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	Dr. Suresh Rangarajan is a Professor and Chairman, Department of Political Science, University of Kerela, Thiruvananthapuram. He took M Phil degree in Political Science from University of Bombay, Mumbai and Ph D in International Studies from School of International Studies, Pondicherry Central University, Pondicherry, with UGC Junior Research Fellowship. He had published six books; Foreign Policy and Human Rights: An Indian Perspective (2009), Peace in the Indian Ocean: A South Asian Perspective (2011), Right to Information and Good Governance (2013), Maritime Security of India: The Coastal Security Challenges and Policy Options (2014) The Changing Dimensions of Security and Indian's Security Policy Options (2015) India's National Security: A Maritime Security Perspective (2020) and contributed chapters to many books. He had also published research articles in reputed National and International Journals. He had completed the UGC Major Research Project 'Maritime Security of India: The Coastal Security Challenges and Policy Options' and the project received the Best Project Award of the University of Kerala in 2019. He has been selected as Associate in the Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Shimla and had completed a project on 'The Tibetan Issue and India - China Border Problem: A Security Perspective'. Recently he had contributed a chapter on 'Changing Dimensions of Security: An Indian Perspective' in 'The Palgrave Encyclopaedia on Interest Groups, Lobbying and Public Affairs', Palgrave Macmillan.
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JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS	27 Book Chapters -24
NON-ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS	3

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INTERNATIONAL	NIL
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