



On the occasion of the **75<sup>th</sup> Independence Day**  
the Embassy of India cordially invites the  
Members of Indian Community, PIOs & Friends of India  
to the Flag Hoisting Ceremony  
at India House, Add: Holmenveien 4, 0374, Oslo  
**On Sunday, 15 August, 2021**

### **Programme**

09.30-09.55 hrs	Arrival of guests
09.58 hrs	Welcome by Ms. Navreet Kaur, Master of Ceremony
10.00 hrs	Flag Hoisting by H.E. Dr. B. Bala Bhaskar, Ambassador of India to Norway <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Singing of the National Anthem of India</li><li>• Reading out of the Hon'ble President's Message to the Nation by the Ambassador</li></ul>
10.20-10.25 hrs	Patriotic song by Ms. Tanushree Dutta
10.25-10.45 hrs	Instrumental music by Mr. Shri Lal Sahajpal (Tabla), Dr. Rohini Sahajpal (Sitar), & Mr. Stian Carstensen, Norwegian artiste (Accordian)
10.45-10.50 hrs	Kathak dance performance by Ms. Shilpi Bhatnagar
10.50-11.10 hrs	Instrumental music by Ms. Sudeshna Bhattacharya (Sarod) and Mr. Erlend Olderskog Albertsen, Norwegian artiste (Pakhawaj)
11.10-11.15 hrs	Mohiniyattam dance performance by Ms. Swapna Jagadees K.
11.15-11.20 hrs	Vote of Thanks
11.25 hrs	Refreshments

Entry to the Flag-hoisting ceremony is by invitation only due to Covid restrictions. The Embassy will be able to invite only 100 people (2 per family) after their registering on the given link (<https://forms.gle/NdGhyqWSfcmwenw9>), which will be open from 10-12 August, 2021. Subsequently, the Embassy will inform the invitees.

**The entire programme will be streamed live, the link for which will be shared shortly.**

We appreciate your cooperation and understanding.