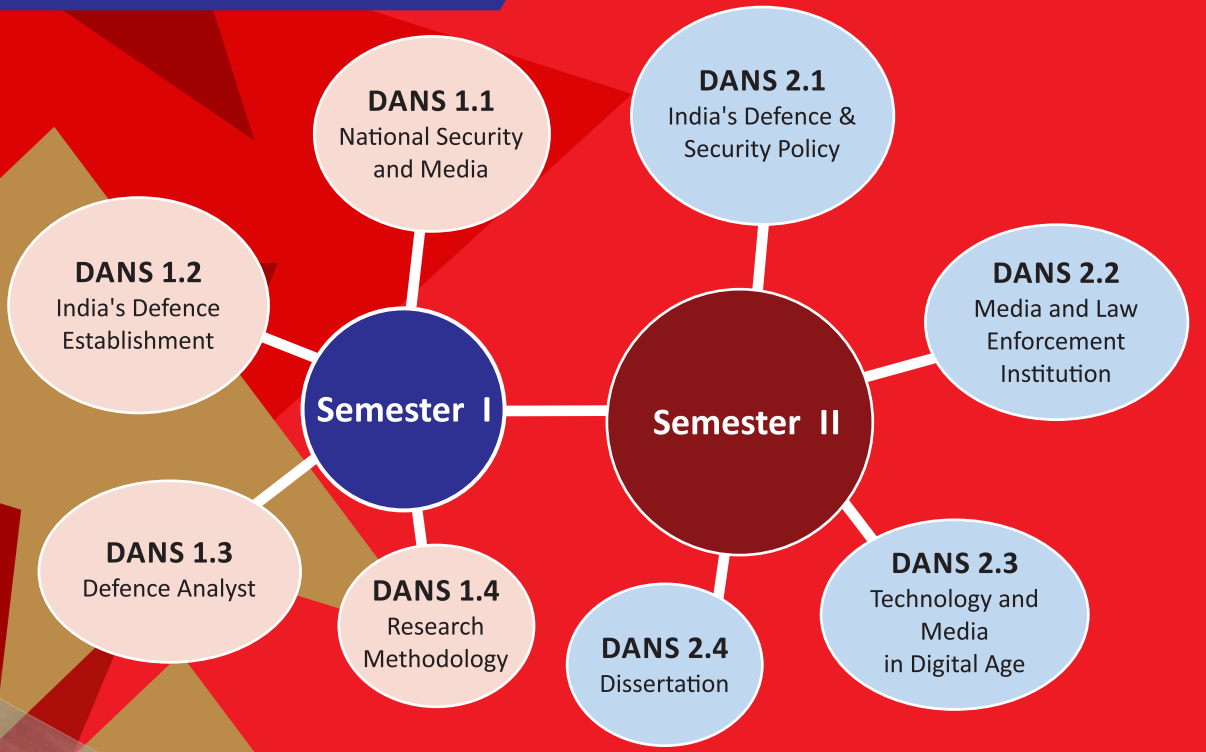


## Course Structure



# Post Graduate Diploma In Defence Analyst and National Security

  
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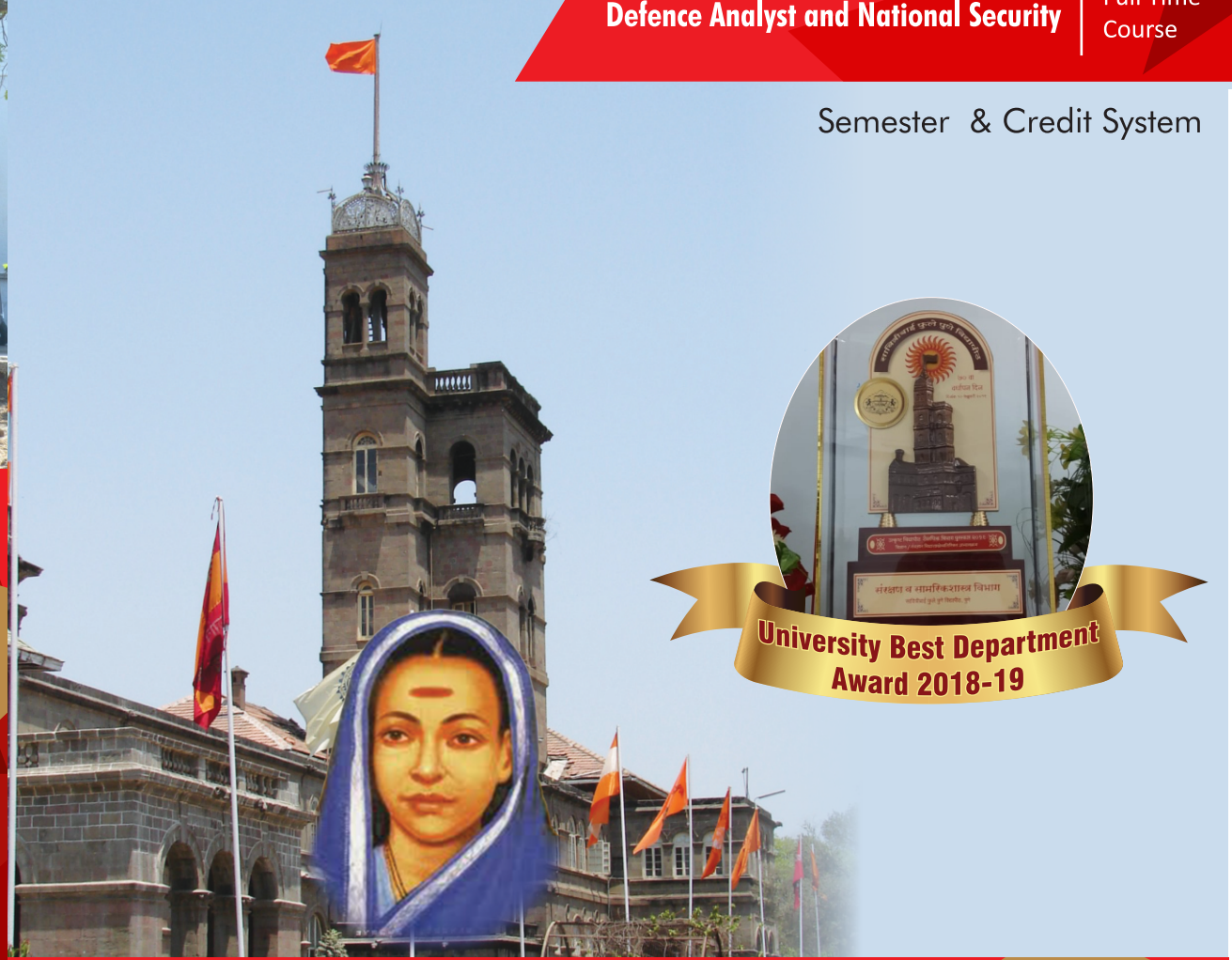
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## Welcome to DDSS !

