

***As part of celebrations of #AzadiKaAmritMahotsav, Embassy of India organized a series of events included Business Seminars , business meetings and Constitution Day Seminar***

# Embassy News



## Meeting with Gems and Jewelry importers:

The Embassy organized a Business Outreach Meeting on November 15, 2021 with the Gems & Jewelry importers & producers in Lebanon under the aegis of Syndicate of Jewelers led by its President Mr. Boghos Khurdian. Intense discussions took place on enhancing cooperation and bilateral trade in this sector.



Ambassador Dr Suhel Ajaz Khan gave an overview of the Gems and Jewelry sector from India and spoke about complementarities between India and Lebanon in this sector. Gems & Jewelry is one of largest exports of Lebanon. However, all the raw material, including gold, other precious metals, precious and semi-precious stones are imported. Lebanese producers are now looking at import of materials and also machinery from India in this Sector.



## Celebrating the Peacekeepers

As part of Amrit Mahotsav / India@75, Noursat English TV crew led by senior anchorwoman Ms Joelle Antoine Aziz visited the Indian Battalion at UNIFIL on November 13, 2021 and interviewed Col Mohver Grewal, Commanding Officer of Indian Battalion at UNIFIL. A short documentary on role, life & routine of Indian Soldiers at the UNIFIL was broadcasted on December 12, 2021.



The TV Crew also visited nearby Mahatma Gandhi Park and spoke to Mayor of Ebl el Saki who fondly spoke about community connect of the Indian Battalion over past 22 years. The Crew also visited the Medical and Vet clinic run by the Indian Battalion.

Currently 19 Madras Battalion Group is serving as Indian Battalion at UNIFIL.

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## Meeting with Governor of Beirut

Ambassador of India Dr Suhel Ajaz Khan met Governor of Beirut H.E. Judge Marwan Abboud on November 18, 2021. Ambassador thanked him for the decision to name a public space in Beirut after Mahatma Gandhi & discussed other issues of interests. H.E. Governor promised that the place to be named will be finalized soon.



## Children's Evening

Embassy of India organized a Children's Evening on November 18, 2021. Diaspora & Lebanese children enjoyed a fun-filled & informative evening at the Embassy premises. Children recited Hindi poems & actively participated in a Quiz 'Aao Jane Azadi Ke Stambh Prashno Ke Sang'. Mstr Srijan Khawas, Ms Anika Chandel & Mstr Ashmit Chandel presented Hindi poems. Shri Sandeep Grover, HOC, gave a talk on the theme of good nutrition for a healthy growth. Children also enjoyed Magic show & other fun activities.



## Resumption of Tourist Visa

Government of India has decided to give free Tourist Visas to first 5 Lakh travellers to India.

Mr. P. Pattabhi, Second Secretary (Cons) & his team granted first set of free tourist visas to Lebanese travellers on November 18, 2021.

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## Constitution Day

Embassy of India, Beirut celebrated the Constitution Day on November 26, 2021 by reading of the Preamble of the Constitution. All members of the Embassy, led by Ambassador Dr Suhel Ajaz Khan, read the Preamble of the Constitution. Indian soldiers at the UN Peacekeeping Mission in Lebanon, UNIFIL also read the Preamble at their location. Members of the Indian Embassy also read the Preamble of the Constitution online, in their own mother tongues.



## Remembering the Indian Soldiers

Ambassador of India Dr Suhel Ajaz Khan, along with Second Secretary Shri Sandeep Grover, joined Commonwealth ambassadors & other dignitaries on Sunday November 21, 2021 at Commonwealth War Graves Cemetery, Beirut to pay respects to the soldiers who lost their lives in the two World Wars. A total of 447 Indian soldiers who lost their lives in the two World Wars are laid to rest in various cemeteries in Lebanon.

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### Meeting with Agriculture Minister

Ambassador Dr Suhel Khan met with Minister of Agriculture, H.E. Dr. Abbas Hajj Hassan on December 13, 2021. They discussed a number of issues including Lebanon's food security, bringing Indian agriculture technologies to Lebanon, training programmes & enhancing trade in food & agri products.

