meetings was held in Japan, China and India and an international conference organized in Delhi on 13-14 December 2007. **A Workshop IIC on**

A small selection of articles from the project was published in a special issue of *Seminar*, “Envisioning Asia: A Symposium on Changing Relations between India, China and Japan” (May 2007). A further collection of essays is under preparation.

The long delayed book from the Conference on “Okakura Tenshin and Pan-Asianism”, held under Japan Foundation-ICS auspices was published (*Shadows of the Past: Of Okakura Tenshin and Pan-Asianism* (Sampark, Kolkatta, 2007), edited by Brij Tankha. A London edition is also forthcoming.

A number of seminars were organized in the India International Centre as part of the East Asia series.

(2) **The Chinese Economy Research Programme**

Co-ordinated by Dr. Arvinder Singh, the Chinese Economy Research Programme continued to focus on major issues in the contemporary Chinese economy, and Sino-Indian comparative issues with a strong social science perspective and long-term substantive projects in mind. It is aiming to organize a major international conference in 2009.

(3) **The India-China Comparative Development Studies Programme**

ICS India-China Comparative Development Studies Programme is coordinated by Manoranjan Mohanty and Patricia Uberoi. The Programme seeks to encourage cross-disciplinary, comparative social science studies of India and China. A number of National and International Seminars have been held under the aegis of this programme, including, most recently a National Seminar on “Reforms and Democratization: Challenges of Governance in India and China” (4-5 August 2006). The Seminar sought to draw on some of the empirical researches of Indian scholars in China and the border areas,

counter-posed with comparable research conducted in India, to address issues of rural-urban disparities, regional inequalities, ethnic assertion, class differentials and income inequalities, and educational and social sector restructuring. Some 26 participants took part in the Conference.

7. ICS PROJECTS

(1) BCIM (Bangladesh-China-India-Myanmar) Forum for Regional Economic Cooperation

ICS, in collaboration with the Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi, is a nodal agency in conducting the Bangladesh-China-India-Myanmar Forum for Regional Economic Cooperation. The Sixth Meeting of the Forum was held under ICS-CPR auspices at the end of March 2006 in New Delhi. The Indian delegation was led by Amb. Eric Gonsalves. A number of ICS faculty and associates presented papers or chaired sessions at the meeting, including Amb. C.V. Ranganathan, Patricia Uberoi, Manoranjan Mohanty, Arvinder Singh, Ravi Bhoothalingam, Suresh Sharma, Prabhu Ghate, Charan Wadhva, K.L Thapar, Sanjoy Hazarika, Khomdom Lisam, and Mr. Jayant Bhuyan (CII).

The Seventh Meeting of the BCIM Forum was held in Dhaka, 31 March to 1 April 2007. The Indian delegation was led by Amb. Eric Gonsalves. Patricia Uberoi presented the keynote paper on “Enhancing Cooperation Among BCIM in Relation to Scientific, Educational, Cultural, Academic and Social Exchanges”, while Ravi Bhoothalingam and Sunil K. Misra (Regional Director, CII, Kolkata) were discussants in sessions on Tourism and the Overland Car Rally respectively.

ICS will continue to be the coordinating agency for the BCIM, and in this capacity will seek to initiate a number of academic studies and activities to support the BCIM agenda of regional cooperation and enhance the visibility of the projected Overland Car Rally

(2) The Trilateral China-India-Russia Academic Conference:

The China-India-Russia Trilateral Conference Series is jointly organized by ICS in collaboration with the China Institute of International Studies (CIIS), Beijing, and the Institute of Far Eastern Studies of the Russian Academy of Social Sciences, Moscow. The Conferences discuss international, regional, political, security, economic, cultural and environmental issues of significance to the three countries as well as to the world. The importance of Trilateral Cooperation has been endorsed by successive Summit meetings of leaders of the three countries.

The Sixth Trilateral Conference was held in Delhi 2-4 November 2006, hosted by ICS and coordinated by Alka Acharya, assisted by Sithara Fernando. Amb. Vinod Khanna was leader of the Indian team. Vinod Khanna, Alka Acharya, Manoranjan Mohanty, Arvinder Singh, K. Raghunath, C.V. Ranganathan, Mira Sinha Bhattacharjea and Patricia Uberoi were among ICS faculty participating as paper presenters, chairpersons and discussants. The Keynote address in the inaugural session was presented by Prof. Amiya

Kumar Bagchi, Director of the Institute of Development Studies, Kolkata, on “India, China, Russia: Getting out of Backwardness or ‘Cunning Passages of History’”.

(3) Boao Forum for Asia:

ICS is a foundational member of the Boao Forum for Asia, located in Boao, Hainan. The theme of the meeting was “The New Opportunities of Asia: Driving Growth to the Next Level”. The 2006 BFA Conference included, for the first time, a special panel discussion on the development experiences of India and China, to which Prof. Mohanty contributed a paper, titled “Global Significance of India-China Relationship”.

(3) “Lines of Convergence: China, India Japan” Project:

A number of activities were conducted under the auspices of the Sasakawa Peace Foundation’s project on “Lines of Convergence: China, India, Japan and the Future of Asia”, coordinated by Prof. Brij Tankha these included a series of international seminars/conferences organized in New Delhi, Beijing and Tokyo between April 2006 and March 2007.

8. DISSEMINATION AND OUTREACH

(1) Books

- ICS Faculty and publication assistants have contributed to the production of *Marriage and Migration in Asia* (editors, Rajni Palriwala and Patricia Uberoi), a special issue of the *Indian Journal of Gender Studies* (Vol. 12, nos. 2 and 3, 2005), which will be reproduced as a book to be published by Sage Publications in 2007. The book is fifth in the series on “Women and Migration in Asia”, based on a Panel of the International Conference on “Women and Migration in Asia”, organized by the Developing Countries Research Centre of the University of Delhi in 2003.
- A volume of selected papers from the ICS collaborative international conference on “Consumerism and the Emerging Middle Class in India and China”, edited by Peter van der Veer and Christophe Jaffrelot is now in press with Sage Publications. It is expected to be released in late 2007.
- A volume of the proceedings of the ICS India-China Comparative Development Studies Seminar on Local Governance in India and China, entitled *Grassroots Democracy in India and China: The Right to Participate*, edited by Manoranjan Mohanty, Richard Baum, Rong Ma and George Matthew, has been published by Sage Publications, Delhi. The book was released at a ceremony presided over by Cabinet Minister for Panchayati Raj, Youth Affairs, Sports and Development of Northeast Region, Mr. Mani Shankar Aiyar on 21 January 2007.

