

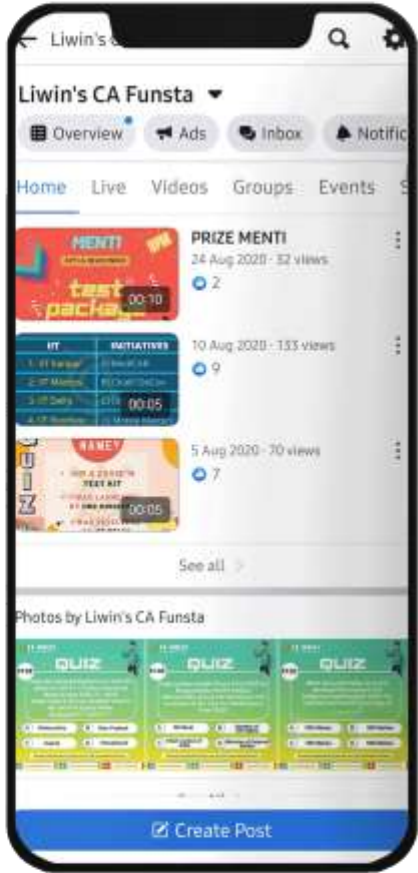


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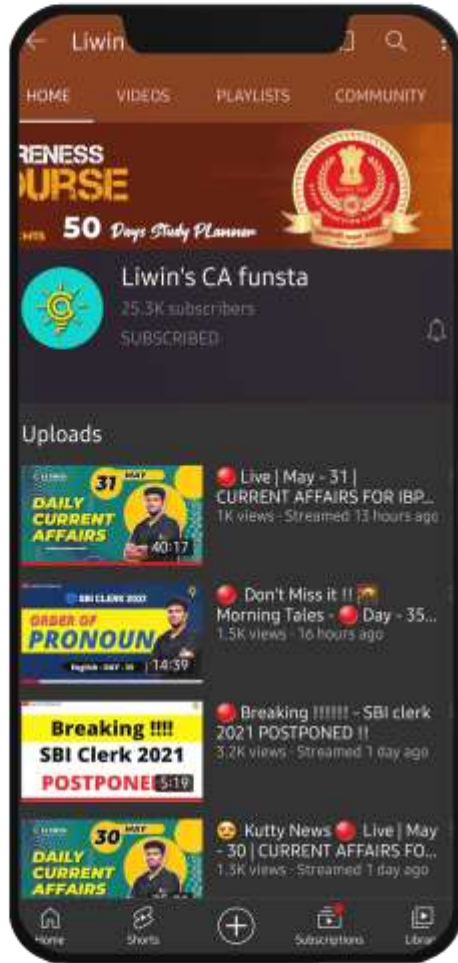
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➤ **Esteban Ocon won Hungarian Grands Prix. He was related to which country?**

- A) China
- B) Australia
- C) Hungary
- D) France
- E) Nepal

Answer

D) France



Hungarian Grands Prix

Rank	Name	Country	Team
1	Esteban Ocon	France	Alpine
2	Sebastian Vettel	Germany	Aston Martin
3	Lewis Hamilton	UK	Mercedes



➤ **ADB approves \$112m loan to finance water supply infrastructure in which state?**



- A) Karnataka
- B) Mizoram
- C) Jharkhand
- D) Uttar Pradesh
- E) Haryana

Answer

C) Jharkhand



Explanation

- Water supply in Jharkhand is currently inadequate, with residents receiving only an average 3 to 4 hours daily of water supply.
- The project will ensure continuous and quality water supply, which will also improve the health and hygiene situation in the area, particularly in the post-pandemic scenario.
- The total project cost is \$160 million, of which \$48 million will be financed by the Government of Jharkhand.
- The project is expected to be completed in 2028