Ambassador briefed the Minister on the interest in the private sector in Lebanon to enhance food imports from India and to deal directly with the exporters from India without going through intermediaries. Ambassador also informed that India is now the largest food exporter to the Arab countries. Ambassador also informed the Minister that various training programme can be offered to Lebanese officials and scientists under ITEC programme as per their needs. Ambassador also invited the Minister to send a strong, officially-led business delegation to IndusFood, an important business exhibition in the food and agriculture technology sectors in India to take place in January. The Minister was very forthcoming in responding to all these suggestions. He termed India as a strong and dependable partner. Minister was accompanied by Director General Mr Louis Lahoud.



### Team India at Asia-Oceania Judo Championship

Indian teams participated in Asia-Oceania Judo Championship, Junior & Cadet levels in Lebanon & won many medals in different categories. Ambassador of India Dr. Suhel Ajaz Khan & Second Secretary Shri Sandeep Grover met on December 5, 2021 with the Indian team & cheered them up. They also watched many matches. Ambassador also met Mr Obaid Al Anzi, Vice President International Judo Federation, Mr. Munawar Anzar from India, International Judo referee & jury for this championship & other officials. Ambassador congratulated Lebanon for organizing the Championship in these challenging times.



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## Mahaparinirvan Divas

The Embassy of India commemorated Mahaparinirvan Divas on December 6, 2021 & paid rich tributes to Dr B R Ambedkar. A documentary on Dr. Ambedkar was screened. Ambassador of India Dr Suhel Ajaz Khan & Community member Shri Ram Swaroop ji, in their speeches, recalled the ideals & vision of Dr. Ambedkar.



## Meeting with Energy Minister

Ambassador of India to Lebanon Dr Suhel Ajaz Khan met on December 6, 2021 with H.E. Dr. Walid Fayad, Minister of Energy & Water. They discussed number of issues of mutual interests.



## Visit to Jiyeh Power Plant

Ambassador of India Dr. Suhel Ajaz Khan, along with Second Secretary Mr P. Pattabhi visited on December 10, 2021 Jiyeh Thermal Power Plant located in south of Beirut. The Plant is operated & managed by a JV involving Indian firm, OEG, & a local firm Middle East Power (MEP). Mr Yahya Mawloud, CEO briefed Ambassador on the Plant operation. Ambassador also interacted with the Indian Team of Engineers and Technicians at the Plant led by Shri V Mutukumara, Shri Reddy and Shri Shridharan.

## Embassy News



### Meeting with Economy Minister

Ambassador of India Dr Suhel Ajaz Khan met with Minister of Economy & Trade H.E. Amin Salam on December 15, 2021 & discussed a number of issues of mutual interests, including participation by the Lebanese side in upcoming mega business events in India & opportunities for enhancing bilateral trade.



### Seminar on Food Trade

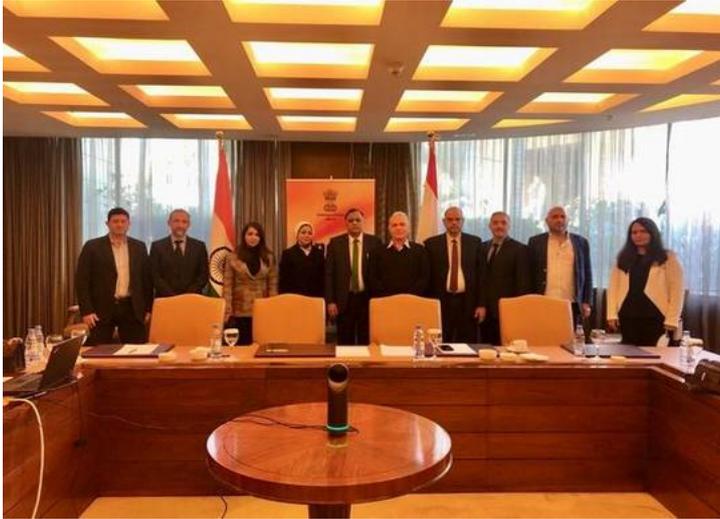
The Embassy organized a Seminar on "Intensifying Food Trade between India and Lebanon" on December 15, 2021. Mr. Hitesh Gutka, President of Indian Spice and Foodstuff Exporters' Association (ISFEA) along with some members of the Association joined virtually.

Mr. Louis Lahoud, Director General and Senior Advisor to the Agriculture Minister represented the Ministry of Agriculture of Lebanon along with 5 other senior officers of the Ministry of Agriculture. The event was also joined by Lebanese buyers/ food importers.