- *Narratives of Asia from India, Japan and China*, written by Prof. Brij Tankha and Dr. Madhavi Thampi, was published by Sampark, New Delhi, 2006.
- *Asian Diplomacy: The Foreign Ministries of China, India, Japan, Singapore and Thailand* by Kishan S. Rana is in press with DiploFoundation.
- *Shadows of the Past: Of Okakura Tenshin and Pan-Asianism*, edited by Brij Tankha, was published by Sampark, Kolkata, 2007.
- *Envisioning Asia, A Symposium on Changing Relations between India, China and Japan*, a special issue of *Seminar*, edited by Brij Tankha, is in press for publication in the May 2007 issue.

(2) China Report

The ICS journal, *China Report*, published by Sage Publications, continued in its 42nd year of publication. The journal is edited by Dr. Alka Acharya, with Dr. Madhavi Thampi as Associate Editor and Prof. Sreemati Chakrabarti as Book Review Editor. The journal includes articles, comments, book reviews and documents, with a special focus on Sino-Indian relations. Volume 43, No.2 (2007) will comprise a report and select papers from the 2006 Sixth Trilateral Conference. (See Annexure 2, for the contents of *China Report*, 2006-07).

(3) ICS Occasional Studies

A number of ICS Occasional Papers were produced in the period under review:

No.8 March 2006. “The Chinese Perspective on the BCIM Initiative - A Review of Recently Published Literature”, by Dr. Ravni Thakur.

No.9: March 2006. “HIV/AIDS in Northeast India: The Transnational Dimension”, by T. Deepa Manjuri Devi, a paper produced to coincide with the Sixth BCIM Conference in Delhi.

No.10: “Borderlanders: Livelihood Issues in the Border Regions”, by Swargajyoti Gohain.

No.11: May 2007. “Tawang Border Trade: Problems and Prospects”, by Col. Gautam Das.

No.12: June 2007. “Russia’s Strategic Partnerships in Asia”, by Academician Mikhail. L. Titarenko.

Several other Occasional Papers are under preparation, including: a set of comments and documents on Hu Jintao’s visit to New Delhi in November 2006; a paper by V.C. Khanna

entitled, “India-China ‘Strategic Partnership’: Is it sustainable?”; and the proceedings of the China Studies Workshop of December 2006, edited by Madhavi Thampi.

(4) ICS Website

ICS maintains a website (www.icsin.org) to carry ICS information and news regarding ICS activities.

9. ICS LIBRARY AND DOCUMENTATION CENTRE

The ICS has a small but select collection of books, in English and Chinese, mostly on contemporary China and East Asia, and current and back numbers of some important journals on China. In the current year, ICS benefited from a generous gift of books and documents from Emeritus Fellow Amb. C.V. Ranganathan, adding substantially to the existing Gordon White Collection, and the collections of former director Giri Deshingkar and Emeritus Fellows Tan Chung and Huang I-shu. The “Lines of Convergence” Project also enabled the acquisition of a substantial number of publications on East Asian history and society. A number of books were also acquired by purchase and gift.

Given the new electronic technologies, the utility of continuing the ICS documentation on India-China relations, domestic developments and foreign policy is under discussion.

10. DISTINGUISHED VISITORS:

During 2006-2007, ICS was privileged to receive a number of distinguished visitors and delegations. These include:

1. Amb. Zhou Gang, Former Chinese Ambassador to India, 12 April 2006.
2. Prof. Quan Heng from the Institute of Economy, Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences, China who delivered a lecture at ICS on “China’s Economy and Reform Today” on 19 April 2006.
3. Mr. Tan Xiuying, Director & Deputy Editor-in-Chief, and Mr. Xi Yanbin from Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Beijing, China, 9 May 2006.
4. Mr. Huang Tao, Reporter Editor, Mr. Niu Weidong, Chief Correspondent, Mr. Jiang Aimin, Director, China Radio International, Beijing, China, 15 May 2006.
5. Prof. Vincent W. Chen, National Chengchi University, Taiwan, 17 May 2006.
6. Dr. Liu Fu-Kuo, Research Fellow, Institute of International Relations, National Chengchi University, Taiwan, who presented a paper at ICS on “An Assessment

- of China's Development in the Next Ten Years and its Implication for the Neighbouring Countries", on 17 May 2006.
7. Mr. Chen Han-hua, National Security Council, Taiwan, 17 May 2006.
 8. Prof. Mahendra P. Lama, Chairman South Asia Centre, J.N.U., 9 August 2006.
 9. Prof. Li Tao, of Sichuan University, Asian Scholarship Foundation Fellow at the School of International Studies, JNU, New Delhi, 9 August 2006.
 10. Mr. Gyula Petho, Counsellor, Deputy Chief of Mission, Embassy of the Republic of Hungary, New Delhi, 23 August 2006.
 11. Dr. Eric Teo from Singapore Institute of International Studies, who delivered a lecture at ICS on "The United States Changing Perception of the China Threat", on 23 August 2006.
 - 12.** A delegation from Yunnan Province, PRC, led by Provincial Governor, H.E. Mr. Xu Rongkai, accompanied by Mr. Che Zhemin, Director General of the Yunnan Development Research Centre and other officials of the YDRC, Madam Zhou Hong of the Foreign Affairs Office, a senior representative of the Yunnan Provincial Education Department, representatives of the government of Diqing prefecture and Lijiang City, Mr. He Zixing of the Lijiang Municipal People's Friendship Association with Foreign Countries, Yunnan, and representatives of commercial interests.
 13. Sr. Col. Doan Van Hop, Defence Attache, Vietnam Embassy, 1 November 2006.
 14. Dr. Do Tien Sam, Director-General, Institute of Chinese Studies, Vietnam Academy of Social Sciences, Hanoi, who made a presentation on "China Studies in Vietnam and Vietnam-China Relations" on 1 November 2006.
 15. Dr. Jennifer Holdaway, Associate Director, International Migration Program, SSRC, New York, USA, 8 November 2006.
 16. Prof. Peter Kelley, Harvard Yenching Institute, visited ICS on 10 January 2007 to discuss the expansion of the Harvard Yenching Institute's research interest to include focus on both South Asia and China.
 17. A nine-member delegation from Inner Mongolia, including the Mayor, Huhhot City and Dr. Fulong Qiao, Chief Technical Officer, Inner Mongolia JiaNiu Sci-Tech Inc., Hohhot, visited ICS on 29 January 2007.
 18. A four member delegation from the China Tibetology Research Centre (C.T.R.C.) comprising of Mr. Gyalmo Drugpa (Team leader), Mr. Lian Xiangmin, Professor of China Tibetology Research Centre, Mr. Yang Juncai, Associate Professor of China Tibetology Research Centre, and Mr. Dawa Tsering, Assistant Researcher of C.T.R.C, visited ICS on 5 February 2007.

