



DKI APCSS Monthly Activities Report

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Mrs. Divya Rai delivers the commencement speech.

A Journey of Cooperation & Leadership

"This part of my life is happiness," said Divya Rai, reflecting on her experiences at the Daniel K. Inouye Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies in Honolulu. Rai was among 123 Fellows from 40 countries who completed the Comprehensive Security Cooperation (CSC24-2) course on June 18.

Rai, who hails from India, emphasized the uniqueness of the opportunity. "How often do you get to meet people from such diverse countries and fields? The Fellows here are the best of the best," she said. Her main takeaways from the course were the importance of cooperation and leadership. [Read more](#)

Building Whole-of-Society Resilience

Looking at ways to counter global hybrid threats and malign influence was the focus of a workshop on "Building Whole of Society Resilience" held June 24-27 in Honolulu. The three-day workshop, hosted by the Daniel K. Inouye Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies and the George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies, brought together more than 40 experts from around the world to exchange lessons learned and best practices on building resilience.

"This workshop is the second in a series of events aimed at sharing international experiences and best



practices in countering these threats," said workshop lead Dr. Sam Mullins. "We planned this event to emphasize building whole-of-society resilience and cooperation so that those who are targeted are able to lessen the impact, adapt, and 'rebound forward'."

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Ambassador Rudd on China's Strategy

Dr. Kevin Rudd, AC
Former Prime Minister and
Australia's Ambassador to the
United States at DKI APCSS

Australia's Ambassador to the United States Dr. Kevin Rudd, AC, recently addressed the Fellows attending the Comprehensive Security Cooperation course. The former Australian Prime Minister took the opportunity to speak on "The United States, China, and Taiwan and the Role of Deterrence in Scenarios Short of War."

You can read the full text of his speech at <https://usa.embassy.gov.au/APCSS24>

The event, held on June 6, 2024, at the Center was live streamed. The video is available at: <https://youtu.be/wRovFfjE1Yo>



Featuring Professor Shyam Tekwani: This episode explores the implications of Prime Minister Narendra Modi's leadership on India's domestic, regional, and global security landscape. [LINK](#)



Featuring Michael Will, this webinar focuses on the global threat of Outlaw Motorcycle Gangs (OMGs) and their sophisticated criminal enterprises. [LINK](#)



Featuring Dr. Virginia Bacay Watson: this episode explores the Philippines' evolving strategies, regional alliances' impact, and energy security's crucial role. [LINK](#)

Upcoming Events / Webinars

Security Nexus | Webinar

Episode 21 From Promises to Reality: Analyzing the 2024 Indian Elections

July 18, 2024 - 3 PM (HST).

Register here. [Register here.](#)

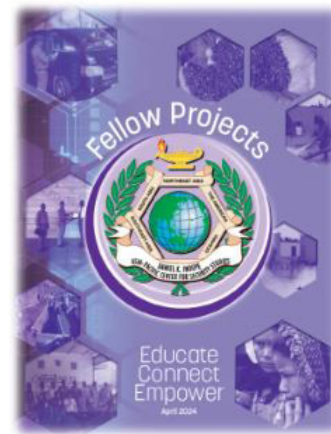
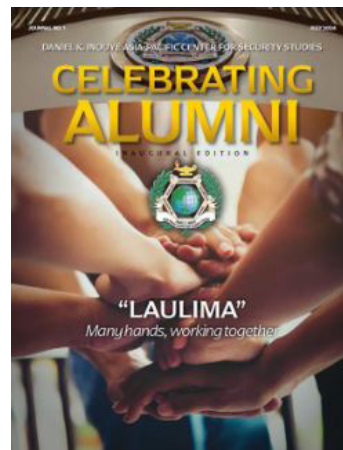
Transnational Security Cooperation

TSC 24-1: July 14-10, 2024

Indo-Pacific Orientation Course

IPOC 24-2: Oct. 21-25, 2024

New Alumni Publications



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