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*Enclosure:
as stated, on 7p.*

The Secretariat of the Conference on Interaction and Confidence Building Measures in Asia (CICA) presents its compliments to the CICA Member States and, with the reference to its Note No. NCT/CT/1502 dated 7 December 2022, has the honor to convey herewith the updated Concept paper, Agenda, Administrative Note and Registration form of the CICA Workshop on Counter Radicalization to be held online on 2-3 February 2023 by the Republic of India.

The link to join the Workshop will be circulated in due course.

The Secretariat would appreciate if the completed registration forms could be sent to the organizers and the Secretariat prior to 1 February 2023.

The Secretariat avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the CICA Member States the assurances of its highest consideration.

Astana, 24 January 2023



**MEMBER STATES
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Секретариат Совещания по взаимодействию и мерам доверия в Азии (СВМДА) свидетельствует свое уважение государствам-членам СВМДА и, ссылаясь на свою ноту № NCT/CT/1502 от 7 декабря 2022 года, имеет честь направить обновленную концепцию, повестку, административную ноту и регистрационную форму Семинара СВМДА по Противодействию радикализации, организуемого Республикой Индия в онлайн-формате 2-3 февраля 2023 года.

Ссылка для подключения к Семинару будет распространена дополнительно

Секретариат был бы признателен государствам-членам за направление заполненных регистрационных форм организаторам и в Секретариат до 1 февраля 2023 года.

Секретариат пользуется случаем, чтобы возобновить государствам-членам СВМДА уверения в своем весьма высоком уважении.

город Астана, 24 января 2023 г.



**ГОСУДАРСТВАМ-ЧЛЕНАМ
СОВЕЩАНИЯ ПО ВЗАИМОДЕЙСТВИЮ И
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Қосымша:
аталған, 7 п.

Азиядағы өзара іс-қимыл және сенім шаралары кеңесінің (Азия Кеңесінің) Хатшылығы Азия Кеңесінің мүше мемлекеттеріне өзінің зор ілтипатын білдіреді және Хатшылықтың 2022 жылғы 7 желтоқсандағы № НСТ/СТ/1502 нотасына қосымша ретінде Үндістан Республикасы 2023 жылғы 2-3 ақпанда онлайн режимінде өткізетін Дерадикализация жөніндегі Азия Кеңесі семинарының жаңартылған тұжырымдамасын, күн тәртібін, әкімшілік жазбасын және тіркеу нысанын жолдауды өзіне мәртебе санайды.

Семинарға сілтеме тиісті уақытта қоса беріледі.

Хатшылық толтырылған тіркеу нысандарын ұйымдастырушылар мен Хатшылыққа 2023 жылдың 1 ақпанына дейін жолдауды сұрайды.

Хатшылық осы мүмкіндікті пайдалана отырып, Азия Кеңесінің мүше мемлекеттеріне өзінің зор ілтипатын тағы да растайды.

Астана қаласы, 2023 жылғы 24 қаңтар

**АЗИЯДАҒЫ ӨЗАРА ІС-ҚИМЫЛ ЖӘНЕ
СЕНІМ ШАРАЛАРЫ КЕҢЕСІНІҢ МҮШЕ
МЕМЛЕКЕТТЕРІ**



Conference on Interaction and Confidence Building Measures (CICA)

Workshop on “Counter Radicalization”

February 2-3, 2023

CONCEPT NOTE

BACKGROUND

Radicalization continues to present a serious threat to international peace and security. Counter radicalization seeks to address potential vulnerabilities which exploit people to incite support for criminal action. The workshop aims to promote discussion regarding national approaches on countering radicalization and to share local, national, regional & international experiences and expertise. The workshop will cover various topics on the subject focusing on the matrix and ways & means including success stories and illustrative case studies. It will share information about tools that are being used by the terrorist/ extremist groups and devise a system-based approach to tackle them.

The importance of social media in projecting terrorist propaganda and recruiting foreign fighters by radicalization processes are well documented. The terrorist groups seek to leverage an individuals’ increased internet usage in various parts of the world to attract new followers. Terrorists and the extremists are increasingly building their own software applications by re-using existing code and software, which needs to be addressed & tackled.

The spectre of terrorism is exacerbated by the ease of communication, facilitation of procurement networks, sourcing and channelling of funds as well as targeting vulnerable population with potential sympathizers for radicalization, recruitment and resources. Terrorists are effectively using organized propaganda over internet including social media as a means for ideological radicalization as well as conspiratorial communication.

All stakeholders need to jointly contribute to countering radicalization and they need to be appropriately trained in this regard. The sharing of experiences of member states on countering radicalization will go a long way in capacity building of respective law enforcement authorities and develop good practices.

