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#### WHAT is SNATIKA?

Back in 2020, we saw many hard-working senior professionals stuck in the same position without any prospect for growth. The simple but overlooked reason for this glass ceiling was the lack of reputed academic qualifications on their CV. This lack haunted their career prospects during the pandemic and the subsequent economic disruption. It might be even more so in the future.

The situation was unfair because, due to their commitments and age, senior professionals were deprived of opportunities to pursue any reputed qualifications without hurting their career prospects, financial stability, or family commitments. The idea of enrolling for a Diploma/Certificate, moving away from their hometown, and quitting their jobs was impractical and scary.

Being in the education industry for years, we wanted to help them out of this rough spot. Above all, we wanted to create a online platform where they could pursue their Diplomas or Certificates without quitting their jobs, moving away from their families, or getting into debt without a source of income.

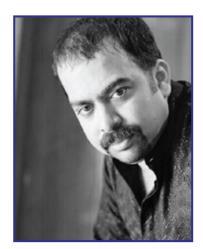
This is how SNATIKA was created in Mumbai, India, Our founders and the team had decades of experience in the education industry, which gave us a head start. We knew our adult learners needed nothing less than a reputed and globally recognised diploma to make it to the top. We partnered with reputed international education institutions to provide our learners with academic qualifications. SNATIKA has also been ISO certified for its Admission Process and Academic Delivery Process. We continue to provide one of the largest bouquet of programs exclusively for senior professionals across different domains.

Our mission is to serve senior working professionals with a fair opportunity to pursue career-enhancing professional programs on our state-of-the-art Learning Management System.



### **Meet the TEAM**

Get to know the team working behind the scenes to provide you with the highest-quality online education.



Sunil Janardhan Founder Director

Sunil is a seasoned professional with 28 + years of rich experience in conceptualising and driving high-end strategic business models across diverse global economic hot-spots. Sunil has the privilege of travelling & doing business pan India & across 33 countries worldwide.

He has extensive hands-on experience and knowledge of Africa, Middle East, Asia & CIS markets. He has successfully managed different cultures, team members & partners across demographics/industries. He comes with expertise in International Business, Consulting, Sales & Marketing, Profit Centre Operations, Business Development, Key Account Management, Product Launches and Distributor/ Channel Management.

He has also been part of various strategic tie ups & JV's. Sunil specialises in finding new markets for sales growth. He has worked across large, medium & start-up organisations. He has associated with organisations like Aptech Ltd, ITI EdVest, Kuoni Travels, Kohinoor Technical Institute & Trade Wings.

Sunil has done his Post Graduation in International Business. He is based out of India.



Premjit Biswas
Founding Member
(Director of Education)

Premjit is a senior professional with over two and a half decades of experience in the Education and Training domain. He brings in his immense experience of handling large operations across different geographies. Premjit also has considerable knowledge of entrepreneurship, innovation and skills development. He has experience in

developing and managing partners and business operations in multiple countries.

He has also managed global projects. He firmly believes that the success or failure of a program lies in the impact it has had on the lives of the beneficiaries. Hence, programs should be designed keeping this as a focal point. That way the beneficiaries not only help themselves but help others and in turn continually increase the impact radius.

In his 20 years of corporate life, Premjit has been associated with large organisations like Aptech, Autodesk and Wadhwani Foundation. He was the founding member of a non-profit organisation - Tiksna Mission Trust. At Tiksna he worked relentlessly at the grassroots level, building a diverse environment to work & thrive in and enabling entrepreneurs.

Premjit is based out of India and has done his majors in Hospitality Management.



Professor Raj Gill Advisory Member

An influential, entrepreneurial COO and Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Professor Raj Gill has over 40

years' experience in Higher Education and has held senior posts in Higher Education in the UK and internationally. His experience of Transnational Education (TNE) includes international marketing and Higher Education development in Asia, Africa and the Middle East.

Professor Gill has published widely in learned journals and publications and has chaired numerous sessions and presented at international conferences and symposia.

Professor Gill is based out of the UK and has a degree in Manufacturing Engineering and a PhD in Computer Simulation for Manufacturing Processes.



