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School of Humanities, Social Sciences & Management

INTERACTION WITH SENIOR MEMBERS FROM STOCKHOLM CENTRE FOR SOUTH ASIAN & INDO-PACIFIC AFFAIRS (SCSA-IPA), SWEDEN

A BRIEF REPORT

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On the 18th of October 2022, the School of Humanities, Social Sciences & Management was fortunate to have participated in a dialogue with Dr. Niklas Swanstrom, Director, Europe-Asia Research Cooperation (YCAPS), and Dr. Jagannath P. Panda, Head, Stockholm Centre for South Asian and Indo-Pacific Affairs. The delegates arrived at 9:30, and in an intellectually stimulating discussion, they interacted with the faculty members and research scholars of SHSS&M. Following the introductions, a deliberation on the Russia-Ukraine War was presented by the delegates. The audience was encouraged to ask questions regarding the same, and an insightful debate ensued. The delegates emphasised the fact that wars are not local, and even though this myth is thrust on the world, the ramifications of war are huge on the economy of the entire world, irrespective of the geographical location of the war. Keeping these aspects of war in mind, as intellectuals and scholars, the delegates wanted us to reflect on the psychological, climatic, and humanitarian damage that war could cause. They concluded by saying that they were extremely delighted to meet the representatives of a premier institution like the Indian Institute of Technology, and will look forward to interacting with us again in future, as part of their Think Tank Dialogues across South Asia.

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