Ambassador Dr. Suhel Ajaz Khan gave an overview of the Agriculture Sector in India and India's strengths in food exports. Ambassador informed that despite the economic crisis in Lebanon, food sector still has potential to expand our trade and cooperation. Ambassador encouraged Lebanese importers to source their needs from India. Ambassador also spoke on how the Lebanese side can also benefit from machinery, technology and best practices being used in India in this sector.

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## Seminar on Pharmaceuticals

The Embassy team along with the Pharmaceutical importers from Lebanon joined the Webinar and B2B meeting on December 14, 2021 with Pharmexcil and Pharmaceutical representatives from India, Zambia & Madagascar on new opportunities in Pharma and Healthcare Sectors.

Ambassador Dr Suhel Ajaz Khan gave an overview of opportunities for enhancing trade & introducing new products in the Lebanese market. Mr Hisham Fawaz from the Lebanese Ministry of Public Health gave a presentation on the registration process for medicine in Lebanon & welcomed Indian Pharmaceutical companies to enhance their presence in Lebanon.



The Lebanese importers voiced their readiness in exploring further business and trade opportunities with their counterparts from India.



## Demise of CDS General Bipin Rawat

The Embassy joins the nation in mourning on the sad & untimely demise of CDS General Bipin Rawat, Mrs Rawat & other armed forces officials in a tragic helicopter crash on December 8, 2021.

Gen Rawat was an exceptional soldier & as the first CDS, led our armed forces with exemplary leadership.

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### Observance of Mahaparinirvan Diwas at Gurudwara

Ambassador of India Dr Suhel Ajaz Khan, along with Second Secretary Shri Sandeep Grover & other staff of the Embassy joined the Indian community at Gurudwara Sant Ravidas Ji in Beirut on December 12, 2021 in observance of Mahaparinirvan Diwas in the memory of Bharat Ratna Dr Bhim Rao Ambedkar as part of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav activities. Ambassador Khan was joined by Gurudwara Prabandhak, Ram Swaroop Ji & others in offering floral tributes & prayers to Dr Ambedkar. A special aarti was performed in the fond memory of Dr Ambedkar. Ambassador also addressed the Indian community & briefed them about Embassy's services to the Community & activities of the Embassy under Amrit Mahotsav. In his speech Ambassador spoke about ideals of Dr Ambedkar and his contributions in the social reforms in India and his role in drafting the Indian Constitution. Ambassador also encouraged the Indian community to participate in various activities under Amrit Mahotsav.



### Meeting with Romanian Ambassador

Ambassador of India to Lebanon Dr. Suhel Ajaz Khan received Ambassador of Romania to Lebanon HE Mr. Radu-Cătălin Mardare in his office on November 10, 2021. They exchanged views on the issues of mutual interests.

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## A high-level Seminar on the occasion of Constitution Day of India



The Embassy of India in Lebanon organized a high-level Seminar on November 26, 2021 on the occasion of Constitution Day of India. Judge Jean Fahed, Former President of the Supreme Court & Former President of the Supreme Judicial Council of Lebanon and eminent lawyer Rima Fawaz Husseini were the main speakers along with Ambassador Dr Suhel Ajaz Khan.

A documentary on the Constitution of India was screened and Second Secretary Mr. Sandeep Grover read the preamble of the Constitution.

Ambassador Dr Khan, in his speech paid homage to Dr B R Amedkar, the Father of the Indian Constitution and remembered all those who contributed to drafting and making of the Indian Constitution. He focused on the working of the Indian Parliament and the election process in India in context of the constitutional provision. He also spoke about judicial independence, independence of the Election Commission of India, robustness of the electoral process in India, separation of powers between various bodies of the state , cooperative federalism and rights and duties of the citizens.

Judge Jean Fahed spoke about the Judicial independence in India and the Constitutional provisions which guarantee the Judicial independence. He also spoke about the role of Indian Judiciary as the protectors of citizens' rights, guardian of the Constitution and an instrument of positive interventions for the socio- economic betterment of lives of common man. Lawyer Husseini spoke about the Contribution of Dr Ambedkar in drafting the Constitution. She also highlighted the nation building process in the early years of Freedom of India where more than 500 different princely states were merged to make India a unified and strong entity. She spoke about the importance of free and fair elections in a democracy and complimented the Electoral body in India to carry out the largest electoral exercises in India with full transparency and fairness every time.

