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### Indian Knowledge Export: Past & Future

Rajiv Malhotra has been appointed as **honorary visiting professor** at **Jawaharlal Nehru University's Centre for Media Studies**.



He gave a lecture at JNU which started with an outline of Indian knowledge export in botany to Europe, commonly known as "spice trade and how this funded the major empires.

He then discussed how there are similar projects today for uncontrolled knowledge transfer which India does not protect or even take seriously, especially in consciousness studies. Some of these ultra-ambitious projects could produce major breakthroughs for humanity. Should India remain once again a mere bystander? [Video](#).

### Government, Judiciary and Dharma



In the context of the **Sabarimala Verdict** by the Supreme Court, Rajiv Malhotra explains that there is a very important and urgent need for

India's judiciary to get educated on Hindu cosmology. They are adjudicating on issues concerning temples and various Hindu practices without understanding either core ideas of Hinduism or the differences between Abrahamic and Dharmic traditions. [Video](#).

Ritu Rathaur interviewed Rajiv Malhotra on the challenges Hindus face from government and judiciary. They discussed Sabarimala, Kumbh Mela, RTE and other areas where Hinduism is at a severe disadvantage. [Video](#).

A panel consisting of Ritu Rathaur, Sankrant Sanu and Rahul Dewan had a conversation with Rajiv Malhotra on the Indian legal discrimination against the Hindu majority and against native Indian languages. The panel also discussed its petition to this effect which is posted at [www.HinduCharter.org](http://www.HinduCharter.org). [Video](#).

### Discussion with the Vice President of Suriname



Suriname is a former colony of British & Dutch, with a large population of Hindus brought from India as indentured laborers. In conversation with Rajiv Malhotra, the Vice President of the country, Ashwin Adhin, who is a proud Hindu explained how his nation has preserved its micro-cultures with mutual respect. A key success factor is that foreign nexuses have not managed to establish bases because the local



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leaders have not sold out to foreign divisive interests. [Video](#).

### Conversation with Mohan Bhagawat



Continuing his conversation with Mohan Bhagawat, head of RSS, Rajiv Malhotra discusses two crucial issues:

- Role and status of women in RSS. [Video](#).
- Swadeshi Muslims and RSS's approach to assimilate Indian Muslims. [Video](#).

### Upcoming Events

Rajiv Malhotra will be in India in February 2019 and has many important events planned. Detail itinerary is being worked out.

- Lectures in Delhi University and JNU.
- Panel Discussion at Zee Lit Fest

Swadeshi Indology Conference: Dangers to Carnatic Music in Mar 2019 (Bengaluru)

### Other Episodes on our Social Media Channel

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### Current Projects

Multiple projects are happening on the regional language front.

In this quarter we have provided Indian language subtitles for 29 videos in Hindi, 7 in Kannada, 6 in Tamil, 2 in Malayalam, 2 in Telugu and 1 in Marathi.

Full video transcripts in different Indian languages are now available for easy reference. Rajiv Malhotra's academic writings are being translated into various Indian languages. All these are being made available in [Rajivmalhotraregional.com](#) website.

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