



**Afghanistan Studies Centre
Academy of International Studies
Jamia Millia Islamia
New Delhi**

SEMINAR COURSE ON STATE-BUILDING IN AFGHANISTAN

The Afghanistan Studies Centre will offer an intensive six-week seminar course on **State-Building in Afghanistan** beginning 10th October till 26th November 2013. The course will be taught by **Professor Rani D. Mullen**, Government Department, College of William and Mary, Virginia, USA and currently Senior Fulbright-Nehru Scholar at the Centre.

The course will focus on the rebuilding of Afghanistan in the immediate aftermath of the fall of the Taliban and analyze current and likely future policy options for state-rebuilding. The course will be structured as a combination of lectures, discussion and writing a research paper. Class attendance is mandatory. Successful completion of the course will entitle the student to a certificate of participation. The maximum intake for the course will be 20 students.

The following themes will be covered in the course:

**COLLAPSE OF EMPIRES AND THE CURRENT STATE-BUILDING PROJECT
THE TALIBAN YEARS, BONN AND THE BLUEPRINT FOR AFGHANISTAN
THE BONN PROCESS AND THE LARGER ISSUE OF INSTITUTIONAL DESIGN
THE LEGAL & ILLEGAL ECONOMY
SECURITY PROVISION
DEVELOPMENT AND AID IN AFGHANISTAN
IMPACT OF REGIONAL POLITICS AND FUTURE PROSPECTS**

Applications are invited from Jamia students interested in the course. Minimum eligibility for the course is a Bachelor's Degree in Social Sciences or Humanities. To apply, a candidate has to submit a hard copy of a one page CV and a one page write-up, by 4th October 2013, on why the candidate wants to pursue the course to the address given below. Selected candidates will be intimated by 8th October 2013 by email.

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