19. Brig. Gurmeet Kanwal (Retd.) well-known columnist, visited ICS on 7 February 2007.
20. Amb. Zhao Gancheng, Senior Fellow, Director, South East Studies, Shanghai Institute for International Studies, visited ICS on 7 February 2007.
21. A four-member delegation from the China Association for International Friendly Contacts (C.A.I.F.C.) visited ICS on 26 February 2007. The delegation comprised Mr. Sun Jingtao, Assistant President, CAIFC- (Team Leader), Ms. Li Huimin, Director of 2nd Department of Asian Affairs, CAIFC, Mr. Wang Wei, Deputy Director of 2nd Department of Asian Affairs, CAIFC, and Mr. Wu Shan, Associate Researcher of Center for Peace & Development Studies (CPDS).

11. ICS FACULTY PUBLICATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

Alka Acharya:

Reports/Papers/Articles

- “Regional Imbalances in China”. *Seminar* (New Delhi) No. 562, June 2006, pp. 26-30 (Special Issue on India’s Changing Relations with China).
- “A Partnership of Global Significance”, *Economic and Political Weekly*, 2 December 2006, pp. 4934 – 4936.
- “The Strength of Weakness: The Context and Construction of Chinese Foreign Policy”, in Amb. M. Rasgotra, ed., *The New Asian Power Dynamic* (Sage Publications, forthcoming).

Lectures/Seminars/Talks

- Presented a Paper on “Regional Imbalances in China” at the seminar on “Emerging Trends in Sino-Indian Relations” organized by the Centre for Policy Alternatives, New Delhi, 13-14 April 2006.
- Delivered a lecture on “Internal Imbalances in China”, at the Army War College, Mhow, seminar on “India-China Strategic Equations: Prospects and Challenges”, 11-12 August 2006.
- “The Problems and Prospects of China’s Developmental Strategy”, at the National Defence College, New Delhi, 8 September 2006.
- Presented a paper on “Towards a Universal Agenda for Human Rights”, Fourth General Meeting of the World Public Forum, “Dialogue of Civilizations” organized by the World Public Forum (Moscow, Russia) in Rhodes, Greece, 27 September to 1 October 2006.
- Presented a paper on “Whose Century? The Rise of China”, at the international seminar on “China in Africa in the 21st Century: Preparing for the Forum on China-Africa Cooperation”, organized by the NEPAD Secretariat, the Royal

- African Society and the South African Institute of International Affairs, Johannesburg, South Africa, 16-17 October, 2006.
- Convenor and participant in the Sixth China-India-Russia Academic Trilateral Conference, organized by the Institute of Chinese Studies, New Delhi, 2-4 November 2006.
 - Presented a paper on "India's Strategic Objectives: Issues and Objectives" at an international conference on "International Exchange of Economic, Strategic and Industrial Knowledge between Korea and India" jointly organized by the KOAS (Korean Organisation of Advanced Academic Societies and Centre for East Asian Studies, SIS, JNU, at The Grand Hotel, New Delhi, 27-28 December, 2006.
 - "Rising China: Implications and Challenges for India", in the Combined Operational Review and Evaluation Programme 2007 organized by the Naval Base, Vishakhapatnam (AP), 10 January 2007.
 - Presented a paper on "Multilateral Trends and India-China-Russia Trilateral Cooperation" at an international Conference on "Developmental Models and Global Integration" organized by the Centre for Russian Studies, SIS, JNU, New Delhi, 24-25 January 2007.
 - Presented a paper on "India-China-Russia Trilateral Cooperation", IPCS-CRF Bilateral Dialogue, organized by the Institute for Peace and Conflict Studies, (New Delhi), Pataudi Palace, Haryana, 10-11 March 2007.
 - Presented a paper on "China's Approach to Regional Organisations", Brookings-IPCS "Dialogue on China" organized by the Institute for Peace and Conflict Studies, (New Delhi), Neemrana Fort Palace, 19-22 March 2007.

Hemant Adlakha

- ICS, CSDS, Wednesday Seminar. Presented a report on research work for six months (August 2005 to February 2007) as Asia Scholarship Fellow - in Wenzhou (Hangzhou Province), P R China. The topic of the presentation was: "Wenzhou Model and the Rural Civil society in China", April 2006.
- Presented paper on "Whither China's Reform: Creating a fragmented society or building harmonious society?" at the ICS Comparative Development Studies Seminar on "Reforms and Democratisation in India and China", August 2006.
- Chaired a talk on "China-India Growing Ties" by Chinese Ambassador Mr. Sun Yuxi at the SINOLOGUES, JNU, September 2006.
- Organized a talk by Dr. Madhavi Thampi on: "The Opium War and the Making of Bombay". under the forum SINOLOGUES (Centre for Chinese and Southeast Asian Studies, JNU), November 2006.
- Participated and presented a paper on "Hallyu: Expanding Cultural Spaces Beyond Globalization" at the 8th Pacific and Asia Conference on Korea Studies (PACKS), New Delhi, December 2006.
- As Chairperson, CCSEAS, JNU presided over the signing in January 2007 of the agreement between JNU and Hanban (P R China) towards the establishment of the Confucius Institute of JNU (CIJ). A six member Chinese delegation, led by the pro-Vice Chancellor of the Peking University, and Professor B.B. Bhattacharya, Vice Chancellor, JNU were present.

- Invited well-known Chinese intellectual and the editor of *Dushu*, published from Beijing, Professor Wang Hui, to deliver a talk at the SINOLOGUES, JNU, on “Whither Chinese Reform: Myth or Reality?”, February 2007.
- In March 2007, as Chairperson, CCSEAS, JNU organized the Chinese New Year celebration in JNU. The event was held in cooperation with the Department of East Asian Studies, University of Delhi. The current Chinese Ambassador Mr. Sun Yuxi delivered a Keynote address and handed over a cheque of 50,000 USD to the JNU Vice-Chancellor as the first grant towards the CIJ. The Chinese embassy hosted a lunch for over 250 guests at JNU on the occasion. A cultural programme was held to mark the event and several cultural programmes were presented in Chinese, English and Hindi languages.
- In March 2007, the CCSEAS, JNU Organized the First SINOLOGUES Workshop on Chinese Language, Literature and Culture Studies in India in which eight scholars from JNU and the Delhi University presented papers in English/Chinese. Dr Adlakha presented a paper on “China: The Invented Other?”

