

**2<sup>nd</sup> Mumbai Festival Forum**  
**Building a Culture of Peace**

**Friday 8 and Saturday 9 January**

	<b>Programme</b>	<b>Contributor</b>
9.30 a.m.	Registration/Refreshments	
10.00 a.m.	<b>Inauguration</b> <b>Culture of Peace: A case study of resilient Mumbai</b> Chair: <b>Dr Ruby Maloni</b> , Head, History Department, University of Mumbai	<b>Dr Aroon Tikekar</b> , Chair, Asiatic Society, Mumbai <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <b>Principal K. Venkatramani</b>, Registrar, University of Mumbai</li><li>▪ <b>Sudhir Sawant</b>, Managing Trustee, Mumbai Festival Foundation</li></ul>
11.15 a.m.	Break	
11.35 a.m.	<b>If the Earth could speak!</b> <b>Thinking of homeland security, our real home – the Earth</b> <b>Panel and Open Discussion</b> Moderator: <b>Aakar Patel</b> , Director, Hill Road Media Services and former Editor-in-Chief at both Divya Bhaskar and Mid Day	<b>Dr Vandana Shiva</b> , Alternative Nobel Peace Prize Winner, physicist, environmental thinker, activist and author. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <b>Dr Nitin Gokhale</b>, Dept. of Agri Biotechnology, Dr Balasaheb Sawant Konkan Krishi Vidyapeeth, Ratnagiri (Dapoli University)</li></ul>
1.15 p.m.	Lunch	
2.15 p.m.	<b>Bharatanatyam Dance recital on Peace</b>	<b>Nehha Bhatnagar</b>
2.45 p.m.	<b>If the World could speak!</b> <b>War and Peace – the spaces that make war possible and attempts by artists to make these spaces visible (we don't normally 'see' them) and to interrupt/ challenge them</b> <b>Panel and Open Discussion</b> Moderator: <b>Dr Sanjay Chaturvedi</b> , Professor of Political Science, Centre for the Study of Geopolitics, Panjab University, Chandigarh	<b>Dr Derek Gregory</b> , Professor of Geography, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <b>Dr. Vishakha Desai</b>, President &amp; Chief Executive, Asia Society</li><li>▪ <b>Dr. Alope Thakore</b>, Journalist and Media Consultant</li></ul>
4.30 p.m.	Close	
	<b>Saturday 9 January</b>	
9.30 a.m.	Refreshments	
10.00 a.m.	<b>Building Unity, acting locally and globally</b> <b>Panel and Open Discussion</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Moderator: <b>Sidharth Bhatia</b>, columnist and journalist</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <b>Air Vice Marshal M Matheswaran</b> AVSM, VM, PhD, Indian Air Force</li><li>▪ <b>Dr Maneesha Tikekar</b>, Political Scientist &amp; Writer</li><li>▪ <b>D Sivanandan</b>, Commissioner of Police</li></ul>
12.30 p.m.	Lunch	
1.30 p.m.	<b>Panel and Open Discussion</b> <b>Meeting the challenge in Mumbai and Maharashtra</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Moderator: <b>Vaibhav Purandare</b>, Senior Associate Editor, Hindustan Times</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <b>Dilip D'Souza</b>, Mumbai writer</li><li>▪ <b>Jaideep Hardikar</b>, Nagpur Correspondent DNA, 2003 Sanskriti award from Sanskriti Foundation, New Delhi</li><li>▪ <b>Dr Chandrakant Puri</b>, Director, Centre for Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policies, SNDT University, Mumbai</li><li>▪ <b>Satish Sahney</b>, Chief Executive, Nehru Centre, and Member, Mohalla Committee</li></ul>
3.00 p.m.	Refreshments	
3.20 p.m.	<b>Valedictory Session</b> Chair: <b>Alan Tweedie</b> , CEO Mumbai Festival	<b>Dr. T.R. Ghoble</b> , University of Mumbai
4.00 p.m.	<b>Vote of Thanks</b>	<b>Dr. Usha Vijailakshmi</b> , Head, Patkar-Varde College, Mumbai
4.20 p.m.	Close	