Roger Chetty Advisory Member

Roger is an entrepreneur and corporate strategist with more than 20 years' senior management experience across several industries including Motor, Construction, Manufacturing, Education and Management Consulting. His career began in market research and customer services with Blue-chip brands such as BMW, DaimlerChrysler, Audi, Standard Bank, and the South African Chamber of Business.

He has served on various boards during his illustrious career and has also co-authored several university policies and procedure documents. Roger is known for forging relationships with governments, educational institutions, and corporations all across Africa and the Middle East. He has been associated with organisations like Sika South Africa, University of KwaZulu-Natal – South Africa and NCC Education - UK.

Roger currently lives in Cape Town, South Africa and has an MBA degree from the Management College of Southern Africa.



**Thierry Cabou** Advisory Member

Thierry Cabou is an expert in finance and economics. He focuses on investment and business development activities across Europe, Africa and India. He is also a Founding Member, Lifetime member and Representative for Africa for the Africa India Economic Foundation

(AIEF). He is an advisor to the Bank of Asia and Asia Pacific Development Bank. He is a Knight of the Sovereign Order of St John of Jerusalem of Rhodes and Malta.

Thierry provides advisory and management services to government and large institutions. With Merrill Lynch, his group has arranged for several African governments' investment facilities up to 600 million US dollars after receiving mandates from these governments. He has secured with his partners a 400 million Euros plan for the oil and refinery sector in Senegal.

Mr Thierry Cabou is educated in Paris, France, where he got degrees in International Business Law from Pantheon Sorbonne University.

#### **COUNT ON OUR QUALIFICATIONS**



Learners are guided by SNATIKA at each level to choose the right program, and the final decision to provide admission rests with SNATIKA. SNATIKA's admission process ensures that only those learners who are apt for the program get admitted to our programs. Learners are provided with the right resource material, academic support, and timely assistance for them to successfully complete their program. We are able to provide this across genders, races, time zones, and geographies because of a strong academic delivery process, which is aptly supported by our PhD/ Doctorate facilitators. SNATIKA's academic delivery process ensures this is done flawlessly.

SNATIKA is certified for ISO 9001:2015 for "Admission Process & Academic Delivery Process."



Universidad Católica San Antonio de Murcia (UCAM) is a fully accredited European University founded in the year 1996. The university is strategically located in Murcia, Spain, with a Campus of more than 16,000 students and around 1,000 professors. The World University Ranking especially highlights the internationalisation capacity of UCAM. The university has a diverse academic offer, constantly adapting and consistent with the real needs of society. MBA degree is awarded by UCAM under the provision of university private degrees – Título Propio.

SNATIKA learners are awarded MBA degrees from UCAM.



OTHM, UK, is an awarding body which is approved and regulated by Ofqual - Office of the Qualification and Examinations Regulations, UK (a UK government department). Ofqual is responsible for maintaining standards and confidence in international qualifications. Ofqual also regulates the National Curriculum Assessments in England. OTHM aims to support professions and industry by providing excellent qualifications that contribute for a highly qualified and experienced workforce.

SNATIKA is an accredited/approved training partner of OTHM.



London Graduate School, UK offers excellent university programmes designed for students to gain knowledge and skills for a fast-changing and complex world. LGS promotes learning and sharing of knowledge by offering a blend of teaching and learning that methods combine personal and professional development with world-class academic knowledge. have partnered with LGS to provide UK university degrees.

SNATIKA learners are awarded MA, MSc, or MBA degrees from a UK University through LGS.



Buckingham University is the oldest of Britain's independent universities and the only one in the UK with a Royal Charter. The university is ranked in the Top 10 by The Complete University Guide 2023 for Student Satisfaction and by The Times and The Sunday Times Good University Guide 2022 for Teaching Quality. It has also been awarded the QAA Quality Mark for meeting or exceeding UK expectations for quality and standards.

This partnership with the university is through LGS.