Titbits

Asian Development Bank

Member Countries: 68

Founded Year: 1966

Headquarters: Manila, Philippines

Head: Masatsugu Asakawa

Jharkhand

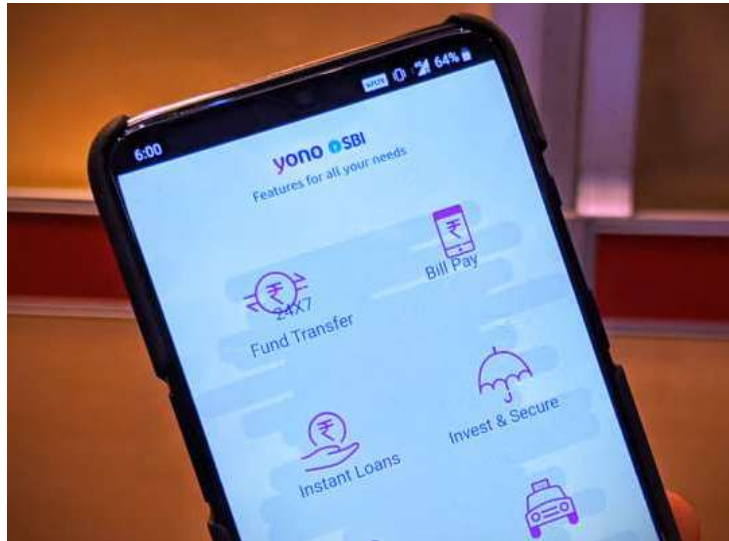
Capital: Ranchi

CM: Hemant Soren

Governor: Ramesh Bais



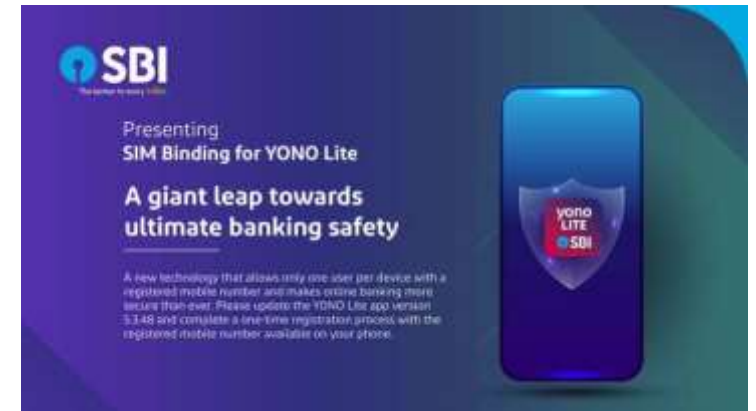
➤ Which Bank has launched a new and enhanced security feature – ‘SIM Binding’ in YONO and YONO Lite?



- A) Kotak Mahindra Bank
- B) State Bank of India
- C) CSB Bank
- D) ICICI Bank
- E) HDFC Bank

Answer

B) State Bank of India



Explanation

- The registration process verifies the SIM of the **registered mobile number (RMN)** with the bank in order to complete the registration. Customers will have to ensure that they register themselves with the device which has the SIM of the registered contact number.
- YONO and YONO Lite will work with the basic rule of **One Mobile Device - One User – One RMN.**



Titbits

State Bank of India

Capital: Mumbai, Maharashtra

Head: Dinesh Kumar Khara

Tagline: With You all the way, Pure Banking Nothing Else,
The Nation Bank on Us, The Banker to Every Indian, A Bank
of the Common Man



➤ **Which Bank Signs MOU With Society For Innovation And Entrepreneurship, An Initiative Of IIT Bombay, For Funding Start-Ups And MSMEs?**

- A) Kotak Mahindra Bank
- B) State Bank of India
- C) Indian Bank
- D) ICICI Bank
- E) HDFC Bank

Answer

C) Indian Bank



Explanation

- The Bank will extend loans of up to Rs. 50 crores to these start-ups for their working capital requirements or purchase of machinery, equipment etc.
- As the name goes, this initiative, which is mutually beneficial for both Bank and IIT Bombay, will be the spring board for start-ups to realise their ambitions.



Titbits

Indian Bank

Hq: Chennai, Tamilnadu

MD & CEO: Ms. Padmaja Chundru

Tagline: Your Own Bank



➤ Which company announced the launch of UPI based AutoPay functionality for its mutual fund investment offerings?

