

INDIAN COUNCIL FOR CULTURAL RELATIONS AND INDONESIAN EMBASSY IN NEW DELHI COMMEMORATE 75 YEARS OF INDIA-INDONESIA DIPLOMATIC TIES

The Indian Council for Cultural Relations, in collaboration with the Embassy of Indonesia in New Delhi, organized a dance drama, exquisitely choreographed by the Padma Shri. Dr. I Wayan Dibia to commemorate the 75th anniversary of the establishment of diplomatic relations between India and Indonesia on July 2, 2024, at Kamani Auditorium, New Delhi. Shri Kumar Tuhin, Director General, ICCR, and H.E. Ina Krisnamurthi, Ambassador of Indonesia in New Delhi, graced the occasion.



Padma Shri Dr. I Wayan Dibia, a revered maestro of traditional Balinese dance, skillfully choreographed the mesmerizing 'Kecak,' a dance piece inspired by the iconic 'Burning of Lanka' episode from the epic Ramayana. Renowned for his profound understanding of Balinese cultural traditions, Dr. I Wayan Dibia blended ancient dance techniques with modern interpretations to vividly bring this legendary tale to life. His choreography not only captivated the audience but also contributed significantly to ICCR's initiative of connecting the world through Ramayana in the year 2024.

The 75th anniversary of diplomatic relations between both nations reaffirmed ICCR's commitment to promoting cultural exchange as a pillar of international diplomacy. Through events like these, the council continues to nurture bonds of friendship and goodwill between nations, paving the way for a brighter and more interconnected future.