Arjun Asrani

Reports/Papers/Articles

- Chapter on “Japan in Asian Security” for a book titled *New Asian Power Dynamic*, edited by M. Rasgotra, to be published by Sage Publications (forthcoming).
- “The Application of Economic Diplomacy” in the book, *Economic Diplomacy*, brought out by the Association of Indian Diplomats and edited by I. P. Khosla.

Media Communications

- Interview to Delhi correspondent of *Yomiuri Shimbun* daily of Japan, 21 September 2006.
- Interview by TV Channel CNN-IBN for World 360 programme, 1 October 2006.
- Interview to *Asahi Shimbun* daily of Japan.
- Panel discussion on Doordarshan on PM’s visit to Japan, 16 December 2006.

Lectures/Seminars/Talks

- Attended final joint meeting of Govt. appointed India-Japan Joint Study Group in Tokyo, 6-7 June 2006 for examining feasibility of FTA/EPA between India and Japan.
- Spoke on “Guidance to Interacting with the Japanese” on 21 July 2006, as Chief Guest at Embassy of Japan, to group of young Indians leaving for Japan under 2006 Japan Exchange & Teaching Programme (JET). At the same time inaugurated the Japan Information Centre at its new premises.
- Spoke on “Why Look at Japan” at “Japan Appreciation Seminar” at IIT, Delhi, on 7 August 2006.
- Attended India-Japan Economic Partnership Meeting organized by FICCI on 25 September 2006 during a visit of Japanese CEOs delegation.
- Panelist at IPCS Panel Discussion on 6 October 2006 on Mr. Abe becoming PM of Japan.

- Inaugurated National Book Trust, India's series on Afro-Asian titles and presided over discussion on release of the book on Japan by Prof. H. Yamaguchi on 16 November 2006.
- Made Inaugural/Keynote Speech at JNU Seminar on 21 November 2006 on "Changing Role of East Asia Community."
- "Cross-Cultural Sensitivities", lecture to group of MEA Under secretaries, 9 November 2006.
- Spoke on India-Japan relations to Officers of Cabinet Secretariat on 8 December 2006.
- Addressed Seminar at PHD Chamber of Commerce and Industry, sponsored by JETRO on 19 December 2006, on attracting Indian FDI in Japan.
- Discussant at SAPRA India Foundation Roundtable on 16 January 2007 on "Can Business Interests Shape a Strategic Partnership?"
- Inaugural address at IDSA-JIIA Bilateral Dialogue on 17 January 2007.
- Attended IDSA Conference on "South East Asia and External Powers", 9 February 2007.
- IPCS discussions with former Economist editor Bill Emmott on his planned book on Asia, 13 February 2007.
- Attended India-Japan Business Cooperation Committees Joint Meeting at FICCI, New Delhi, 14 February 2007.
- Chaired meeting at JNU on 20 February 2007, for address by eminent Japanese sociologist, Prof. Chie Nakane.
- Chaired ICRIER Workshop on "Economic & Socio-Political Development Experiences in India and Asia" on 20 February 2007.
- Attended Symposium on India-Japan Relations organized jointly by CII and the Embassy of Japan, 9 March 2007.
- "India-Japan Relations", lecture to IFS Probationers batch 2005 in July 2006.
- "Economic Diplomacy & Foreign Policy", lecture to IFS Probationers batch 2005 in July 2006.
- "India-Japan Relations", lecture to IFS Probationers batch 2006, 12 February 2007.
- "Evolution of Japanese Foreign Policy" – Professional Course for foreign diplomats, 1 March 2007.
- "India-Japan Relations", lecture to Senior Indian Police Officers, 20 March 2007.

Ravi Bhoothalingam

Reports/Papers/Articles

- "Confucius, Gandhi and the Rise of China", a lecture delivered on 17 December 2006 at the International Management Institute, New Delhi as part of their Silver Jubilee Series. Published subsequently in the *IMI Newsletter* of December 2006.
- "Growth and Employment for the Northeast through Sustainable Tourism", a paper published in *Sustainability Tomorrow*, Vol. 1, Issue 3, October-December 2006.

Lectures/Seminars/Talks

- Invited by the Embassy of China to the First International China Tibet Culture Forum, 10-11 October 2006, Beijing. Presented a Paper, titled “Building a Harmonious Society: The Importance of Tibet”.

Sreemati Chakrabarti

Books

- *China*. New Delhi: National Book Trust (in press).

Reports/Papers/Articles

- “India-China Relations in the Post-Cold War Era”. *Journal of South Asian Studies*, 2005, Vol. 11, 1, pp.23-41 (published by the Centre for International Studies, Hankuk University of Foreign Studies, Seoul).

Media Communications

- Article published in the *Indian Express*, November 21, “How Hu Became China’s Strong Man”.

Lectures/Seminars/Talks

- Delivered 3 lectures at Sun Yat-Sen University, Guangzhou, China in June-July 2006.
- Presented a paper titled: “India and Sino-Russian Relations: The Soviet Period” at a Conference organized by the Institute of Far-Eastern Studies, RAS, Moscow on October 27, 2006.
- Read a paper on “Sino-Myanmar Relations 1949-89” at a Conference titled: “Myanmar: Land and its People” organized by the Centre for Myanmar Studies, Manipur University, Imphal on 6 December 2006.
- Made a presentation on “Survey of Chinese Studies in India” at a seminar organized by the Institute of Chinese Studies, CSDS, Delhi on December 20, 2006.
- Read a paper titled: “Higher Education in China: An Overview” at the International Conference organized by the UGC on “Higher Education for Growth and Equity”, 20 January 2007, held in the FICCI Auditorium, Tansen Marg, New Delhi.

G.P. Deshpande

Lectures/Seminars/Talks

- Delivered the Keynote Address at the international seminar on “India and China and Cultural Understanding” at the University of Madras.
- Lectured at the Asian College of Journalism on “Foreign Policy and the Civilisational Impulse”.

Huang I-shu

Lectures/Seminars/Talks

- Gave two talks in Singapore jointly with Tan Chung on “India and China”, 14-15 November 2006.
- Teaching Chinese language at Dongfang Culture and Language Institution, Chicago (once a week).
- “*You yifen re, fa yifen guang*” (“Whenever there is an iota of heat, transform it into light”, a quote from Lu Xun (ms in process).

Media Communications

- Six talks on Singapore International Radio.

