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**Brief Introduction:**

Prof Singh has research & teaching experience of **32** years in International relations, Arms Control & Disarmament, Peace and Conflict Studies, Nuclear Politics & Strategy, Asian Affairs, China's & India's foreign policies, Indo-Pacific multilateralism.

Published **18** books; **9** monographs; contributed **75+** Chapters in books; **90+** research articles in academic journals, **150+** articles in periodicals; **350+** articles in newspapers/web-sites; delivered **500+** lectures/conference papers, in India and abroad.

Currently working at Jawaharlal Nehru University (New Delhi) since Jan 2001): in addition to teaching, completed supervision of **45+** PhDs and **54** MPhils; **06** PhDs in progress.

Worked with Manohar-Parikar Institute for Defence Studies and Analysis (1992-2001) (a leading defence policy think tank of *Government of India, Ministry of Defence*)

Formerly visiting professor/scholar University of British Columbia (Vancouver), Australian National University (Canberra), Science Po (Bordeaux, France), Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (SIPRI), UPEACE (Costa Rica) University of Philippines, University of Hiroshima, University of Kyoto, University of Chuo (in Japan), Asia Centre of University of Hong Kong, Shanghai Institute of International Studies, Beijing University, Fudan University, Xiamen University, Yunnan University of Economics and Finance (in China). Regular speaker at various regional/global forums.

**08** books in last 05 years with reputed global publishers. On Editorial Board of *Asian Policy & Politics* (US), *Journal of the Indian Ocean Region* (Australia), *Journal of Indian Ocean Studies*, *Millennial Asia* and *Suraksha Chintan* (India); Referee with academic journals/book publishers. Published in reputed journals world over.

Languages: proficient in English, Hindi, very elementary level in Chinese, Urdu, Punjabi

Date of Birth: 09 August 1961; Marital Status: Married

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**Currently held positions:**

**Fellow** (June 2022~ ), Canadian Global Affairs Institute, Calgary/Ottawa, Canada

**Professor** (Nov 2008- ; Assoc Professor 2001-2008) for *Diplomacy and Disarmament*, School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.

**South Asian Director** (2023~ ), The Millennium Project's South Asia Foresight Network, Washington, USA

**Member, Academic Council** (apex body), South Asian University (inter-governmental initiative of South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation, SAARC), New Delhi

**Member, Governing Body**, Society for Indian Ocean Studies (Think Tank), New Delhi

**Non-Resident Senior Fellow**, University of Science & Technology Meghalaya, India

**Non-Resident Senior Fellow**, (2023~ ), Centre for China and Globalisation, Beijing, China

**Visiting Professor**, (2014 ~ ), Research Institute for Indian Ocean Economies, Yunnan University of Economic and Finance, Kunming, Yunnan, China.

**Visiting Professor** (2016~ ), School of History and Culture, China West Normal University, Nanchong, Sichuan, China

**Member**, Advisory Board, Communities Without Borders Inc. Atlanta, United States.

**President (March 2005 ~ )**, Association of Asia Scholars; comprises of **300+ senior experts** in Asian studies; holds regular conferences, performances, projects, has a quarterly journal *Millennial Asia*. See [www.asiascholars.org](http://www.asiascholars.org)

**Academic Positions/Fellowships held:**

**Visiting Professor** (June 2022-May 2023), Department of Political Science, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada.

Was **Chief Vigilance Officer** of Jawaharlal Nehru University for two+ years (2012-2015)

**Centre Chair thrice:** (2011-2013; Jan 2015- Oct 2015; Nov 2019-2021), Centre for International Politics, Organization and Disarmament, Jawaharlal Nehru University. CIPOD is one of largest Centres of JNU with **21 Faculty** and over **135 PhD students**

**Convener** (2011-2013), Group I, Committee of Advanced Studies and Research (CASR), School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.

**Mentor** (2008-2012), Centre for Conflict Resolution and Human Security (CCRHS) based in New Delhi that conducts research on grass-root issues of conflict and violence.

**Academic Advisor**, (2011-2012), Delhi University Group for evolving undergraduate course curriculum and course materials on Conflict Resolution and Peace Studies.

**Associate Professor** (Jan 2001-Nov 2008), for Disarmament Studies, Centre for International Politics, Organization and Disarmament, School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi

**Research Staff** (Research Assistant, Research Officer, Fellow, (July 1992 to January 2001) at Manohar Parikar Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses (MP-IDSA), New Delhi.

**Visiting Professor** (March-April 2006 and May-June 2008), Department of International Peace Studies, University of Peace (UPEACE), Costa Rica.

**Visiting Professor** (Dec 2008), School of International Studies, Xiamen University, Fujian, People's Republic of China.

**Visiting Fellow** (Feb 2009) of South Asian Strategic Stability Initiative, London, UK.

**Indian Participant at the Beijing/Shanghai Forum** (several years). Annual meet of Sinologists, organized by Beijing and Fudan Universities of China.