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Judge Meddy Moutran, Judge of the Court of Cassation (Supreme Court) of Lebanon and Judge Maya Karam also graced the occasion. The event was also attended by prominent members of the Beirut Bar Association, media personnel, members of the Lebanese civil society and Indian Diaspora.

November 26 is celebrated every year as Constitution Day in India, as on this day in 1949, the Constitution of Free India was adopted.

Indian Constitution is the longest written Constitution in the World. The Preamble of the Indian Constitution, which carries the gist of the Constitution reads as under:

WE, THE PEOPLE OF INDIA, having solemnly resolved to constitute India into a SOVEREIGN SOCIALIST SECULAR DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC and to secure to all its citizens :

JUSTICE, social, economic and political;

LIBERTY of thought, expression, belief, faith and worship;

EQUALITY of status and of opportunity;

and to promote among them all

FRATERNITY assuring the dignity of the individual and the UNITY and INTEGRITY of the Nation

IN OUR CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY this twenty-sixth day of November, 1949, do HEREBY ADOPT, ENACT AND GIVE TO OURSELVES THIS CONSTITUTION.

# News of The Month

## National Statement by Prime Minister Narendra Modi at the Summit for Democracy

Excellencies,

Namaskar

I am proud to represent the world's largest democracy at this Summit. The democratic spirit is integral to our civilization ethos. Elected republican city-states such as Lichhavi and Shakya flourished in India as far as 2500 years back. The same democratic spirit is seen in the 10th Century "Uttaramerur" inscription that codified the principles of democratic participation. This very democratic spirit and ethos had made ancient India one of the most prosperous. Centuries of colonial rule could not suppress the democratic spirit of the Indian people. It again found full expression with India's independence, and led to an unparalleled story in democratic nation-building over the last 75 years.

It is a story of unprecedented socio-economic inclusion in all spheres. It is a story of constant improvements in health, education, and human well-being at an un-imaginable scale. The India story has one clear message to the world. That democracy can deliver, that democracy has delivered, and that democracy will continue to deliver.

Excellencies,

The structural features like multi-party elections, independent judiciary, and free media - are important instruments of democracy. However, the basic strength of democracy is the spirit and ethos that lie within our citizens and our societies. Democracy is not only of the people, by the people, for the people but also with the people, within the people.

Excellencies,

Different parts of the world have followed different paths of democratic development. There is much we can learn from each other. We all need to constantly improve our democratic practices and systems. And, we all need to continuously enhance inclusion, transparency, human dignity, responsive grievance redressal and decentralization of power.

In this context, today's assembly provides a timely platform for furthering cooperation among democracies. India would be happy to share its expertise in holding free and fair elections, and in enhancing transparency in all areas of governance through innovative digital solutions. We must also jointly shape global norms for emerging technologies like social media and crypto-currencies, so that they are used to empower democracy, not to undermine it.

Excellencies,

By working together, democracies can meet the aspirations of our citizens and celebrate the democratic spirit of humanity. India stands ready to join fellow democracies in this noble endeavor.

Thank you. Thank you very much.

# News of The Month

## India unseats Brazil as No.1 food supplier to Arab nations after 15 years

After 15 years, India outpaces Brazil to become the top food exporting country to the League of Arab states.

According to Arab-Brazil Chamber of Commerce, The Arab League of States is one of the top trade partners of Brazil. Amid Covid-19 pandemic, Brazil's geographical limitations acted as a barrier after the global logistics rattled. In 2020, Brazil accounted for almost 8.15% of total Agri-based products import to the 22 League members. However, India registered 8.25% of that trade, putting an end to Brazil's 15-years of dominance. Brazil also lost its advantage to other exporters like Turkey, the US, France, and Argentina due to the negative effects of the pandemic on traditional shipping routes. Shipments from Brazil to Saudi Arabia took 60 days instead of 30 days. However, the geographic advantage helped India ship fruits, vegetables, sugar, grains, and meat in less than a week.

In 2020, Brazil's agricultural exports to the Arab League increased marginally by 1.4% to US\$ 8.17 billion. Between the months of January and October 2021, sales were up 5.5% to US\$ 6.78 billion only.