Vinod C. Khanna

Reports/Papers/Articles

- “Mao Smile Revisited: Interview with Brajesh Mishra”. *Indian Foreign Affairs Journal*, vol.1, no. 4, Oct-Dec 2006. [Oral History Project]

Lectures/Talks/Seminars

- Co-convenor of the India-China Energy Dialogue, New Delhi. Presented a paper on Sino-Indian relations, and chaired the final session, 10 April, 2006.
- Lecture at National Defence College on “China’s Role in International Affairs”, 13 April 2006.
- Consultant at Orientation Program of Indian and Chinese Fellows, India-China-Fellows Program, New School, New York, April 2006.
- Chair, ICS consultative meeting on the eve of the visit of Chinese President Hu Jintao.
- Co-Convenor of the Sixth India-China-Russia Trilateral Conference, and chair of the concluding session, 2-4 November 2006.

Media Communications

- Radio interviews and discussions on the eve of the visit of Chinese President Hu Jintao (BBC, VOA, AIR)

Srikanth Kondapalli

Reports/Papers/Articles

- “Indian Defence Minister’s visit to China”, *China Report* vol. 42 no.4 October-November 2006, pp. 405-09.
- “China’s ASAT Test & its Implications” *Defence & Technology* March 2007
- “India-China Boundary Dispute: 9th Round of Discussions”. *South Asia Defence & Strategic Review*, Vol. 1 Issue 1, March-April 2007, pp. 49-51.

Lectures/Seminars/Talks

- “China’s Military Cooperation with Pakistan”, paper presented at Centre for Security Studies, Jammu University, 4-5 April 2007.
- Moderator at a session on “China and Risk Assessments in Indian Ocean”, organised by Western Naval Command, Mumbai, on 12-13 April 2006.
- “China’s Foreign and Security Policies in Post-Mao Period”, lecture to researchers at School of International Studies, JNU, New Delhi, 27 April 2006.
- Discussant at United Services Institution (New Delhi) on “China’s Rise: Implications to India”, 14 June 2006.
- Discussant at Institute of Peace & Conflict Studies on “India-China-Pakistan”, 17 June 2006.
- Four lectures on “PLA Brigades, Organisation and Modernisation”, to Senior Command Course ITBP Academy, Mussoorie, 10-11 July 2006.
- “India-Russia-China Strategic Triangle”, lecture to Indian Army Officers at Indian Army 33 Corps Headquarters on 27 July 2006.
- Discussant at Institute of Chinese Studies Comparative Development Studies Seminar on “Reform and Democratisation in China and India”, on 4 August 2006.
- Paper on “Chinese Military Operations and War Fighting Capabilities”, at Indian Army War College seminar on ‘Indo-China strategic equation: Prospects and Challenges’, Mhow, 12 August 2006.
- “The Rise of China & Territorial Disputes Resolution”, paper presented at Academia Sinica (Taipei), 25 August 2006.
- “WMD Transfers in Asia”, paper presented at Joint Services Command and Staff College, Shrivenham, London, 4 September 2006.
- “India-China Relations”, lecture to Higher Command Course, BSF Academy 28 October 2006.
- Discussant at School of International Studies — Ministry of External Affairs organised seminar on “Multilateralism, Arms Control & Disarmament in East Asia”, 27 October 2006.
- “Prospects for India-China Strategic Partnership”, seminar presentation at China Reform Forum, Beijing, 27-28 November 2006.
- “Hu Jintao’s visit to India: Highlights”, lecture presented at Institute of International Relations, Fudan University, Shanghai, 30 November 2006.
- Lecture on “Chinese Strategy and the PLA Navy”, at Centre for Naval Warfare, Mumbai, on 4 December 2006.
- Presentation on “India-China Border Dispute”, at Institute for Peace & Conflict Studies, New Delhi, 8 December 2006.
- Discussant at Observer Research Foundation on a paper on India-China-US Trilateral relations on 15 December 2006.
- Lecture on “China’s Nuclear Doctrine & Capabilities”, to Senior Indian Armed Forces Officers organised at Centre for Air Power Studies, 10 January 2007.
- Discussant at United Services Institution, New Delhi, on a paper on “Infrastructure Developments in the Indian Neighbourhood”, 17 January 2007.
- “Recent East Asian Summit meeting”, Institute of Chinese Studies, 31 January 2007.
- Panel discussant at a Workshop on “China’s Anti-Satellite missile test”, organised by IDSA at India International Centre 1 February 2007.

- “India’s China Policy” at a seminar on “India’s Neighbourhood” organised by Pakistan Area Programme, SIS, JNU and ML Sondhi Institute of Asia-Pacific Affairs at India International Centre 17 February 2007.
- Discussant at a paper on “China’s Defence Policy” organised by Centre for Air Power Studies, 20 February 2007.
- A series of six lectures on China’s Military modernisation, Tibet, India-China relations to Senior ITBP Officers, ITBP Academy 14-15 March 2007.
- Presentation on “China’s Regional Military Outreach: The PLA Navy, Air Force Modernisation”, at Brookings-IPCS Dialogue on China, Neemrana Fort Palace 19-22 March 2007.
- “Mao Zedong’s Military Ideas”, paper presented at Iceland conference (*in absentia*), November 2006.
- “India-China Relations and East Asian Security: Aspects of Resources Management”. Paper presented at CEAS, SIS, JNU organised international seminar on “Changing Dynamics of East Asian Community: Role of Japan and India”, 21-22 November 2006.
- “Chinese Missile Modernisation”, paper presented at an international seminar organised by Observer Research Foundation–Rosa Luxemburg Foundation, Germany, at New Delhi on 23-24 November 2006.
- “China’s Perceptions of Asia”, paper presented at an international seminar organised by Centre for Indian Ocean Studies, Hyderabad, 12-13 February 2007.
- “Perspectives on Rise of China”, paper presented at The National Institute for Defense Studies, Tokyo, 1 March 2007.
- “Strategic Cooperation between India-Russia-China”, paper presented at The National Institute for Defense Studies, Tokyo 2 March 2007.
- “China’s Military Modernisation: An Indian Perspective”, paper presented at Centre for Advanced Strategic Studies, Pune, 21 March 2007.
- “China’s Interactions with South Asia: New Beginnings, paper presented at an international conference organised by Centre for SAARC Studies, Visakhapatnam, 29-31 March 2007.

