



India Elected to IIAS Presidency

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India has been elected **President** of the **International Institute of Administrative Sciences (IIAS)** for the term **2025-2028**.

- It marked the **first time** in the organization's **history** that elections were held through a **ballot**, with **India securing the top position** by winning **61.7% votes**.
- **About IIAS:** IIAS, established in **1930** and headquartered in **Brussels**, is an **international non-profit organization** with **scientific objectives**.
 - IIAS is a **global federation** of **31 Member Countries, 20 National Sections, and 15 Academic Research Centres**, collaboratively developing **public governance solutions** to contemporary **policy challenges**.
 - **Notable member countries** are **India, Japan, China**, Germany, Italy, Korea, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, Switzerland, Mexico, etc.
 - **IIAS works closely** with the **United Nations**, contributing to the UN Committee of Experts on Public Administration (UN CEPA) and the UN Public Administration Network (UNPAN), though **not formally affiliated to the UN**.
- **India** has been a **Member State of IIAS** since **1998**, represented by the **Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG)**.

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