- A) BharatPe
- B) Indel Money
- C) PhonePe
- D) SafeGold
- E) Innoviti

Answer

C) PhonePe



Explanation

- Homegrown digital payments platform PhonePe announced the launch of UPI based AutoPay functionality for its mutual fund investment offerings.
- The functionality will allow PhonePe customers to set up their **mutual fund SIPs in a few steps.**
- With UPI Autopay, customers can set up their SIPs in three steps – selecting the fund, input of monthly SIP investment amount, and authentication with a UPI PIN.

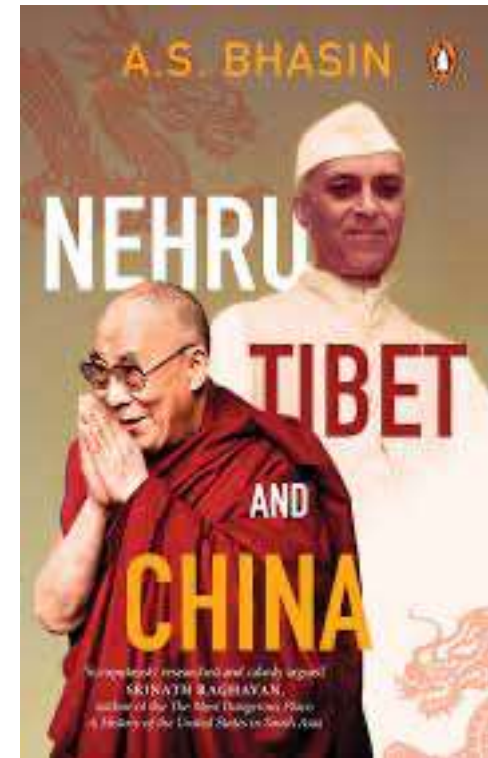


➤ **Nehru, Tibet and China is authored by whom?**

- A) Michael Wolff
- B) Valerie Biden Owens
- C) Kavitha Rao
- D) Pramod K Nayar
- E) Avtar Singh Bhasin

Answer

E) Avtar Singh Bhasin



APPOINTMENTS



➤ **Manpreet Vohra appointed as next High Commissioner to which country?**



- A) Canada
- B) Iraq
- C) Nauru
- D) Israel
- E) Iran

Answer

C) Nauru



APPOINTMENTS



Explanation

- Ambassador Vohra joined the **Indian Foreign Service in 1988.**
- He was **Ambassador of India to Mexico** and **High Commissioner to Belize (2019-21)**, Ambassador to Afghanistan (2016-18) and Ambassador to Peru and Bolivia (2011-15).



APPOINTMENTS



Titbits

Nauru

Capital: Yaren

President: Lionel Aingimea

Currency: Australian dollar



APPOINTMENTS



➤ **Mini Ipe has taken charge as Managing Director of which insurance company?**

- A) Bajaj Allianz General Insurance.
- B) ICICI Lombard General Insurance
- C) Apollo Munich Health Insurance
- D) SBI General Insurance
- E) Life Insurance Corporation of India



Answer

E) Life Insurance Corporation of India



APPOINTMENTS



Explanation

- Mini Ipe has taken charge as Managing Director of Life Insurance Corporation of India on 2nd August, 2021.
- She was appointed as Managing Director vide Government of India notification dated 5th July, 2021.
- Mini Ipe is a post graduate in Commerce from Andhra University and has joined LIC in 1986 as a Direct Recruit Officer.



APPOINTMENTS



➤ **Min Aung Hlaing is appointed as Prime Minister of which country?**



- A) Canada
- B) Iraq
- C) Myanmar
- D) Israel
- E) Iran

Answer
C) Myanmar



APPOINTMENTS



Titbits

Myanmar

Capital: Naypyidaw

Currency: Burmese Kyat



APPOINTMENTS



➤ **Nikol Pashinyan is appointed as Prime Minister of which country?**



- A) Canada
- B) Iraq
- C) Myanmar
- D) Armenia
- E) Iran

Answer

D) Armenia



APPOINTMENTS



Titbits

Armenia

Capital: Yerevan

Currency: Armenian dram

President: Armen Sargsyan



AWARDS



➤ Who has been conferred with the inaugural Prof CR Rao Centenary Gold Medal (CGM)?

