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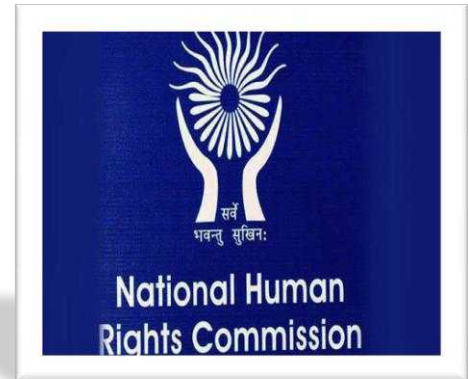
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## NATIONAL NEWS

- The **NITI Aayog** and **ICC International Court of Arbitration** organized a workshop on **Best Practices in International Arbitration** in **New Delhi**. It would help in institutionalising and streamlining dispute resolution to make India a hub for doing business.
  - It was an inaugural Training-cum-Brainstorming Workshop which emphasizes in **'Make in India' vision & 'Resolve in India'** which encourage the **Ease of Doing Business** and **Ease of Living in India**.
- **The women and child development ministry** plans to set up a **panel** of legal experts to look into the allegations of sexual harassment that have surfaced in the **#MeToo campaign**.
  - WCD minister **Maneka Gandhi** said women could complain through the **She Box** ([www.shebox.nic.in](http://www.shebox.nic.in)), which provides a single window access to every woman, irrespective of her work status to register complaints related to sexual harassment.
- In a first, the **Uttar Pradesh** government has approved the setting up of a **political training institute in Ghaziabad**. The institute will give political training to public representatives and political workers, and will professionally groom political leadership in the country.
- President Ram Nath Kovind will inaugurate the **13th Annual Convention of Central Information Commission (CIC)**. The convention is organised on the topic "Data Privacy and Right to Information, Amendment in the RTI Act and Implementation of the RTI Act".
  - The convention is aimed at recommending measures for improving the transparency and accountability with a view to improve governance. The **Central Information Commission (CIC)** set up under the **Right to Information Act is the authorised body, established in 2005**, under the Government of India.
- **Singapore** with an index standing at 0.88 tops the **World Bank Group's Human Capital Index** released on 11th October. **South Korea, Japan and Hong Kong**

follow Singapore on the index. Other countries like Chad, South Sudan and Niger took the lowest three spots. India ranked **115th with an index** score of 0.44.

- This index creates a direct line between improving outcomes in health and education, productivity, and economic growth.
- The fifth edition of the annual Dilliseminar on ‘**Geopolitical Impact of Sea Power**’ commenced at the Indian Naval Academy (INA). The two day seminar is being attended by several serving senior Naval officers, eminent academicians and distinguished luminaries.
- First of its kind in **Haryana, National Autism Intervention Research Centre** was launched in Gurugram at Fortis Memorial Research Institute by state’s Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Health & Family Welfare, R.R. Jowel. The centre, dedicated to people suffering from Autism, has been started in association with Behaviour Momentum India.
- **Inland Water Authority of India (IWAI)** launched a **Roll-on-Roll-off (RO-RO) service** from **Neamati to Manjuli island** in **Assam**. It will reduce the road route distance of 423 km to **12.7 km** via river route. Earlier, IWAI had started a similar Ro-Ro service between **Dhubri and Hatsingimari** with 190 km of reduced distance.

## INTERNATIONAL NEWS

- Defence Minister Nirmala Sitharaman is on maiden official visit to France on the invitation of French Defence Minister Ms Florence Parly from October 10 - 13, 2018. Nirmala Sitharaman addressed ‘**India-France Defence Engagement in a Multipolar World**’ at the Institute of Strategic Research (IRSEM) in Paris.
  - She said that her visit is a reaffirmation of India’s commitment to the strategic partnership with France, especially in the critical areas of defence cooperation.
- The Final **G-20 Finance Ministers and Central Bank Governors Meeting** under the 2018 Argentine Presidency and the final BRICS Deputies Meeting under the 2018 South African Chairmanship were held on 11th -12th October **2018 in Bali**, Indonesia on the sidelines of the IMF/Fund Bank Annual Meetings.

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- The deliberations in the G-20 FMCBG meeting centered on key risks facing the global economy, enhancing a resilient international financial architecture, financing infrastructure development, progress on compact with Africa as well as streamlining of the GPFI process.

## ECONOMY

- **State Bank of India** has signed an **MoU** with Kathmandu-based **National Banking Institute (NBI)** for the development of human resources of the latter. SBI signed the three-year memorandum of understanding (MoU) with NBI to establish a mutually beneficial strategic alliance for development of NBI's human resources by imparting education, training and research.

## AWARDS

- **Sikkim** has won the **UN Food and Agriculture Organisation's (FAO) Future Policy Gold Award** for its achievement in becoming the **world's first totally organic agriculture state**.
  - Nicknamed the **"Oscar for best policies"**, the award is co-organised with the FAO by The World Future Council (WFC) and IFOAM Organics International, and recognises "the world's best laws and policies promoting agroecology".

## SPORTS

- CWG and Asian Games gold medallist **Bajrang Punia** is the **only Indian wrestler** from a strong 30-member squad to get a seeding at the upcoming **World Championships** as he has been seeded third in the **65kg** category in men's freestyle competition.
  - **The United World Wrestling (UWW)** has introduced the ranking-points based seeding system for the first time for the World Championships. Bajrang has 45 points in the ranking list released by the world body.

## IMPORTANT DAYS

- **World Arthritis Day 2018** is observed on **October 12**. This day is exclusively meant to raise awareness about arthritis, a condition which affects millions of people across the world.
  - This day was started by **World Arthritis Foundation** in order to spread awareness about arthritis and encourage policymakers to help reduce burden of arthritis. The **theme** of World Arthritis Day this year is **“It’s in your hands, take action.”**

  
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