Media Communications

- “Good Borders, Good Neighbours” *Deccan Herald* 10 April 2006 at <http://www.deccanherald.com/deccanherald/apr102006/editpage175151200649.asp>
- “Hu Jintao’s visit to the United States: Uneasy Partnership”, IDSA Strategic Comments 9 May 2006 at <http://www.idsa.in/publications/stratcomments/SrikanthKondapalli090506.htm>
- ‘Pranab’s defence diplomacy’, Rediff. Com 6 June 2006 at <http://in.rediff.com/news/2006/jun/06guest.htm>
- ‘Going beyond handshakes’, *Deccan Herald* 7 June 2006 at <http://www.deccanherald.com/deccanherald/jun72006/editpage14751200666.asp>
- ‘Shifting Sands of Shanghai’, *Deccan Herald* 20 June 2006 at <http://www.deccanherald.com/deccanherald/jun202006/editpage182502006619.as>
- ‘A Himalayan business pass’ at Rediff.com special articles on 21 June 2006 at <http://specials.rediff.com/news/2006/jun/21sld1.htm>

- ‘The golden line to Lhasa’, Rediff.com 3 August 2006 at <<http://specials.rediff.com/news/2006/aug/03sld01.htm>>
- ‘China homes in on Tibet with modern infrastructure’, *Times of India* 4 July 2006 at <<http://exclusives.indiatimes.com/articleshow/1705496.cms>>
- ‘Let the Koreans decide themselves’, *Deccan Herald* 13 October 2006 at <<http://www.deccanherald.com/deccanherald/oct132006/editpage16135620061012.asp>>
- ‘Tactical or Strategic Ties’, *Deccan Herald*, 20 November 2006 at <<http://www.deccanherald.com/deccanherald/Nov212006/update16441920061121.asp>>
- ‘Civilian Nuclear Cooperation with China’, *Economic Times* 29 November 2006.
- ‘China's satellite killer: Should India worry?’, Rediff.com, 24 January 2007 at <<http://in.rediff.com/news/2007/jan/24guest.htm>>

Sabaree Mitra

Reports/Papers/Articles

- “A Brief History of Chinese *Huaju*: A Sociopolitical Perspective”, *JSL* (Journal of School of Languages), Autumn 2006 (Special Issue on Theatre/Performance), pp. 119-128.
- “Sociology of Culture in Contemporary China”, paper presented in *International Conference on Contemporary China Studies* in University of Hong Kong on 5 January 2007; and available at www.hku.hk/china/conference.html.

Lectures/Seminars/Talks

- “Yindu xuezhe yanzhong de zhongguo wenxue” (Chinese Literature in the Eyes of an Indian Scholar), Inter-cultural Dialogue Series, Dalian University, Dalian, PRC, 15 November 2006.
- “Ershi shiji mo yindu nu zuojia de yingyu xiaoshuo” (English Writings of Indian Women Writers at the End of 20th Century), Chinese Department Wuhan University, Wuhan, PRC, 15 December 2006.
- “Sociology of Culture in Contemporary China”, International Conference on Contemporary China Studies, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, 5-6 January 2007.
- “Yindu ershi shiji yingyu nuzuoja” (Indian English Women Writers in 20th Century), Shenzhen University, Shenzhen, PRC, 10 January 2007.
- “Yindu xingbie wenhua yu wenxue: Bijiao wenxue guandian” (Gender, Culture and Literature in India: A Comparative Literature Perspective), Chinese Department, Xiamen University, Xiamen, PRC, 15 March 2007.
- “Yindu xingbie wenhua yu wenxue” (India’s Gender, Culture and Literature), at Women’s Studies Centre, Peking University, Peking, PRC, 23 March 2007.

Sanjeev Kumar

Lectures/Seminars/Talks

- Presented a paper on “Township and Village Enterprises in China: Interpreting its Significance in Rural China” at the National Seminar on “Reforms and Democratization: Challenges of Governance in China and India”, 4-5 August 2006 (in absentia).
- Presented a paper on “Economic Reforms and Rural Challenge in India and China” at Anhui Academy of Social Sciences, Hefei, Anhui, on 13 September 2006.
- Presented a paper on “China’s Quest for Building a New Socialist Countryside” at 8th European Conference on “Agriculture and Rural and Development in China” held in Yiwu City, Zhejiang, China on 2 September 2006.
- Participated in Conference on “Social Change in China and India” at Beijing on 16-17 May 2006, organized by the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Beijing and Indian Council for Social Science Research, New Delhi.
- Assisted University Grants Commission (New Delhi) in organizing Seminar on “Higher Education for Growth and Equity: India-China Experience” an activity under the India-China Friendship year.

Media Communications

- “Rural Enterprises studies under Microscope”, *China Daily* (Beijing) 5 November 2006, p.9, reproduced by other Chinese newspapers and government website of Zhejiang province [http:// www. zhejiang. gov.cn/ gb/ zjnew/ node428/ node510/ userobjectlai7974.html](http://www.zhejiang.gov.cn/gb/zjnew/node428/node510/userobjectlai7974.html).

Manoranjan Mohanty

Books

- Co-edited with Richard Baum, Rong Ma and George Mathew, *Grassroots Democracy in India and China*. New Delhi: Sage Publications, 2007. (Released in New Delhi by Pachayati Raj Minister Mani Shankar Aiyer on 21 January 2007).
- “India, China and Resurgence of Asia”, *BFA Journal of Asian Studies*, Inaugural issue, vol.1. No.1 (April 2007)

Lectures/Seminars/Talks

- “Human Rights: Insights from the Asian Discourses”. Symposium at the Seventh World Safety Congress, Durban, South Africa, 2 April 2006.
- “Global Significance of India-China Relations”. Paper at the Boao Forum for Asia, Hainan, China, 21 April 2006.
- “Understanding Democracy: Perspectives from India and China”, Sun Yatsen University, Department of International Relations, Guangzhou, 24 April 2006.
- “Contemporary Democratic Theory: Indian, Chinese and Western Perspectives”, Wuhan University of Science and Technology, School of Humanities, 26 April 2006.
- “Alternative Discourses on Globalization in India and China”, Nanjing University, Department of Sociology, 28 April 2006.
- “The Success Trap in China: Lessons for India”, ICS Seminar on “Globalization and Democratization in China and India”, 4 August 2006.

- “Agrarian Crisis in India and China”. DCRC, University of Delhi, 22 August 2006.
- “Globalization and Developing Countries”, Key-note address at the Teachers’ Workshop, Maitreyi college, University of Delhi, 1 September 2006.
- “China’s Reforms and World Development Theory, Second World Congress on China Studies, Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences, 21 September 2006.
- “Emerging Discourses on Human Security”, Key-note address at the National Seminar on Human Security in Northeast India, Gauhati University, Guwahati, 17 November 2006.
- “India-China Relations in Global Perspective”, India-China Institute, New School of Social Research Fellows Seminar in IIC, New Delhi, 26 November 2006.
- “The Debate on Special Economic Zones: Lessons from China”, Lohia Academy, Bhubaneswar, 14 October 2006.
- “The Tide has Turned: Violence of Globalization has been Challenged”, Key-note address at the Indo-Australian seminar on “Challenges of Globalisation”, University of Hyderabad, 7 November 2006.
- “Globalisation and Self-determination: Alternative Discourses in Asia”, ICS Seminar on “Lines of Convergence in the Modernisation of India, China and Japan”, 14 November 2006.
- “Values and Higher Education in Creative Society”, India-China Seminar on “Higher Education for Growth and Equity”, University Grants Commission, New Delhi, 21 January 2007.
- “Changing Terms of Discourse on the Third World”, National Seminar, Academy of Third World Studies, Jamia Milia University, 22 January 2007.
- “China’s Reforms: An Assessment from the Human Rights Perspective”, University of Hyderabad, 5 February 2006.