- 1) C Rangarajan
- 2) Jagdish Bhagwati
- 3) Anand Kumar
- A) Only 1 & 2
- B) Only 1 & 3
- C) Only 2
- D) Only 3



Answer

A) Only 1 & 2



AWARDS



Explanation

- Renowned economist Jagdish Bhagwati and C Rangarajan have been conferred with the inaugural Prof CR Rao Centenary Gold Medal (CGM).
- Bhagwati is professor of economics, law and international relations at Columbia University and director of the Raj Center on Indian Economic Policies while C Rangarajan is the former chairman of the Economic Advisory Council of the Prime Minister and former governor of the Reserve Bank of India.



➤ Which IIT launches India's first consortium for virtual reality?



- A) IIT-Hyderabad
- B) IIT-Madras
- C) IIT-Bombay
- D) IIT-Nagpur
- E) IIT-Mandi

Answer
B) IIT-Madras



Explanation

- Indian Institute of Technology-Madras (IIT-M) has launched the country's first Consortium for Virtual Reality called 'Consortium for VR/AR/MR Engineering Mission in India' (CAVE).
- As a group of academia, industries, start-ups, and Government bodies, this consortium is being coordinated by IIT Madras.



➤ **Who launched e-RUPI, a cashless and contactless instrument for digital payment through video conferencing?**

- A) Narendra Singh Tomar
- B) Narendra Modi
- C) Arjun Munda
- D) Smriti Zubin Irani
- E) Shripad Yasoo Naik



Answer

B) Narendra Modi



Titbits

Prime Minister and also in-charge of Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Department of Atomic Energy, Department of Space, All important policy issues and All other portfolios not allocated to any Minister

Minister: Narendra Modi

Constituency: Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh



➤ Which Organisation has developed state-of-art platforms and weapon systems and sensors to improve combat capabilities and technological edge to armed forces?

- A) NTPC
- B) NHAI
- C) CCI
- D) CII
- E) DRDO

Answer
E) DRDO



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Titbits

DRDO

Abbreviation: Defence Research and Development
Organisation

Founded: 1958

Headquarters: New Delhi, Delhi

Chairman: G. Satheesh Reddy



➤ **Which Ministry launched a unique programme to celebrate Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav on Independence Day 2021?**

- A) Education Ministry
- B) Home Ministry
- C) Health Ministry
- D) Culture Ministry
- E) Agriculture Ministry

Answer

D) Culture Ministry



Explanation

- Culture Ministry launched a unique programme to celebrate Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav on Independence Day this year.
- The initiative, connected with the National Anthem, has been taken up by the Ministry to instill pride and unity among all Indians.
- The people have been invited to sing the National anthem and upload the video on website www.RASHTRAGAAN.IN.
- The compilation of National Anthem will be shown live on 15th of August.



Titbits

Culture, Tourism and Development of North Eastern Region

Minister: G. Kishan Reddy

Constituency: Secunderabad, Telangana





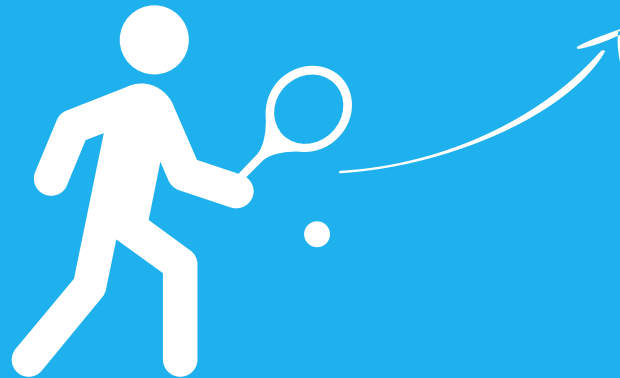
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Uttar Pradesh

