

3. Evaluative Report of the Department (July 2009-June 2013)

1. Name of the Department :- Defence and National Security Studies

Established in 2001, the department offers Master's course in Defence & Strategic Studies including research degree programmes. The admission in Master course is open to all the students from various streams, but preference is to the applicants who have studied Defence Studies/Military Science at graduation level. 5 seats are reserved for the serving defence personnel.

The department also offers M.Phil. course in Defence & Strategic Studies to the defence service officers. 5 seats are kept open for admission through entrance test conducted by the department.

The department runs One-year Postgraduate Diploma Course and Three-months Executive Certificate Course in Disaster Management & Security incl., One year Postgraduate Diploma Course in Homeland Security which is only of its kind in the country served by this department.

The department hold special lectures including Seminars, Workshops & Conferences to provide additional exposure to the students. The department also has a Defence Studies Society, which organizes various activities including educational trips/tours to defence establishments in the country.

**2. Year of establishment :-2001 : Centre for Defence and National Security Studies
2008: Department of Defence and National Security Studies**

3. Is the Department part of a School/Faculty of the university? :- yes , Arts faculty.



4. Names of programmes offered:

Name of the programme	Specialization	Duration	Full-time/Part-time
M.A.	Defence and Strategic Studies	2 years	Full –time
M.Phil	---do---	1 year	----do----
P. G. Diploma in Homeland Security	---do---	1year	
P. G. Diploma in Disaster Management & Security	-----do-----	1 year	----do----
Ph.D	-----do-----	5 years	----do----

5. Interdisciplinary programmes and departments involved : Department of Public health, P.U. , foreign languages.
6. Courses in collaboration with other universities, industries, foreign institutions, etc. : Nil
7. Details of programmes discontinued, if any, with reasons : Nil
8. Examination System: Semester System.
9. Participation of the department in the courses offered by other departments :
 - Involved in classes of Masters in Public Health in areas of Disaster Management.
10. Number of teaching posts sanctioned, filled and actual (Professors/Associate Professors/Asst. Professors/others)

	Sanctioned	Filled	Actual (including (CAS & MPS)
Professor		-	
Associate Prof.	01		
Asstt. Prof	04	01	-
Others	-	-	-

11. Faculty profile with name, qualification, designation, area of specialization, experience and research under guidance

Name	Qualification	Designation	Specialization	No of years of experience	\No. of Ph.D./ M.Phil. students guided for the last 4 years
 Prof. Rakesh Datta	B.sc(medical) M.A. in Defence Studies, M.Phil, Ph.D	Professor and Chairman	National/ International Security / Military Sociology	30 yrs	M.Phil=25 Ph.D=03
 Dr. Jaskaran Singh	B.A.(Hons), M.A. Geography, M.A. Defence and Strategic Studies, Ph.D	Assistant Professor	Area study China/Pakistan	08 yrs	

12. List of senior Visiting Fellows, adjunct faculty, emeritus professors :

There have been regular visits of senior professionals from defence, civil and other specialised agencies in the department for interaction with faculty, research scholars and students.

13. Percentage of classes taken by temporary faculty – programme-wise information

M.A: 50%

P.G. Diploma Course : 70%

M.Phil: 80%

14. Programme-wise Student Teacher Ratio :-

Name of the programme	# of Faculty	# of Students	Student-Teacher Ratio
M.A	04	136	34
P.G Diploma	03	51	17
Ph.D	03	12	4

15. Number of academic support staff (technical) and administrative staff: sanctioned, filled and actual

Administrative Staff	Sanctioned	Filled	Actual
Sr. Assistant	01	01	01
Library Assistant	01	01	01
Steno typist	01		
Clerk	01		
Cleaner	01		

16. Research thrust areas as recognized by major funding agencies :

- CENJOWS, MOD

17. Number of faculty with **ongoing projects** from a) national b) international funding agencies and c) Total grants received. Give the names of the funding agencies, project title and grants received project-wise. :01

Project Title	Funding Agency	Total Grant
TO STUDY THE PROSPECTS OF EXPLORING VIABILITY OF PROMOTING CORPORATIZATION AMONGST EX-DEFENCE PERSONNEL IN SEEKING EMPLOYABILITY IN THE BORDER DISTRICT OF GURDASPUR: A PILOT STUDY FOR BORDER MANAGEMENT IN THE WESTERN SECTOR'	Centre for Joint Warfare Studies, MOD	1 Lac

18. Inter-institutional collaborative projects and associated grants received : Nil
19. Departmental projects funded by DST-FIST; UGC-SAP/CAS, DPE; DBT, ICSSR, AICTE, etc.; total grants received. : Nil
20. Research facility / centre with
- state recognition
 - national recognition:] Endeavouring for Research Centre
 - international recognition
21. Special research laboratories sponsored by / created by industry or corporate bodies :- Nil
22. Publications (July 2009 to June 2013)