**India Representative, Expert Group on Export Controls (XGXC), CSCAP** during 2005-2007). Track II meetings of the Council for Security and Cooperation in Asia Pacific.

**Guest Faculty** (May 2005), Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (SIPRI), Stockholm, Sweden. Contributed a chapter to SIPRI Policy Paper 15.

**Senior Visiting Scholar** (Nov-Dec 2007), Asian Center, University of the Philippines, Diliman, Manila, the Philippines.

**Visiting Faculty** (May 2007 onwards), Diploma in Conflict Transformation & Peacebuilding, Lady Sri Ram College for Women, New Delhi

**Visiting Fellow** (June 2004), Center for Asian Studies, University of Hong Kong, **Hong Kong**, People's Republic of China

**Visiting Fellow** (December 2003), Shanghai Institute for International Studies (SIIS), **Shanghai**, People's Republic of China

**Asia Fellow & Visiting Faculty** (April 2001-Feb 2002), School of International Studies, **Peking University**, Beijing, People's Republic of China

**Indian Participant** to Conflict-Resolution (six-weeks) Workshop (May-June 1994) of the Department of Conflict Resolution, Upasala University, Sweden

**Member** (2008~2010) of South Asia Review Committee of the Asian Scholarship Foundation (ASF). Was responsible for selecting about 12 Asia Fellows for Asian Scholarship Foundation from amongst South Asian countries.

**Formerly Academic Consultant** (Sept 2003-Dec 2007), Centre de Sciences de Humaines (CSH), French Cultural Center, 2, Aurangzeb Road, New Delhi. This involved guiding young researchers from France working on South Asia and facilitating contacts and visits of senior scholars from France on South Asia.

**Responsibilities at CIPOD, JNU (my university)**

(a) *Research Supervision*

**Supervised: 45** Ph.Ds (03 co-supervised); 54 M.Phil supervised and awarded.  
Currently Supervising: 06 Ph.D students.

(b) *Teaching/Taught: Five Credit Courses at JNU:*

**Masters Courses:**

- (i) "Introduction to Peace and Conflict Resolution"; and
- (ii) "International Negotiations: Theory and Practice"

**M.Phil/PhD Courses** namely,

- (i) "India and Disarmament",
- (ii) "Strategies of Peace and War", and
- (iii) "Science, Technology and National Security"

**Publications: Books**

*India and ASEAN in the Indo-Pacific: Pathways and Perils*, (co-edited), (Singapore: Springer Nature, 2024)

*Politics of Climate Change: Crises, Conventions and Cooperation*, (co-edited), (Singapore: World Scientific 2023 announced)

*China and the Indo-Pacific: Manoeuvres and Manifestations* (co-edited) (New York: Plagrove, 2023 announced by publisher)

*Studies of China and Chineseness since the Cultural Revolution: Vol 1 Reinterpreting Ideologies and Ideological Reinterpretations* (co-edited) (Singapore: World Scientific 2022)

*Multilateralism in the Indo-Pacific: Conceptual and Operational Challenges* (co-edited) (London: Routledge 2022)

*Revisiting Gandhi: Legacies for World Peace and National Integration* (forthcoming co-edited, World Scientific, Singapore, 2021)

*Colonial Legacies and Contemporary Studies of China and Chineseness: Unlearning Binaries, Strategizing Self* (co-edited) World Scientific, Singapore, 2020)

*Corridors of Engagement* (New Delhi: Knowledge World Publishers, 2019),

*BCIM-Economic Corridor: Chinese and Indian Perspectives* (co-edited with Zhu Cuiping), [in Chinese published by RIIO, Yunnan, 2016] (*Also in Chinese*)

*India and GCC Countries, Iran and Iraq: Emerging Security Perspectives*, (co-edited), (New Delhi: Pentagon Press, 2014)

*Transforming South Asia: Imperatives for Action* (co-edited), (New Delhi: Knowledge Word Publishers, 2013)

*On China, by India: From Civilization to Nation-State*, (co-edited), (New York: Cambria Press, 2012)

*Asia's Multilateralism*, [co-edited in Chinese] (Beijing, Current Affairs Press, 2011)

*Emerging China: Prospects for Partnership in Asia* (co-edited), New Delhi: Routledge, 2011.

*China-Pakistan Strategic Cooperation: Indian Perspectives* (edited), New Delhi: Manohar, 2007, pp.350.

*China-South Asia: Issues, Equations, Policies*, (New Delhi: Lancers Books, 2003)

*Limited War: The Challenge of US Military Strategy*, (Delhi: Lancers Books, 1995).

## **Publications: Monographs**

*Ukraine Crisis: A Point of Inflection for the Emerging World Order*, (co-authored), Indian Council for World Affairs, New Delhi, 2022, pp.1-74.