In this regard, India has taken initiative to organize workshop for CICA member states for sharing good practices with regard to countering radicalization.

ELEMENTS INVOLVED IN COUNTERING RADICALIZATION

1. Expanding awareness about how terrorists currently seek to exploit the social media platform for operations ranging from spreading propaganda, recruitment, communication, planning and execution for radicalization.
2. Enhance understanding of how relevant authorities, collaboration and practices may contribute in countering radicalization for terrorist activities globally;
3. To understand better the processes of radicalization by terrorist & criminals.
4. To enhance the applicability and effectiveness in countering radicalization.

Workshop Agenda

CICA Member States Workshop on “Counter Radicalization”

February 2-3, 2023

Virtual workshop

Day 1

Opening Ceremony

Session 1: Radicalization & Extremism – An overview

Session 2: Rise of fundamentalism and its global impact.

Session 3: Misuse Social media as a tool for radicalization

Day 2

Session 4: Radicalization and International terrorism

Session 5: Radicalization and Lone wolf attack.

Session 6: Panel discussion with experts

Session 1 to 5 (each) will comprise of an Expert Session, Presentations and Q&A round.



Bureau of Police Research & Development, India

CICA Workshop on “Counter Radicalization”, February 2-3, 2023

Administrative Note

INTRODUCTION

Republic of India welcomes participants of the Conference on Interaction and Confidence Building Measures in Asia (CICA) member states for virtual workshop on Counter Radicalization to be held on February 2-3, 2023.

EVENT DATES AND PROGRAMME

The workshop on Counter Radicalization is going to be organized by the Bureau of Police Research & Development (BPR&D) jointly with its outlying training unit, the Central Detective Training Institute (CDTI), Ghaziabad on February 2-3, 2023 in the virtual mode.

NODAL POINT

The following representatives of the Bureau of Police Research & Development (BPR&D), Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India are appointed as focal points and are ready to assist you with all emerging issues you may have regarding the workshop.

- i. Shri Anurag Kumar, IPS
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Bureau of Police Research & Development
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Government of India
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PLATFORM FOR THE VIRTUAL WORKSHOP

The seminar will be held on CISCO WEBEX.

WORKING LANGUAGE OF THE WORKSHOP

English

MODALITY OF THE WORKSHOP

The workshop has been designed with thematic inputs wherein specific sessions would be moderated/conducted by the countries as specified in the enclosed programme. The member countries would be making a presentation on the topic (duration 10-15 minutes), followed by deliberations/country intervention amongst the participants. In addition to the thematic sessions, two panel discussions are also planned. These deliberations would be done to produce the good practices that can be adopted by the member states for understanding, preventing, and countering the misuse of the internet and radicalization. The workshop will broadly cover various topics on these two subjects focusing on the matrix and ways and means; including success stories and illustrative case studies. The workshop also recognizes the importance of cooperative action by member states aimed at preventing nefarious designs of inimical elements from exploiting sophisticated technology, communication, and resources to incite support for criminal acts. It makes it imperative that there are concerted efforts to identify the platforms that are being used by the terrorist/extremist groups and devise a system-based approach to tackle them. This initiative provides an opportunity to engage with the policing community abroad and share nuanced knowledge of the Indian Police on the subject with foreign participants.

NO. OF PARTICIPANTS FROM EACH MEMBER STATES

3-4 participants from each member states. Participants may include representatives from counter-terrorism agencies, intelligence departments, investigation agencies, security task forces, and agencies that specifically deal with cyberspace and terrorism.

CONFIDENTIALITY

Due to the potentially sensitive and confident nature, of presentations and discussions to be held during the workshop, please take only handwritten or typed notes for your personal use and do not make a video or audio recordings of the proceedings.

FACULTY MEMBERS

Experienced eminent faculty members and domain experts will be drawn from various important organizations. All the sessions will be interactive and knowledge-based. Special care will be taken to ensure the content of the course is of the highest quality keeping in mind the sizeable number of foreign participants from different countries. For the preparation of the programme in a time-bound manner, Member States are requested to expeditiously forward the list of all the officers attending the workshop including resource persons/experts on the subjects, if any.



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REGISTRATION FORM

CICA Workshop on “Counter Radicalization”

February 2-3, 2023 (online)

Member State:	
Prefix (Mr./Mrs./Ms.):	
First Name:	
Last Name:	
Title/Position (incl. organization):	
Educational qualification:	
Phone number:	
E-mail:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Speaker	<input type="checkbox"/> Observer
Topic (only for speakers)	

Kindly **type in** your information and return this registration form
by 1 February 2023

to the following e-mail addresses: a.tanalinov@s-cica.org and
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