* Number of papers published in peer reviewed journals (national / international) : 01

* Books Published: (Prof. Rakesh Datta)

Perspectives on Civil Military Relations (ed.),	Madan Publishers, Patiala, 2011	Books Published
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* Chapter in Books (Dr. Jaskaran Singh)

<i>Published Paper titled 'China's Geo-Strategic Influence in South Asia: Implications for India'</i> in a Book titled 'Emerging Trends in India's National Security', edited by Dr. Emanuel Nahar	(Pearson/2011)	ISBN-978-81-317-6054-3)
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* Number listed in International Database (For e.g. Web of Science, Scopus, Humanities International Complete, Dare Database – International Social Sciences Directory, EBSCO host, etc.)

* Citation Index – range / average

* SNIP

* SJR

* Impact Factor – range / average

* hindex

23. Details of patents and income generated : Nil
24. Areas of consultancy and income generated :Nil
25. Faculty selected nationally / internationally to visit other laboratories / institutions/ industries in India and abroad:

Prof. Rakesh Datta

• CHAIRMAN OF THE UGC TEAM TO REVIEW DEEMED UNIVERSITY STATUS OF DEFENCE INSTITUTE OF ARMAMENT TECHNOLOGY (DIAT) PUNE – 2009

26. Faculty serving in

- a) National committees b) International committees c) Editorial Boards d) any other (please specify)

Sr.#	Name of the faculty with designation	Name of the Committee	Position held	Duration
1.	Professor Rakesh Datta	Board of Studies in Defence and Strategic Studies in Panjab University, Chandigarh	Chairman	2009 onwards
		Research Degree Committee in Defence and Strategic Studies, P.U.Chd.	Member	2009
		Board of Studies in Defence and Strategic Studies, Punjabi University, Patiala	Member	2013 onwards
		Board of Studies in Defence and Strategic Studies, Kurukshetra University	Member	2013 onwards
		Board of Studies in Defence and Strategic Studies, Guru Nanak Dev, (Amritsar)	Member	2013 onwards
		Board of Studies in Defence and Strategic Studies, MDU, Rohtak	Member	2013 onwards
		Board of Studies in Defence and Strategic Studies, Gorakhpur.	Member	2013 onwards
		Academic Council, Guru Jambheshwar University of Science and Technology, Hisar	Member	2012

		Departmental Research Committee , MDU, Rohtak	Outside expert	2012
		Research and Review Committee, University of Madras	Member	2013
		Executive Committee National congress for Defence Studies (NCDS)	Member	2009
		Institute of Defence Studies and Analysis (IDSA)	Associate Member	2009
2.	Dr. Jaskaran Singh	Executive Council XXth National Congress for Defence	Member	2010
		Executive Council XXIst National Congress for Defence Studies.	Member	2012
		Board of Studies in Defence and Strategic Studies	Member	2009 onwards

27. Faculty recharging strategies (UGC, ASC, Refresher / orientation programs, workshops, training programs and similar programs).

- Faculty is encouraged to take part in refresher courses, workshops, seminars etc., to enhance their teaching skill.
- Senior faculty share their knowledge through guest lectures, special lectures etc., at various forums.

28. Student projects (percentage of students who have done in-house projects including inter-departmental projects):

Number of Students	Percentage
P.G. Diploma in Homeland Security (2012-13) in-house	100%
P.G. Diploma in Disaster Management & Security(2012-13) in-house	100%

- percentage of students doing projects in collaboration with other universities / industry / institute : Nil

29. Awards / recognitions received at the national and international level by

Faculty : Nil

- Doctoral / post doctoral fellows Nil
- Students : Nil

30. Seminars/ Conferences/Workshops organized and the source of funding (national / International) with details of outstanding participants, if any.

Sr. No.	Date	Seminar/Conferences/workshops	Funding Agency
01.	07.05.2011	Strategies to Combat Internal Security Problems in India(Panel Discussion)	Industry
02.	9-07-2011	In House Discussion on Security Related Issue in India(Workshop)	Panjab University
03.	25-02-2012 to 16-03-2012	Refresher Course on Defence & Development in the realm of India's National strategy	ASC, P.U. Chd
04.	28-08-2012	Promotion of Security Studies in India (One day workshop)	Panjab University
05	13 -12- 2012	Iranian Delegation	Panjab University
06.	15-02-13	General J. J. Singh(Hon'ble Governor of Arunachal Pradesh): Special Colloquium lecture on Sino-Indian relations	Panjab University