Sriram Natrajan

Reports/Papers/Articles

- “Inter-provincial Disparities in Rural ‘People’s Livelihood’ in China: An Empirical Assessment (1980-2004)”. *China Report*, vol . 43, no. 3 (2006).

Arvinder Singh

Reports/Papers/Articles

- “Labor Mobility in China and India: The Role of *Hukou*, Caste and Community”, *In Jahangir Aziz. et al. (eds.), China and India: Learning from Each Other* (Washington: International Monetary Fund, September 2006), pp. 241-61.

Lectures/Seminars/Talks

- Participated in the Annual Meeting and Conference of the Boao Forum for Asia, Hainan, China, 22-24 April 2006.
- “Nothing like the Home Market: China’s Far West, New Countryside and Alternative Growth Strategies”, Paper presented at the Workshop on Reforms and Democratization: Challenges of Governance in India and China, Institute of Chinese Studies, CSDS, Delhi, 4-5 August, 2006.

- Led a discussion on “The State of Sub-regional Asian Cooperation” on the occasion of the visit of Mr. Xu Rongkai, Governor of Yunnan, P.R. China, Institute of Chinese Studies, CSDS, Delhi, 18 September 2006.
- “Shaping up the New Countrysides: Mutual Concerns”, Paper presented at the Sixth Russia-China-India Academic Trilateral Conference, Indian Council of World Affairs, Sapru House, New Delhi, 2-4 November, 2006.

Media Communications

- “China and India to Resume Border Trade”, Interview, People in the Know, China Radio International, 21 June 2006.
- “Sikh Scholar Discovers Road Less Traveled”, *China Daily*, 21 November 2006.
- “Hu’s India Tour to Boost Ties”, Interview, People in the Know, China Radio International, 21 November 2006.

Kishan S. Rana

Books

- *Asian Diplomacy: The Foreign Ministries of China, India, Japan, Singapore and Thailand* (Diplo Foundation, in press).

Tan Chung

Books

- *Wenming toujing kan wanhuatong shijie* (The kaleidoscopic world viewed through the civilizational prism), 2006, Taipei. The Hai-hsia hsueh-shu ch’u-pan-she (Academic Press of the Taiwan Strait).
- (Ed.) *Zhong-Yin datong: Lixiang yu shixian* (CHINDIA: Idealism and Realization), 2007, Yinchuan; Ninja People’s Publishing House.

Reports/Papers/Articles

- “CHINDIA *Zhong-Yin datong: Lixiang yu Shixian*” (CHINDIA: Idealism and Realization), in *Shenzhen Universtiy Journal (Humanities and Social Sciences)*, No. 105 (No.3, 2007), pp. 8-10.

Lectures/Seminars/Talks

- Attended the “Second World Forum in China Studies”, at Shanghai, China, and presented a paper on “China’s Long March Towards A Harmonious World: Win-Win Interface between Civilizations of China and India”, 20-22 September 2006.
- Attended the “Beijing Forum 2006” in Beijing, China, and presented a paper on “Where from the Secret of Expression of Chinese Civilization? Historical Operation of ‘Chindia’ in Mining the Spiritual and Material Cultures in China”. 27-29 October 2006.
- Attended the International Symposium on “Nalanda: Buddhist Cultural links between Eastern and Southern Asia” in Singapore and presented a paper on “China’s Historical Tryst with Buddhism”, 13 November 2006.

- Gave a talk on “Chindia” at Fudan University, Shanghai, 21 September 2006.
- Gave three talks at Peking University on “China and India”, 31 October – 2 November 2006.
- Gave two talks in Singapore jointly with Huang-I-shu on “India and China”, 14-15 November 2006.
- Attended the joint session of “International Seminar on Sino-Indian Relations”, 25 April 2006.

Media Communications

- Numerous articles in Chinese language newspapers and magazines in Singapore, Hong Kong, Taipei, Beijing and Shanghai.

Brij Tankha

Books

- *Narratives of Asia from India, Japan and China*, written by Prof. Brij Tankha and Dr. Madhavi Thampi, was published by Sampark, New Delhi, 2006.
- (Edited), *Shadows of the Past: Of Okakura Tenshin and Pan-Asianism* (Sampark, Kolkatta, 2007).
- Guest Editor, *Envisioning Asia, A Symposium on Changing Relations between India, China and Japan, Seminar*, May 2007.

Reports/Papers/Articles

- “Genealogies of Asia”. In Brij Tankha (ed.), *Envisioning Asia. Seminar* (May 2007): 14-23.
- “The Nationalist Movement in Indo-China”. In National Council for Educational Research and Training, New Delhi, 2007.
- “Paths to Modernisation”. In, *Themes in World History*, Textbook in History for Class XI. National Council for Educational Research and Training, New Delhi, 2006.

Lectures/Seminars/Talks

- “Clothes and Politics”. Tsinghua University, East Asia Culture Seminar, 12 January 2007.
- “Chinese Studies in India: Changing Paradigms”. Review of Chinese Studies in Asia, Centre for Chinese Studies Abroad, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, January 13-14, 2007.
- Organised international conference, “Lines of Convergence: India-China-Japan and the Future of Asia”, 13-14 December 2006. East Asia Programme, Institute of Chinese Studies, CSDS, New Delhi, India.
- Organized a National Conference on

Madhavi Thampi

Books

- *Narratives of Asia from India, Japan and China*, written by Prof. Brij Tankha and Dr. Madhavi Thampi, was published by Sampark, New Delhi, 2006.

Lectures/ Seminars/Talks

- Presented a paper on “The Role of the China Trade in the Growth of Bombay” in the World Forum of China Studies, Shanghai, September 2006.
- Presented a talk on “The Opium War and the Making of Bombay”.under the forum **SINOLOGUES** (Centre for Chinese and Southeast Asian Studies, JNU), November 2006.

