



EUROPEAN UNION STUDIES ASSOCIATION ASIA PACIFIC

Call for Proposals

**“Connections and Dialogues: The European Union and the Asia Pacific:
Perceptions, Policies, Perspectives”
JNU, New Delhi, 8-9 January 2010**

The EU Studies Association Asia-Pacific in association with the Centre for European Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, the Indian Association for European Union Studies, and the Delegation of the European Commission invites papers for the global conference “Connections and Dialogues: The European Union as a Global Actor: Asia-Pacific: Perceptions, Policies and Perspectives”, to be held at JNU, 8-9 January 2010.

This conference brings together expertise from India, the Asia Pacific and Europe to debate the relevance and impact of relations between the EU and the Asia Pacific. The conference is inclusive in nature, with multidisciplinary participation from students, new and old EU Studies institutions and practitioners. It will seek to investigate how the European Union and the Asia-Pacific perceive and interact with one another. Major themes to be addressed are:

Dialogues between People and Cultures
EU Visibility in the Region: Perceptions and Misperceptions
The EU as a Global Actor
The EU as a Normative Actor
The EU’s Role in Asian Regional Organizations
The European Union and South Asia
EU as a Role Model for Asia-Pacific
The EU and Conflict Resolution in Asia

If you are interested in presenting at this conference, please submit an abstract of up to 500 words to Prof. Rajendra K. Jain, Conference Chair, at rkjain13@googlemail.com or rkjain@mail.jnu.ac.in by 15 October 2009.