

Formal Book Release and Discussion Event on Operation Sindoor

The Institute of Social and Cultural Studies (ISCS) successfully hosted a Book Release and Discussion Event centered on 'Operation Sindoor' on 1 September 2025, at the Dy. Chairman Hall of the Constitution Club of India, New Delhi.

This programme convened esteemed members from the strategic, diplomatic, and academic sectors, along with research scholars, to engage in a meaningful dialogue regarding the themes explored in the publication. The book, edited by Arindam Mukherjee, Director of ISCS, contextualizes the subject matter within the framework of contemporary national security and policy discussions.

The event featured Shri Vishnu Chaturvedi, Lieutenant General (Retd.), as the Guest of Honour. In his address, he underscored the significance of academic involvement with literature on strategic affairs and pointed out the crucial role of research institutions in enhancing public comprehension of defense and security matters.

Among the notable speakers were Shri Pankaj Saran, former Deputy National Security Advisor (DNSA) of India, and Shri Kulbir Krishan, a former member of the National Security Advisory Board (NSAB). Both speakers provided analytical insights on the themes presented in the book, placing them within the context of India's shifting strategic environment and policy challenges.

The programme attracted an engaged audience, including scholars, policy analysts, civil servants, and invited guests. The interactive discussion session that followed the formal release encouraged substantial dialogue, reflecting ISCS's ongoing dedication to promoting informed debate on issues of national and international significance.

The event concluded with a vote of thanks and informal interactions among participants, marking yet another successful intellectual endeavor under ISCS's academic outreach initiatives.