QUALIFI, UK is recognised as Awarding Organisation (AO) by Ofqual-Office of the Qualification and Examinations Regulations in the UK. QUALIFI must assure the regulators to continue the General Conditions of Recognition in England and that of the approved centres must meet the same exacting standards. And these qualifications combine UK standards with relevant international content, so learners can achieve their full potential in today's global economy.

SNATIKA is an accredited/ approved training partner of QUALIFI.



IDM has over four decades of experience in the higher Having education sector. closely worked with the industry and brought global education to local students, IDM has pioneered the way forward in getting international recognition for talented students. The organisation aims at exceeding the Quality & Standard expectation and has been awarded the ISO 9001:2015 certification.

SNATIKA learners are awarded a BSc (Hons), BA (Hons), MA, MSc, or MBA degree from the University of Gloucestershire through IDM.



The University of Gloucestershire, a UK state university, is the degree awarding institution. It is located in the edge of the stunning Cotswolds and has three campuses which are based in Cheltenham and Gloucester. The University is a diverse, vibrant community of 12,000 students and 1,500 staff. The University has scored 90/100 and are placed in the top tier of the new SOS-UK net zero ranking. Ranked 6th globally in the Postgraduate Research Experience Survey, 2019.

This partnership with the university is through IDM.

# SNATIKA PROFESSIONAL DIPLOMA IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

The global financial crisis: a failure of governments or markets? This thought-provoking program is your chance to dissect and discuss cutting-edge subjects relevant to today's political landscape. If you are interested in the hard questions and are excited at the prospect of exploring them, this International Relations Diploma could be perfect for you. The Professional Diploma in International Relations program provides the learners with a contemporary, critical, and exciting insight into the vagaries of global politics. The learners will learn a range of modules which are assessed through a variety of both traditional, such as essays, presentations, critical reviews, and non-traditional, such as podcasts, blogs, simulations, assignments, and which aim to assess and develop not only discipline-related knowledge but also transferable, soft skills necessary for future employment.

#### Who is it meant for?

SNATIKA is a dedicated platform for senior professionals who have work experience. Hence, SNATIKA's Professional Diploma in International Relations is suitable for

- Political Risk Analyst
- · Public Affairs Consultant
- · Diplomatic Service Officer
- · Government Social Research Officer
- · International Aid / Development Officer



#### **Eligibility**

Since our Professional Diploma are highly specialised for advanced learners, we believe you can only take full advantage of this education if you have relevant work experience.

Therefore, the eligibility criteria for SNATIKA's Professional Diploma is:

Minimum 2 years of Work Experience in International Relations or relevant field

### **MODULES**

#### **UNITS COVERED**

- Debates and Dilemmas in International Relations
- · Social Science Research Methods
- International Political Economy:
   Contemporary, Dynamics and Approaches
- Global Governance in the 21st Century
- · Energy and Environmental Politics
- Justice in International Relations

#### **OVERVIEW**

SNATIKA's Professional Diploma in International Relations is delivered by SNATIKA through our own LMS. Our Subject Matter Experts have designed the pedagogy that will meet the demands and fulfil the needs of a busy working professional. Our PhD-level Masters Guides will help you through the program.

#### **UNIT SPECIFICATIONS**

#### Unit -1: DEBATES AND DILEMMAS IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

#### **Unit Aims**

The unit aims to provide the learner with advanced knowledge of scholarly debates in the discipline of International Relations and also their significance for the analysis of practices in the international scenario. It starts by contextualizing the origins of the discipline that lead to the emergence of the initial great debates in International Relations. Later the learner is introduced to the most recent, cutting-edge theoretical approaches to making sense of the current challenges in the international arena.

#### **LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- Understand a range of practical dilemmas in international relations
- ► Be capable of analyzing and explaining key issues in international relations
- Apply different approaches to international relations theory to key practical problems in international relations practices



#### Unit -2: SOCIAL SCIENCE RESEARCH METHODS

#### **Unit Aims**

The unit encourages the learners to critically engage the research process, by developing their research skills, helping to decide on topics, and writing critical literature reviews. Learners will explore different types of literature and storage and engage with methodological stances.