Patricia Uberoi

Books

- (Co-edited with Rajni Palriwala) *Marriage, Migration and Gender* (Women and Migration in Asia Series, No. 5). Sage Publications, New Delhi (in press).

Reports/Papers/Articles

- “Aspirational Weddings: The Bridal Magazine and the Canons of Decent Marriage”. In *Consumerism and the New Middle Classes in India and China* (provisional title), editors Peter van der Veer and Christophe Jaffrelot. Sage Publications, New Delhi (in press). Also published as IEG Discussion Paper No. 115/2007.
- (with Rajni Palriwala) “Exploring the Links: Gender Issues in Marriage and Migration”. In *Marriage, Migration and Gender* (Editors, Rajni Palriwala and Patricia Uberoi), Sage Publications, New Delhi (in press).

Lectures/Seminars/Talks

- Participated in an international conference on “Building a scientific database for visual and audiovisual media”, organized by the Internationales Wissenschaftsforum, University of Heidelberg, Germany, 22nd -24th May 2006. Presented a paper entitled “Chicks, Kids and Couples: Transnational Longings for Modernity” on the traffic of popular prints between India and China in the early twentieth century.
- Guest of Honour, “Continuing the Great Conversations” Series, Manning Clark House, Canberra, 4th July 2006.
- Participant, Public Symposium on “China’s future diplomacy”, Australian National University, Canberra, 4th July 2006.
- Participated in the National Seminar on “Reforms and Democratization: Challenges of Governance in India and China” organized by ICS, 4th-5th August 2006. Presented a paper (jointly with Prof. Tiplut Nongbri) on “Household dynamics in a matrilineal milieu: Comparative perspectives”.
- Inaugural and Concluding Remarks to the China-India-Russia Trilateral Academic Conference, at the Indian Council of World Affairs, Sapru House, 2-4 November 2006.
- Participant, Asian Scholarship Foundation, Alumni Meeting, Bali, Indonesia, 19-20 November 2006.

- Discussant, Session on “Migration and Social Change”, Institute of Chinese Studies and Sasakawa Peace Foundation International Conference on “Lines of Convergence: India-China-Japan and the Future of Asia”, 13th-14th December 2006.
- Convenor, Lecture by Prof. David Shambaugh, “China Engages Asia: Implications for the Regional Order”, organized by the Institute of Chinese Studies at the India International Centre, 19 December 2006.
- Co-convenor and Summing-up at the “Review of China Studies in India” Workshop, organized by the Institute of Chinese Studies, 20th-21st December 2006.
- Participated in a Seminar on “India-China Border Trade: A Strategy for Frontier Development”, held under the auspices of the Indian Council for Social Science Research, Northeastern Centre, Gangtok 4–5 March 2007. Presented a paper on “Engagement with China in Multilateral Forums: Two Case Studies.”
- Discussant, International Seminar on “Democracy, Citizenship and Belonging in the Himalayas” organized by the Centre for Human Sciences, Delhi, and Bielefeld University, Germany, India International Centre, 19-21 March 2007.
- Presented the Keynote Paper on “Enhancing Co-operation among BCIM in Relation to Scientific, Educational, Cultural, Academic and Social Exchanges”, at the Seventh Forum on Regional Economic Cooperation between Bangladesh, China, India and Myanmar, organized by the Centre for Policy Dialogue, Dhaka, 31 March to 1 April 2007.

12. FACULTY AWARDS AND MEMBERSHIPS OF ACADEMIC/ADVISORY/EDITORIAL BOARDS

Alka Acharya

- Member, India-China Eminent Persons Group, Government of India
- Member, National Security Advisory Group, Government of India
- Member, Joint Advisory Committee, ICSSR-NRCT (Indian Council of Social Science Research—National Research Council, Thailand)
- Editor, *China Report*

Hemant Adlakha

- Chairperson, Centre for Chinese and Southeast Asian Studies, School of Languages, Literature and Culture Studies, JNU

Arjun Asrani

- Member Govt.-appointed India – Japan Study Group until June 2006
- Member, Research Advisory Council of RIS from July 2006
- Member, Advisory Committee of Institute of Asian Studies, Hyderabad
- Member, Promotion Committee of the Japan Year in India 2007, New Delhi

Ravi Bhoothalingam

- Member of the Editorial Board of *World Affairs*.

Sreemati Chakrabarti

- Head, Department of East Asian Studies, University of Delhi from April 2005.
- Book Review Editor, *China Report*.

G.P. Deshpande

- Member, Editorial Board, *China Report*
- Distinguished Visiting Fellow, CSDS, from February 2007, delivering a series of lectures on “The World of Ideas in Modern Marathi”

Srikanth Kondapalli

- Honorary Associate, Centre of Chinese Studies, University of Stellenbosch, South Africa from October 2006.
- Guest Editor of *World Focus* (New Delhi), special issues on China in March 2006 and March 2007.

Sanjeev Kumar

- Awarded Asia Scholarship Foundation Fellowship, 2005-2006. Conducted field studies in Shanxi, Anhui and Zhejiang Provinces of China on a project entitled “Rural Development through Rural Industrialization: Exploring the China Experience”, January to October 2006.
- Visiting Fellow, Rural Development Institute, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Beijing January to October 2006.

Mira Sinha Bhattacharjea

- Member, India-China Eminent Persons Group.

Kishan Rana

- Chairman, CSCAP- India
- Professor Emeritus, Foreign Service Institute, New Delhi
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9. Prof. N.S. Siddharthan, Institute of Economic Growth, and Dr. M.L. Lakhera, IES (rtd) and formerly Visiting Fellow of Economics, Nagoya University: “Foreign Direct Investment and Location Advantages: Japanese Perceptions of India Compared to China & ASEAN”, 6 September 2006.
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13. Dr. Anita Sharma, University of Delhi, “Engaged Buddhism in Contemporary Taiwan”, 18 October 2006.
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15. Mr. Ravi Bhoothalingam, Chief Executive, Manas Advisory: “The Future of Tibet? A Report on the First International China Tibet Culture Forum”, 15 November 2006.
16. Prof. Amita Singh, Centre for Law and Governance, Jawaharlal Nehru University: “Interrogating SEZs as a Model of Sustainable Reform in India and China”, 22 November 2006.
17. Prof. Manoranjan Mohanty, Co-chairperson, Institute of Chinese Studies, “Discussion on the Recent Visit of Mr. Hu Jintao, President of the People’s Republic of China”, 29 November 2006.
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19. Mr. M. V. Rappai, Visiting Fellow, Institute of Chinese Studies, “Harmonious Society: The New Thinking”, 17 January 2006.
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