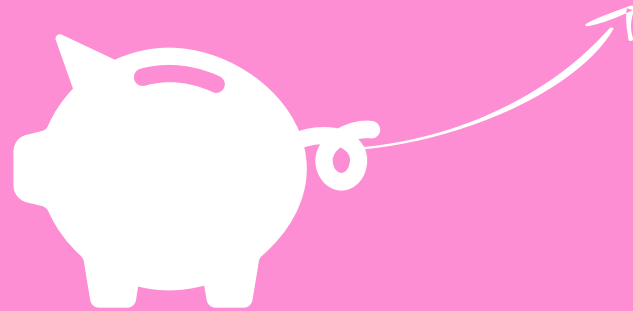


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UPI-based AutoPay functionality
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APPOINTMENTS

Mini Ipe

Managing Director of Life Insurance Corporation of India

Manpreet Vohra

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Nikol Pashinyan

Armenia's Prime minister

Min Aung Hlaing

Prime Minister of Myanmar



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Prof CR Rao Centenary Gold Medal



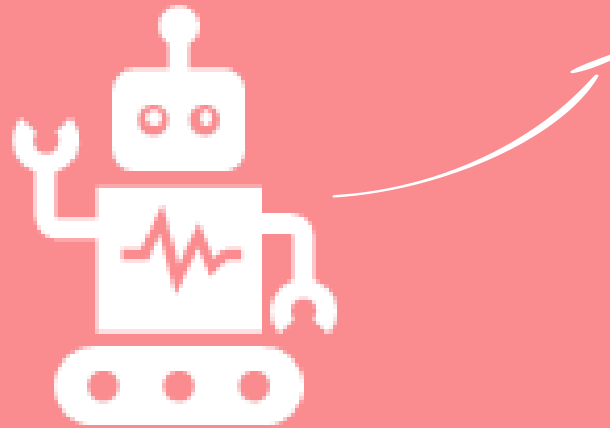
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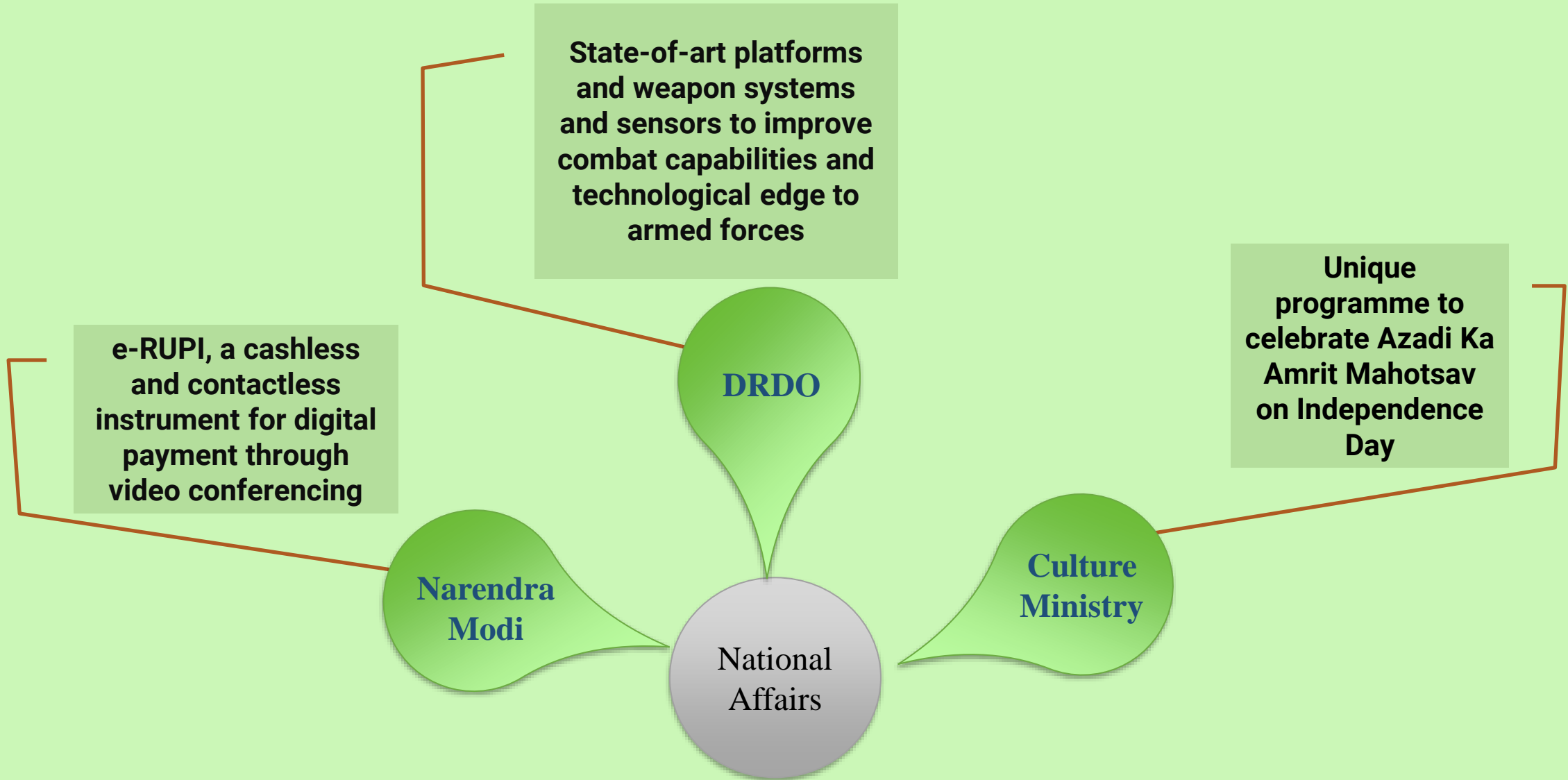


