



**National Defence and Security
and
Strategic Gaming Exercise (SGE)
Training Module for IFS Officer Trainees of the 2024 Batch
Sushma Swaraj Institute for Foreign Service**

New Delhi

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Lectures by the DPG Senior Faculty

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| Nature of War and Armed Conflict in the 21 st Century |
| 0930-1030 ➤ Vice Admiral Anil Chopra (Retd.), Distinguished Fellow, DPG |
| Managing India's Territorial and Internal Security Challenges |
| 1030-1130 ➤ Lt. Gen. Deependra Singh Hooda (Retd.), Distinguished Fellow for Military Strategy, DPG |
| Securing India's Maritime Interests |
| 1150-1250 ➤ Commodore Lalit Kapur (Retd.), Senior Fellow for Maritime Strategy |
| Net Assessment as a Tool for Strategic Planning |
| 1400-1500 ➤ Brigadier Rumel Dahiya, Former Deputy Director General, Institute of Defence Studies and Analyses (MP-IDSA) |
| Strategic Gaming Exercise |
| 1500-1700 ➤ Brigadier Rumel Dahiya, Former Deputy Director General, Institute of Defence Studies and Analyses (MP-IDSA) |