Post Graduate Diploma In  
Defence Analyst and National Security

1 Year  
Full Time  
Course

Semester & Credit System



"Students-synthesize critically analyze ideas of War to make Peace to resolve and Defence to Protect a Nation."

## ABOUT THE COURSE

### SCOPE:

The course will enable students and working professionals to learn different areas of National Security such as National Interest, Strategic Relation, Defence Forces and their functioning, and Role in National Security.

This course is designed for students desirous of taking careers in mass media. Defence analyst syllabus is designed to provide them ample opportunity and ground to understand issues related to defence, armed forces and their functions, role, responsibility and also issues related to national security



## CAREER PROSPECTS :

This course will be useful for students and professionals. The PG Diploma will help the individuals in pursuing their academic and career goals.

- \* Pursue career in Print or Electronic Media as defence Journalists and reporters.
- \* Journalists and reporters who want to specialize in national security and related issues.
- \* Pursue career in Think Tanks and Research Institutions.
- \* Build expertise for career in-service Journalists / officers from various institutions to build strong Public relations.

## ADMISSION PROCESS

Department Conducts Entrance Examination, aspirants have to appear for entrance exams. (<http://campus.unipune.ac.in/>).

University rules and regulations about reservations and various quotas are followed for Final admission.

No hostel facility

No fee concession / scholarship



## Rationale of the PG Diploma:

Security discourses are changed after Cold War from traditional to non-traditional. The contemporary security issues have changed the role of security forces, whose core objective was to protect and defend the nation from unwanted interferences but today security forces are involved in non-traditional security issues such as disaster management, terrorism, cyber security etc. In fact, security institution/forces are fighting with any problem which disturbs the country's economy, institutions, and day to day life or in short- the wealth of the nation, or that which threatened the national security.

In this globalized world where every information is available just on touch. The ease of getting the information is good for dissemination of information but sometimes too much of information creates confusion and chaos which can lead to dangerous law and order situation. Reporting sensitive issues with correct analysis, carrying gravity of importance will help people to understand the issues in an effective manner.



This course is designed to nurture professional journalists and young students who want to join defence analysis & journalism as a career. Rationale of this PG diploma is to spread awareness about national security issues and its gravity, and acquaint students / professionals with concept of Security Studies, Nation Security and Indian Strategic Thoughts.

### Aims and Objectives :

- ⊙ Disseminating knowledge of defence and security affairs and understanding of national security in the field of journalism.
- ⊙ To provide appropriate forum to enhance their understanding related to the issues, ideas and challenges of modern practices of Warfare.
- ⊙ To provide opportunities to working journalists to enhance their knowledge and upgrade skills
- ⊙ To spread awareness about the impact of media on national security and nation-state.

### Course Description

Post Graduate Diploma Course in Defence Analyst and National Security has 32 credits which spread over two semesters in one year. The diploma course carries four papers of 100 marks (4 credits) in each semester. For each paper, there will be an internal evaluation of 50 marks and the external evaluation of 50 marks.

### Method of Teaching

While teaching the courses, there will be an attempt to introduce the Case Study Method. Sessions are arranged in an informal manner and

are interactive, so that there can be debate and discussion on every aspect of the subject. Students will be asked to discuss on specific cases related to the course and that, which has been taught in the class. Case studies e.g. War analysis, would be used for the internal evaluation component of the course.

### Eligibility

- Candidates should hold Graduation in Any Discipline from recognized College / Institute / University.
- Any working journalist or candidates.

**Duration:** One year (Two Semesters)

**Intake:** 20 seats + (Army officers and International Students over and above)

**Programme Fees:** 25000 /-

### Academic Session:

- 1st Semester- July to December
- 2nd Semester- January to May