31. Code of ethics for research followed by the departments: debated and discussed

32. Student profile programme-wise: (July 2009-June 2013)

Name of the Programme (refer to question no. 4)	Applications received	Selected		Pass percentage	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
Masters course	1200 approx	169	22	26.6	31.8
MPhil	140 approx	80	01	52.5	100

P.G.Diploma in Disaster Management & Security	200 approx	07	13	71.42	69.23
P.G.Diploma in Homeland Security	150approx	20	01	90	100
Ph.D	20	11	02	100	100

33. Diversity of Students

Name of the Programme (refer to question no.4)	% of students from the same university	% of students from other universities within the State	% of students From universities outside the State	% of students from other countries
Masters course	50 to 60 approx	15	15-	1-2
MPhil	75 approx	25	25	Nil
P.G.Diploma in Disaster Management & Security	80 approx	15	25	Nil
P.G.Diploma in Homeland Security	70-80approx	15	25	Nil

34. How many students have cleared Civil Services and Defence Services examinations, NET, SET, GATE and other competitive examinations? Give details category-wise.

S.No	Civil services	06
1	Defence services	05
2	Net	16

35. Student progression

Student progression	Percentage against enrolled
UG to PG	Nil
PG to M.Phil.	01 (2011-12)
PG to Ph.D.	13
Ph.D. to Post-Doctoral	Nil
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Campus selection • Other than campus recruitment 	75%
Entrepreneurs	

36. Diversity of staff

Percentage of faculty who are graduates	
of the same university	
from other universities within the State	
from universities from other States from universities	
outside the country	

37. Number of faculty who were awarded M.Phil., Ph.D., D.Sc. and D.Litt. during the assessment period :01

38. Present details of departmental infrastructural facilities with regard to

- a) Library : Yes (1400 books approx)
- b) Internet facilities for staff and students: Yes (Total Wi-fi / LAN to internet .
- c) Total number of class rooms : 02
- d) Class rooms with ICT facility: 01 every faculty is provided with either desktop computer or laptop to prepare the teaching material and delivered through LCD projector fix in the library of the department.
- e) Students' laboratories: Nil
- f) Research laboratories: Nil

39. List of doctoral, post-doctoral students and Research Associates

- a) from the host institution/university

Name of the student	Reg- No.	Course of Study	Specialization	Year of Registration
David S. Lengen	07-dz-02	Ph.D	India China Relations with Special Reference to Pakistan	2009
Kanwaljit Talwar	84-gc-495	Ph.D	Problems of Internally Displaced Persons And Their Security Implications: A Case Study On The Displaced Kashmiri Hindus In Jammu	2009
Kulvinder Singh	05-cd-60	Ph.D	Ethnic Conflicts in Pakistan : A Case Study of Baluchistan	2010
Padma Kumar Pillay	2009-ez-88	Ph.D	Evaluation of Models of Human Security with Special reference to India	2009
Priya	15005000311	Ph.D	India's Geo-Strategic and Energy Interests in Iran: Challenges and Prospects	2011
Prabhavit Dobhal	05-cor-107	Ph.D	Water Conflicts in South Asia and their Effects on the Sino-India	2011

			Strategic Relations	
Nishant Turan	175050013714	Ph.D	The Challenges of Counter –Naxal Operations in Chhattigarh	2012
Ingudam Yaipharemba Singh	09-dz-04	Ph.D	An Analytical Study of Disputes in South China Sea and Opportunities for India	2011
Mandeep Singh	2012-ez-126	Ph.D		2012
Avtar Singh Sekhon	08-dz-13	Ph.D		2012
Mandip Singh	2012-ez-107	Ph.D		2012
Pallvi	2011-dz-07	Ph.D		2013
Rajiv Chhibber	2014-ez-04	Ph.D		2014
Jatinder Pal Singh	07-dz-04	Ph.D		2013
Gurpreet Singh	11504000144	Ph.D		2013

b) from other institutions/universities Nil

40. Number of postgraduate students getting financial assistance from the university: 08

41. Was any need assessment exercise undertaken before the development of new programme(s)? If so, highlight the methodology.

42. Does the department obtain feedback from: yes

a. Faculty on curriculum as well as teaching-learning-evaluation? If yes, how does the department utilize the feedback?

The department hold daily meeting of the faculty and research scholar to mull over various issues of academic concern.