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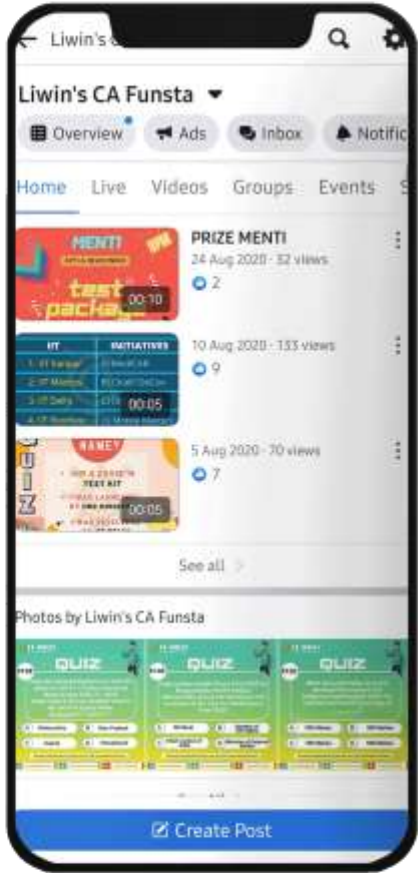
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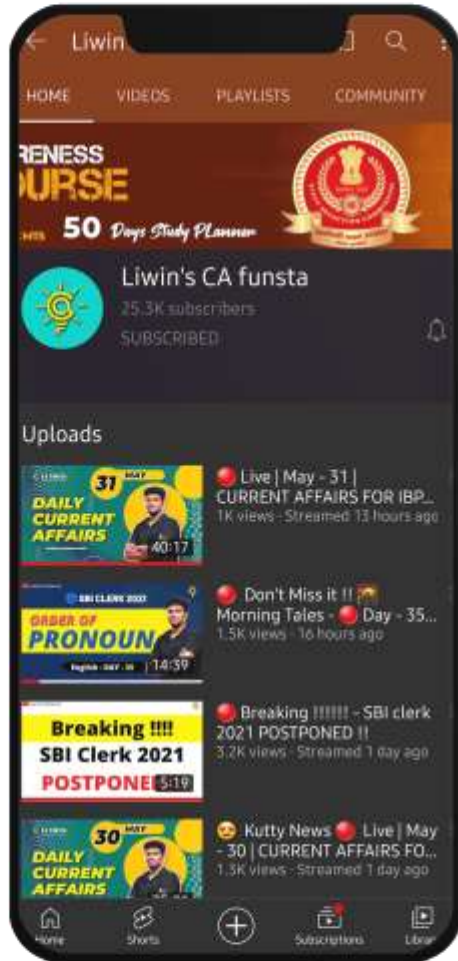




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