

Call for Proposals

Webinar Series on Understanding Central and Eastern Europe and unveiling the geopolitical landscape from an Indian point of view

The India Office of the Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung (KAS) is pleased to announce a call for proposals for a webinar series on the intriguing topic of "**Understanding Central and Eastern Europe and unveiling the geopolitical landscape from an Indian point of view.**" This webinar series aims to shed light on the often under-highlighted viewpoints and history of the countries between Moscow and Berlin, exploring their geopolitical significance and the evolving dynamics in the region.

Since the war, it has been observed that the viewpoints and history of the countries between Moscow and Berlin are often overlooked or underrepresented in global discussions. Yet, these countries hold immense strategic importance and have fascinating histories that shape the broader European landscape. This webinar series seeks to delve into the untold stories and provide a platform for experts to share their insights on Central and Eastern Europe's geopolitics.

Webinar Series Details:

1. Theme: Understanding Central and Eastern Europe and the geopolitics behind it
2. Deliverables: A total of 4 webinars, each lasting at least 1 hour, conducted by experts in the field.
3. Panel Composition: Each webinar panel should include experts with a strong understanding of the region's geopolitics. One of the panelists should preferably be from the countries between Berlin and Moscow, such as Latvia, Ukraine, Poland, Estonia, Lithuania, Finland, Romania, among others. Interested individuals/partners can also collaborate with the country office of KAS in these countries to seek suitable experts for the web sessions.
4. Target Audience: Each webinar should aim to have a minimum of 50 participants, including scholars, students, policymakers, researchers, and individuals interested in Central and Eastern European affairs.
5. Outcome: The outcome of the webinar series should be a research paper of approximately 2000 words (5 pages) summarizing the key insights and findings discussed during the webinars.

Proposal Submission:

Interested organizations are invited to submit their proposals in accordance with the following guidelines:

1. **Proposal Format:** Proposals should include a brief introduction and overview of the proposed webinar series, including the topics to be covered, potential panelists, and a tentative schedule.
2. **Expertise:** Provide details of the proposing individual's/organization's expertise in the field of Central and Eastern European geopolitics.
3. **Delivery Plan:** Outline the proposed methodology for conducting the webinars, including interactive elements and engagement strategies to ensure meaningful participation.
4. **Budget:** Proposals should include a detailed budget breakdown, covering costs associated with organizing the webinars and producing the research paper.

Submission Deadline and Contact Information:

Proposals should be submitted via email to Simran Dhingra (Simran.Dhingra@kas.de) and Ashish Gupta (Ashish.gupta@kas.de) no later than 30th June 2023. Please use the subject line: "Webinar Series Proposal - Central and Eastern Europe".

The proposal does not have to be longer than one page.

We look forward to receiving your innovative proposals and collaborating to deepen our understanding of Central and Eastern Europe's geopolitics.