Enclosure:

1. Students feedback forms

43. List the distinguished alumni of the department (maximum 10) :

1. Major General Harkirat Singh
2. Maj. Gen. Inder Pal Singh
3. Maj. Gen. Amarjit Singh
4. Brig. Ravinder Singh Dahiya
5. Brig. Shubas Yadav
6. Col. Raminder Chimni
7. Col. Avtar Singh Sekhon
8. Col. Krishan Raj
9. Col. Arvind Sharma
10. Col. Vijay Singh

44. Give details of student enrichment programmes (special lectures / workshops / seminar) involving external experts.

Special lectures:

- Cdr. Vijay Sukhija, Director (Research)ICWA, New Delhi -Indian Ocean Security, (24-25 February, 2010)
- Gen. Hardev Lidder Former Chief of Integrated Staff Command- South Asia Security (5-10 April, 2010)
- Cdr Sandeep Dewan, United Services Institute, New Delhi Challenges of India's Maritime Security (6-7 April, 2010)
- Dr. S.D. Pardhan Formerly Dy NSA, Chairman, Joint Intelligence Committee ,National Security Council Secretariat (PMO)Government of India, New Delhi-Overview of India's internal security (7-9 April,2010)
- Gen. A.K. Chaturvedi , Chief of Staff, HQ Andaman & Nicobar Commands India's island Security (9-10 April, 2010)
- Brig. Gurmeet Kanwal, Director Centre for Land Warfare Studies- Modernizing Indian Army for the Future wars in the changing Security milieu (22.08.2011)
- Vice Admiral K.K Nayyar - India's Maritime Security and Strategic Perception (10.11.2011)
- Air Marshal R.S Bedi-The significance of Aerospace Command Structure in the changing War Profile (
- Dr. S.D Pradhan- Analyzing scope for integrated Intelligence Mechanism in India (11.11.2011)
- Col. (Dr.) K.J. Singh: Leadership Contents and the Kargil War (25.04.2012)
- Maj. Gen G.G. Dwivedi, SM, VSM,: Legal and Constitutional aspects related to security and Anticipating future terrorism- Principles and the role of technology(05-04- 2013)

- Sh. R.L. Batta, Bar at Law -Interaction with Homeland Security students on Pakistan and china Security (07- 02-2013)
- Brig. D.S Sarao- Potential threats from China in the North East region (21-11-2012)
- Mr. Jozef Banas, Security Expert Zone of Jubilation- fall of Iron Curtain (29-11-2012)
- Lt.Gen. Prakash Menon, Military Advisor to NSA - Security issues in South Asian Region: Implications for India (10-11-2012)
- General J. J. Singh Hon'ble Governor of Arunachal Pradesh- Special Colloquium lecture on Sino-Indian relations (15-02-13)
- Iranian Delegation in the department :(13 -12- 2012)

Team constituting :

1. Dr. Mostafa Dolatyar, Director General,
Institute for Political and International Studies(IPIS), Tehran
2. Mr. Shakeri, ex. Ambassador of Iran to Pakistan
3. Mr. Rouz Bahani, Head of department of Indian studies
Representative of Iran Embassy

IDSA Scholars

1. Dr. Meena Singh Roy, Research
Fellow IDSA
2. Alam Rizvi, Associate Fellow IDSA

45. List the teaching methods adopted by the faculty for different programmes.

46.

- Interactive
- Guest lectures
- Student Presentations
- Debates and discussions
- Case analysis
- Group discussions
- demonstrations

47. How does the department ensure that programme objectives are constantly met and learning outcomes are monitored?

- Through constant academic exercises debated in different committees.

48. Highlight the participation of students and faculty in extension activities:

- The department undertake various indoor and outdoor activities. This is by way of organizing class tutorials, class debates and visit to different establishment / centres of security concern.

48. Give details of “beyond syllabus scholarly activities” of the department.

undertaken as mentioned above.

49. State whether the programme/ department is accredited/ graded by other agencies? If yes, give details.

The department is selected for upgradation by the Expert Committee set up by the Ministry of Human Resource Development (M/HRD); UGC constituted an expert committee to consider the same.

50. Briefly highlight the contributions of the department in generating new knowledge, basic or applied.

The department has singularly conceived special courses like One year P.G. Diploma in Homeland Security and Disaster Management & Security.

51. Detail five major Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Challenges (SWOC) of the department.

Strength:-

1. Qualified faculty with strong add on Professionalised Guest faculty
2. Research Publications
3. Invitees from Senior defence, Civil and Foreign service incl. think-tanks
4. Holding workshops and seminars
5. Visit to various defence establishments and border areas for added exposure to the student
6. The department is in league with all the major think tanks on security matters including IDSA.

Weakness:-

- Limited infrastructure resource

Opportunities :-

- Security being a buzz word, discipline of such nature offers lot of opportunities to its stakeholders.

Challenges:-

- Need for greater marketability to attract students into such specialized kind of curricula.

52. Future plans of the department:-

1. Strengthening existing courses like Homeland Security and Disaster Management & Security
2. Establish partnership with major think-tanks
3. Establishment of a research centre -Centre for research in Internal Security Studies(Proposal submitted to UGC)