The chamber stated that China featured their own inventories during the pandemic and rerouted some of Brazil's trades with the Arabs. Countries like Saudi Arabia are big buyers but also net exporters of food.

الهند تتفوق على البرازيل في صادراتها الغذائية إلى الدول العربية لأول مرة منذ 15 عامًا

بعد 15 عامًا ، تفوقت الهند على البرازيل لتصبح أكبر دولة مصدرة للأغذية إلى جامعة الدول العربية

وفقًا للغرفة التجارية العربية البرازيلية ، تعدّ جامعة الدول العربية واحدة من أبرز الشركاء التجاريين للبرازيل. وسط جائحة كوفيد19 ، شكّلت القيود الجغرافية في البرازيل حاجزا بعد هزة الخدمات اللوجستية العالمية. في عام 2020 ، استحوذت البرازيل على ما يقارب 8.15% من إجمالي واردات المنتجات الزراعية لأعضاء الرابطة البالغ عددهم 22. ومع ذلك ، سجلت الهند 8.25% من تلك التجارة ، مما وضع نهاية لهيمنة البرازيل على مدى 15 عامًا. فقدت البرازيل أيضًا ميزتها أمام المصدرين الآخرين مثل تركيا والولايات المتحدة وفرنسا والأرجنتين بسبب الآثار السلبية للجائحة على طرق الشحن التقليدية. استغرقت الشحنات من البرازيل إلى المملكة العربية السعودية 60 يومًا بدلًا من 30 يومًا. ومع ذلك ، ساعدت الميزة الجغرافية الهند على شحن الفاكهة والخضروات والسكر والحبوب واللحوم في أقل من أسبوع.

في عام 2020 ، زادت الصادرات الزراعية البرازيلية إلى جامعة الدول العربية بشكل هامشي بنسبة 1.4% لتصل إلى 8.17 مليار دولار أمريكي. بين شهري يناير وأكتوبر 2021 ، ارتفعت المبيعات بنسبة 5.5% لتصل إلى 6.78 مليار دولار أمريكي فقط

وذكرت الغرفة أن الصين قدمت قوائم جرد خاصة بها أثناء الجائحة وغيرت مسار بعض صفقات البرازيل مع العرب. فالدول مثل المملكة العربية السعودية هي من كبار المشترين للأغذية ولكنها أيضًا مصدرة صافية للغذاء

# News of The Month

## Central Power Research Institute

Central Power Research Institute (CPRI), set up in 1960, is an autonomous Society under Ministry of Power, Government of India. It has been offering services in the areas of applied research in electrical power engineering, testing & certification, consultancy/field testing and capacity building/training programmes for more than five decades. CPRI is the largest Testing Laboratory with unique facilities/credentials at par with any other International Laboratory performing activities of similar nature. The electrical manufacturers in India have been extensively utilizing CPRI laboratories for testing electrical equipment.

CPRI has played crucial role in creation of a conducive environment for R&D to flourish in the country by carrying out/co-ordinating various research projects on identified thrust areas leading to new technology development, evaluation studies for bringing out new standards and process improvement, in a collaborative nature involving Utility, Industry, Academia and Research Organizations. Some of the projects aim at design and development of indigenous technologies with the objective of cost reduction, import substitution and employment generation.

Research Schemes of Ministry of Power being implemented through CPRI are:

1. In-House R&D
2. Research Scheme on Power
3. R&D under National Perspective Plan

CPRI is also co-ordinating research projects under Uchchatar Avishkar Yojana(UAY) of MHRD,IMPacting Research Innovation & Technology (IMPRINT) of MHRD and LED Research Scheme.

