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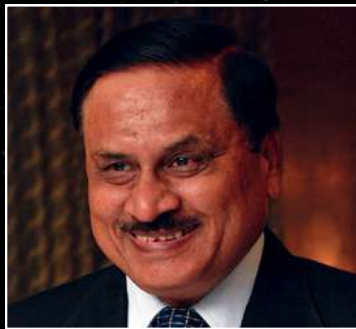
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KEY FOCUS AREAS

01

Evolving national security influenced by Defence Space

02

Decoding adversarial capabilities

03

Robustness and security of navigation infrastructure

04

Space-based ISR platforms for operational readiness

05

Directed energy programs and countermeasures

06

On-orbit servicing to extend satellite lifetimes

07

Fostering industry partnerships and innovation ecosystems

GLIMPSE OF IDS 2024

Panel discussions led by domain experts from **Ministry of Defence, ISRO, IN-SPACE** and international academia will cover pivotal themes at the strategy-technology nexus.

WHEN

Join Us for 3 Days and deep dive into all things space – from satellites to exploration.

APRIL 18- 20

10:00 am – 6:00pm
Monday to Thursday

WHERE

Manekshaw Centre
New Delhi, India

INDIAN DEFSPACE SYMPOSIUM 2024

INDIA IS AT AN INFLECTION POINT IN HARNESSING THE IMMENSE POTENTIAL OF SPACE TECHNOLOGIES FOR NATIONAL SECURITY.

The Indian Defense Space Symposium brings together military leadership, operators, warfighters, policymakers, scientists and industry captains to shape a roadmap for building formidable defense space capabilities.

WELCOME TO THE INDIAN DEFSPACE SYMPOSIUM 2024

Join us for a groundbreaking discussion spread over three days that brings together the brightest minds and leading luminaries in defense and space to deliberate on the future of national security, defense space technological advancements, collaborative development & international cooperation.

Gain deep insights from thought provoking discussions between all stakeholders of the Defence Space Ecosystem, to enhance your awareness as well as understanding interplay of complexities which impact the future of Defence Space.



50+
SPEAKERS

100+
ORGANISATIONS

DEFSPACE SYMPOSIUM OVERVIEW:

A GLIMPSE INTO THREE DAYS OF STRATEGIC DISCOURSE AND INSIGHTFUL EXPLORATION

DAY 1

- Experience an insightful inauguration featuring **General Anil Chauhan, Chief of Defence Staff of the Indian Armed Forces** and **Dr. Samir V Kamat, Secretary DDR&D & Chairman DRDO**.
- Session 1 delves into DefSpace Challenges, addressing iDEX, industry challenges, and space asset procurement.
- Uncover China's Defense Space Capability in Session 2.
- Engage with industry innovators during Sponsorship Pitches and gain unique perspectives on India's Defense Space Architecture.

DAY 2

- Explore the National Space Security Policy in Session 1, covering capability, legal policies, and alliances.
- Session 2 focuses on battlefield communication, featuring special addresses on SpaceTech and lessons from Ukraine conflicts.
- Dive into emerging ISR capabilities and digital space infrastructure in Session 3.
- Session 4 explores Space Security & Sustainability with cutting-edge technologies.

DAY 3

- Embark on a State-Driven Approach for Defense Space in Session 1, emphasizing framework development and research initiatives.
- Session 2 delves into Strategic Defense Alliances in Space, examining military cooperation and international partnerships.
- Session 3 navigates policy frameworks for transcontinental defense space collaboration. The concluding ceremony features insights from esteemed guests, concluding the symposium on a high note.

NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES



REGISTRATION & NETWORKING TEA

Start each day connecting with peers over tea.



LUNCH BREAKS

Mingle with participants and speakers in a relaxed setting.



EXHIBITION

Connect with various companies working in Def-Space.

SPECIAL ADDRESSES & SESSIONS

Insightful special addresses by military and industry leaders, including **Air Marshal BR Krishna** on "**Indian Defence Space Architecture**" and **former VCNS SN Ghormade** on using SpaceTech for border and maritime security.

Expert-led sessions on critical topics such as space security policy, enabling secure communication, ISR capabilities, and space security & sustainability.

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The symposium will demonstrate India's commitment to securing national interests in space while welcoming partnerships to balance security with sustainability.



JOIN US

This symposium is a must-attend for anyone involved in defense, space technology, and national security. Register now to secure your place among leaders and innovators at the forefront of defense space exploration and strategy.

EMPOWER THE FUTURE OF DEFENSE SPACE WITH US AT THE INDIAN DEFSPACE SYMPOSIUM 2024.

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