*China-India-Pakistan: Nuclear Command and Control in Southern Asia*, Policy Paper, South Asian Strategic Stability Institute (London/Islamabad), March 2010.

*Mekong-Ganga Cooperation Initiative: Analysis and Assessment of India's Engagement with Greater Mekong Sub-region*, Occasional Paper No. 3, (Bangkok, IRASEC, August 2007)

*Regionalism in South Asian Diplomacy*, (Co-authored), Policy Paper No. 15 (Stockholm: SIPRI, February 2007)

*China-India Economic Engagement: Building Mutual Confidence*, (New Delhi: Centre de Sciences Humaines, March 2005), pp. 205

*India-China Post Nuclear Rapprochement*, CSNS Policy Paper No. 4, (New Delhi: Core Group on National Security, Jawaharlal Nehru University, July 2002)

*Sino-Central Asian Engagement: Limitations versus Leverage*, Special Lecture No. 1, (Occasional Paper, November 2000), Center for Central Eurasian Studies, Bombay University, Bombay, pp. 45.

*China's Changing National Security Doctrines*, (New Delhi: Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses, September 1999), pp. 110.

*Trends in Conventional Weapons Transfers* (New Delhi: Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses, November 1996), (Co-authored) pp.86

## **Publications: Guest Editor**

Guest Editor for *China-South Asia* (Special issue) *World Focus* (February 2005)

Guest Editor for an Omnibus Issue on *Sino-Pakistani Strategic Cooperation, Peace Initiatives*, Vol. V No. III-VI, (May-December 1999), pp.216

## **Publications: Others**

Authored **75+** chapters in books like J S Bajwa, *China: Threat or Challenge* (2017); Prapin Manomalvibol and Chih-yu Shih (eds) *Understanding 21st Century China in Buddhist Asia* (2016); Gurpreet Khurana and Antara Ghosal, *India and China: Constructing a Peaceful Order in the Indo-Pacific* (2017); Sreemati Ganguli (eds.), *Strategizing Energy: An Asian Perspective* (2014); Marlene Laruelle et al (eds.), *China and India in Central Asia: A New "Great Game?"*, (New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2010); Chandra Chari (ed.), *Superpower Rivalry and Conflict: The long shadow of the Cold War on the twenty-first century*, (London: Routledge, 2010); Shiping Tang, Mingjiang Li and Amitav Acharya (eds). *Living with China: Regional States and China through Crises and Turning Points*, (New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2009); Dennis Rumley, Sanjay Chaturvedi, and Vijay Sakhuja (eds.), *Fisheries Exploitation in the Indian Ocean: Threats and Opportunities*, (ISEAS, Singapore, 2009);

Published about **90+** research articles in various Indian and foreign academic journals and **150+** in other periodicals. These include Strategic Analysis, USI Journal, Peace Initiatives, Indian Defence Review, Journal of Peace Studies, Journal of Indian Ocean Studies, South Asian Survey (from Delhi) and Columbia Journal of International Affairs (United States), Journal of Indian Ocean Region (Australia), SALLA Journal of International Relations and African Security Review (South Africa); Issues & Studies (Taiwan); BISS Journal (Bangladesh); CIIR International Studies, and SIIS International Studies (Beijing and Shanghai, China), Asian Studies Journal (Kunming, China), Financial and Economic Review (Tianjin, China), Xiamen University Journal (Xiamen, China);

Published over **350** articles in newspapers and websites. These include those in Defence News (USA), The Korea Herald (Seoul), Trud (Moscow), China Daily, International Herald Leader, (Beijing, China); Dongfeng Zao Bao (Shanghai, China), and Indian publications like Mainstream, Link, Prout, Third World Impact, Nation & the World as also newspapers like New Indian Express, The Times of India, Hindustan Times, Economic Times, The Asian Age, The Pioneer, Financial Express, The Tribune, Observer of Business & Politics, Independent, and Deccan Herald, Rajasthan Patrika, Dainik Jagran etc.; also contributed articles at various internet websites.

**Conference Papers/Talks/Lectures/Media Appearances:**

Presented over **250** papers in various academic conferences; both in India and abroad. Several of these are in process of publication while others have been kept as proceedings of the conference for wider circulation. Also organised three conferences where again Chaired and presented various papers resulting in published volumes;

Delivered about **500+** lectures, talks both in India and abroad. Regularly lectures at Defence Services Staff College (Wellington), College of Naval Warfare (Mumbai), College of Air Warfare (Hyderabad) as also other Command Centres; and several other Indian and foreign think tanks, institutions of excellence and universities;

During 2020-2021 pandemic hosted 59 weekly/fortnightly Wednesday Webinars on International Relations; this was very successful in engaging young scholars across India and abroad and ensuring their constant contact with globally celebrated experts in IR.

Regularly appears in Radio and Television panel discussions on current affairs and also regularly interviewed and quoted in media both in India and abroad.

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