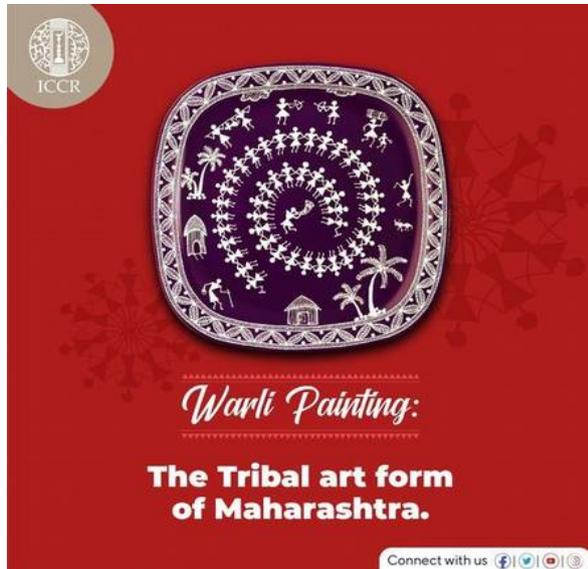
Major objectives of the Institute:

- Function as a National Power Research Organization for undertaking and sponsoring R&D projects in the fields of generation, transmission, distribution and operation of electricity supply systems.
- Provide necessary centralized research and testing facilities for evaluation of electrical materials and performance of power equipment.
- Serve as a National Testing and Certification Authority for the purpose of certification of rating and performance to ensure availability of quality equipment for use under conditions prevalent in Indian Power Systems.

There is more than 140 Government/private companies being served by CPRI. Lebanese Electrical Services, Beirut is one of those companies.

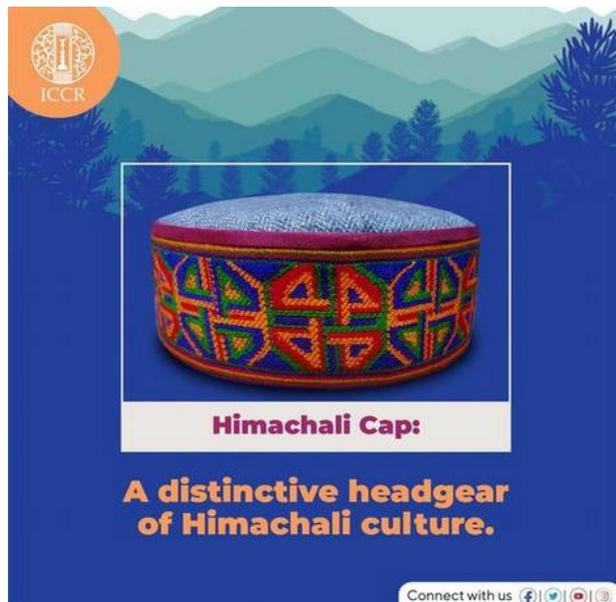
## Featured Stories

### Warli Painting



Warli painting is a 2500-year-old traditional style of tribal art mostly done by the tribal people from the North Sahyadri Range in India. It is mainly the use of circles, triangles, and squares to form numerous shapes and depict daily life activities through it.

### Himachali Cap



Historically related to Kinnaur, the Himachali Cap has today reached other parts of the state of Himachal Pradesh and the mountainous regions beyond. The colour, weave style, and material of these caps vary with the region.

# India Tourism



## Dadra and Nagar Haveli

The Union Territory of Dadra and Nagar Haveli lies near the western coast of India and consists of two separate parts. Of these, Dadra is surrounded by the state of Gujarat, and Nagar Haveli lies on the border of Maharashtra and Gujarat. The territory has hilly terrain especially towards the north-east and east where it is surrounded by ranges of Sahyadri Mountains (Western Hills). River Daman Ganga and its three tributaries cut across this territory. The most prominent tribes are Dhodia, Kokna and Varli, with small groups of Koli, Kathodi, Naika and Dubla scattered across the territory. On 11 August 1961, it became a part of the India and was announced to be a Union Territory. As it shares borders with both Gujarat and Maharashtra, the languages spoken here are Gujarati, Hindi, Marathi, Konkani, Bhilodi and Bhili.

**Food:** The cuisine of the area comprises different types of pulses, vegetables, which include wild mushrooms and bamboo shoots. Rice, nagli (raagi) and jowar flour are used to make chapattis. Karanda berries, ajoola leaves, ambada leaves and raw mangoes are used to make chutneys.

**Music and Dance:** The main sources of entertainment of the tribal people are folklore and folk dances. Folk dances form a significant part of the life of these people. People belonging to different tribes dress up in colorful attire and dance to the tunes of various folk songs and musical instruments on special occasions such as child birth, weddings, festivals and important ceremonies. The different types of folk and tribal dances of Dadra and Nagar Haveli include the Tarpa Dance, Gherria Dance, Bhawada Dance, Dhol Dance and Tur and Thali Dance.

