

WICHITA STATE

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Center for International Business Advancement and World Trade Council of Wichita

Thursday, March 6, 2025

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"Doing Business In and With India"

Wichita Country Club - 8501 East 13th Street North—Wichita, KS

6:30 pm Social & Networking Reception

7:30 pm Banquet

8:10 pm Introductions: Dr. Usha Haley— Chair, WTCouncil Barton Distinguished Chair & KS Faculty of Excellence—Wichita State University

8:15 pm Keynote Address: Consul General of India, Mr. D. C. Manjunath Consulate General of Houston



9:00 pm Discussion / Questions/ Adjourn

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Walk-ins without prior reservations not accepted Social, Dinner & Presentation: Members—\$50.00 Non-members—\$60.00 WSU Student—\$30.00

Menu selection: Parmesan Crusted Chicken ____ Char Crusted Halibut____

Vegetarian - Pasta Primavera____

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Bio: Consul General of India, Mr. D. C. Manjunath March 6, 2025 - WTCouncil Meeting

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Mr. D. C. Manjunath Consul General of India Houston , TX Mr. D. C. Manjunath Consul General of India, Houston

Consul General Manjunath joined the Indian Foreign Service in 2004. Prior to assuming charge as Consul General of India in Houston in July 2023 (in charge of consulate operations in 7 states including Kansas) he was Joint Secretary in the Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi, heading the Global Estate Management Division.

In earlier diplomatic assignments, he has worked in Indian Missions in Moscow, Astana, Colombo, and at the Permanent Mission of India to the United Nations in New York, in various capacities handling political, commercial, developmental, cooperation and multilateral work among others.

In stints with the Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi, he served as Officer on Special Duty to the External Affairs Minister and Director in UN Political and Americas Divisions, and as Joint Secretary heading the Establishment Division and Rapid Response Cell.

A UN Disarmament Fellow (2012), he has strong interests in peacekeeping and Security Council matters. His specialties include Project Management, and executing medium to large scale construction projects.

Mr. Manjunath is a Distinguished Alumni Awardee from the College of Engineering, Guindy, Chennai, with a degree in mechanical engineering, and an alumni of Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi. Prior to joining the Indian Foreign Service, he worked at TVS Motor Co Ltd, Hosur. Besides English, he speaks Russian, Hindi, Tamil and Kannada.