#### **LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- ▶ Examine the complexities of research methods
- ► The process of writing research proposals
- ► Explore a range of contemporary research issues
- Discuss the main theoretical perspectives which have influenced contemporary research issues and debates

## Unit -3: INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY: CONTEMPORARY DYNAMICS AND APPROACHES

#### **Unit Aims**

The unit provides the learners with a robust and critical knowledge of key concepts, issues, and developments that characterize the global economy of the late 20th and 21st century and offers the learners both mainstream and critical theoretical approaches to understanding these. It draws attention to the social and ethical implications of financial speculation, post-Fordist production, and consumption, specifically concerning global inequality.

#### LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Key concepts and theoretical debates in International Political Economy;
- Be able to analyze, compare and critically evaluate fundamental assumptions and arguments in IPE and IPE-related literature;
- Be able to construct and substantiate a critical argument;
- Provide good investigative and information retrieval skills, including familiarity with information technology;
- Provide good written communication skills in English;
- Provide good time management; and an ability to interpret and answer essay questions.



#### **Unit -4: GLOBAL GOVERNANCE IN 21ST CENTURY**

#### **Unit Aims**

The unit aims to provide a detailed understanding of how the governance of the international, the global, and the planetary attempt to overcome some of the most pressing contemporary political issues.



#### **LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- ► How the concept of governance evolved over some time
- Understanding how the governance of international, global, and, planetary overcome the contemporary issues

#### Unit -5: ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLITICS

#### **Unit Aims**

The unit aims to enhance the learner's capacity to develop an interdisciplinary, systematic, and critical understanding of the interrelated nature of energy policy and environmental issues. It introduces the learner to the key historical stages in the evolution of environmental politics, focusing particularly on the tipping point from which there is a growing awareness of the human impact on ecosystems. It also seeks to comprehensively unpack the key features of real cases as well as the trends in contemporary energy and environmental policy.

#### **LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- Develop an understanding of the interdisciplinary, systematic, and interrelated nature of energy policy and environmental issues
- Understand the key historical stages in the evolution of environmental politics
- Key features of real cases and trends in contemporary energy and environmental policy



#### **Unit -6: JUSTICE IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS**

#### **Unit Aims**

The unit focuses on whether or not questions of justice should and/or do shape the contours of global politics. The learner will critically analyze the theoretical debates on global justice and apply these positions to real-life policies and problems. The learner will have a comprehensive grasp of the theories of global justice and an in-depth understanding of how ethical considerations shape international relations.



#### **LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- ► Analyze whether questions of justice should and/or shape the contours of global politics
- Critically analyze the theoretical debates on global justice and apply these positions to real-life policies and problems
- Understand the theories of global justice
- Understand how ethical considerations shape the international relations

#### WHY CHOOSE SNATIKA?

SNATIKA's Professional diploma offers the best value for the investment that a learner makes in her/his education. The programs offered by us are at par with global standards. The delivery happens through a state-of-the-art yet easy to navigate Learning Management System. Upon successful completion of the professional program; SNATIKA offers:

#### Level 7 Professional Diploma from SNATIKA

#### Accreditation ensures that quality and regulatory standards are met.

SNATIKA ensures that all our programs are of Highest Standards. We are very particular that quality and regulatory standards are met.

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#### **What You Will Earn**

You will receive the following certificate after the successful completion of the program:



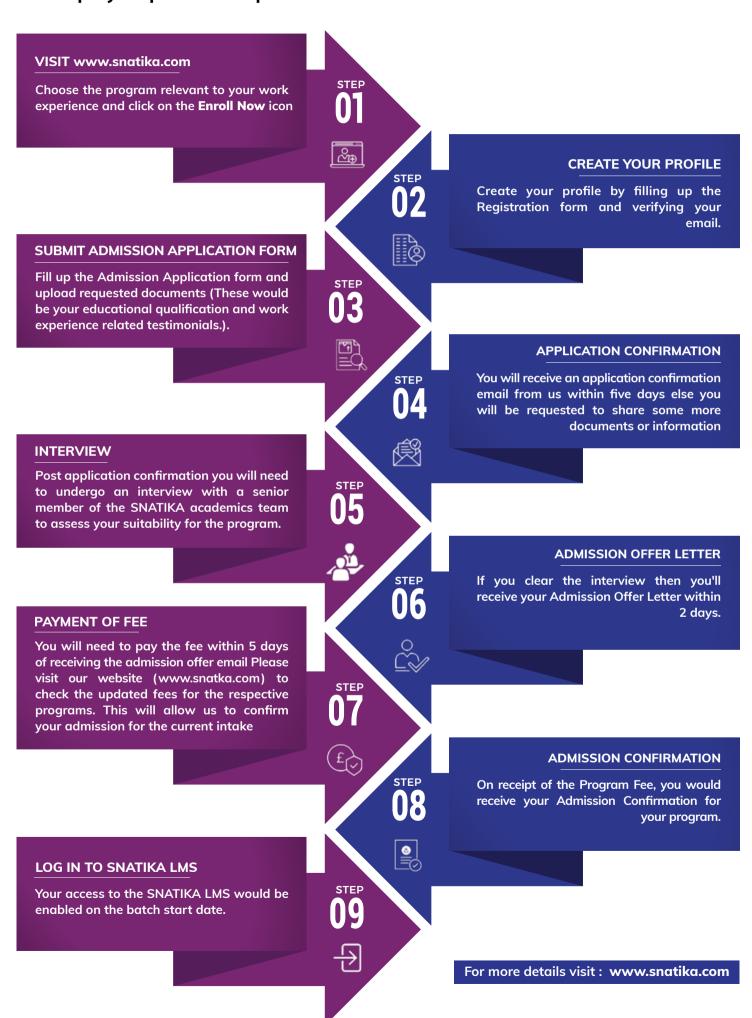
Professional Program Diploma SNATIKA

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#### **Admission Process**

SNATIKA has limited seats for each program. Therefore we follow a first-come, first-served process of admission and applications are evaluated as soon as they are received. The earlier you apply, the better your chances are for securing your admission to our Professional Diploma given that all the documents and requirements are satisfied.

#### The step-by-step admission process is outlined below.



#### **INFORMATION**



#### State of the art LMS

The program delivery happens through the robust and user friendly SNATIKA LMS (Learning Management System). It is accessible 24x7 from anywhere in the world.

#### The SNATIKA pedagogy

Our Professional Diploma programs have been designed by SNATIKA's Subject Matter Experts who have decades of experience in the education industry. The pedagogy is smartly designed to fit the program content into the busy schedules of senior working professionals. You will need just 2 - 3 hours of daily input to succeed in the program.

The immersive nature of the syllabus, coupled with the learner's experience, makes the program easier to comprehend and complete in just 6 months. The assignment based assessment makes the learner grasp the concepts from the roots and enhances the research, critical thinking, and writing skills thereby.



#### **PhD Level Guides**

SNATIKA learners will be supported by our PhD level Guides upon the batch start date. SNATIKA's PhD level SMEs will help you with all the challenges you face academically throughout the program.

#### **Session Dates**

Aspiring candidates may join in any one of our yearly sessions.

You can check the website (www.snatika.com) for current information for the closing date of admissions and the batch start date.



#### Selection Process

Selection is based on the details provided during the application process. Admission is granted on a first-come-first-served basis

#### INFORMATION

#### Program Format- Online

The entire duration of the Professional program is delivered through state-of-the-art SNATIKA Learning Management System.





#### Duration of the Program

The duration of the program is 6 months.

This duration only changes in case you fail to meet the requirements of the assignment and the deadline passes.

The time commitment required for SNATIKA's Professional diploma is minimal since the programs are formulated for working professionals. You merely need to commit 8-10 hours a week to your studies.

#### **Program Fees**

Please visit our website (www.snatika.com) to check the updated fees for the respective programs.

All learners are required to deposit the fee in full within 5 days of receiving the admission offer letter email.

To ease the financial burden on your shoulders, we offer an Instalment option for depositing the program fee.





#### For further details

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