**India: Unity in Cultural Diversity:** Some popular religious places include Bindrabin Temple, Tirupati Balaji Temple, Swaminarayan Temple, Church of Our Lady Piety and Saint Thomas Church. Endowed with immense natural beauty and lush greenery, Dadra and Nagar Haveli is one of the most beautiful Union Territories in the country. Vanganga Lake, Hirwa Van Garden, Dudhani, Satmaliya Deer Park, Vasona Lion Safari, Nakshatra Garden are some other attractions.

**For more information, please visit**

<https://www.incredibleindia.org/content/incredible-india-v2/en/destinations/states/dadra-and-nagar-haveli.html>

# Upcoming Events

## **35th Surajkund International Crafts Mela From 4-25 February, 2022**

Surajkund Crafts Fair (Mela) is one of the most famous fairs, organized every year in Surajkund, Haryana, Near Delhi, by Haryana Tourism Department to promote handicrafts items. Many talented artists come from India and across the World to showcase their hand-looms, handicrafts, traditional handicraft items of their respective states.

More details:

<https://www.rajasthantourplanner.com/Fair-Festival/Surajkund-Crafts-Fair.html>

## **Self-financing Scheme For Studying In India, 2021-22**

Applications are invited from Lebanese students for nominations to undergraduate courses in Bachelor of Engineering (B.E.), Bachelor of Pharmacy, MBBS & BDS under Self-Financing Scheme for the academic year 2021-22.

More details:

<https://www.indianembassybeirut.gov.in/notice/display/1211/14>

## **Admissions are open for #NalandaUniversity**

An avant-garde, postgraduate, research-intensive Intl. institution of academic excellence with the Ministry of External Affairs(@MEAIndia) & supported by the 17 Member countries of the East Asia Summit.

More details:

<https://nalandauniv.edu.in/admissions/admission-process/>

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## **Indus Food**

Indusfood is the most comprehensive F&B marketplace in the South Asia region, showcasing F&B products, F&B processing, and packaging technology. Indusfood fuels the F&B business by facilitating connections between buyers and brands with outstanding services like international hosted buyer program and online matchmaking programs, bridging relationships, and strengthening connections. Additionally, retailers and buyers have opportunities to learn, network, and conduct business with new and returning exhibiting suppliers. Date: 08-10 Jan

More details:

<https://indusfood.co.in/>

# Upcoming Events

## 10th Vibrant Gujarat Global Summit 2022

Vibrant Gujarat Global Summit, a biennial event was conceptualized in 2003 under the visionary leadership of Shri Narendra Modi, Hon'ble Prime Minister of India (then the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Gujarat). The Summit has today evolved into one of the most reputed global forums for business networking, knowledge sharing and strategic partnerships for inclusive socio-economic development. Date: 10-12 Jan

More details:

<https://www.vibrantgujarat.com/home>

## Gem & Jewellery India International Fair 2022

GJIIF 2022 platform will provide the domestic and the global gem and jewellery sector an excellent business opportunity to explore various jewellery styles from across India multi-faceted aspects of the Industry. GJIIF is a B2B exhibition for South Indian jewellery organized at Chennai Trade Centre, Chennai. This platform will provide the gem and jewellery sector an opportunity to explore various jewellery styles from across India multi-faceted aspects of the Industry. From March 25, 2022 until March 27, 2022

More details: <http://www.gjiif.in/>

## EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL FOR HANDICRAFTS

The 53rd IHGF Delhi Fair (Spring) 2022 is being organized from 02 – 06 March 2022 as a physical (in person event) at the India Expo Centre & Mart, Greater Noida, Delhi NCR with all necessary safety protocols and SOPs for organising B2B trade expositions issued by Government of India. The fair will be an exclusive connect for buyers of Home, Fashion, Lifestyle, Textiles and Furniture with participation of over 2000 exhibitors in 14 exhibition halls and 900 permanent showrooms apart from Theme Pavilions, Artisanal Fare & Live Craft Making from all across India.

More details: <https://www.ihgfdelhifair.in/>

**For other forthcoming events  
organised by Federation of  
Indian Chamber of Commerce  
& Industry, please visit:**

<http://www.ficci.in/forthcoming-events-more.asp>

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