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**India hosts the
G20 Summit in
New Delhi on 9-
10 September
2023 chaired by
PM Modi**

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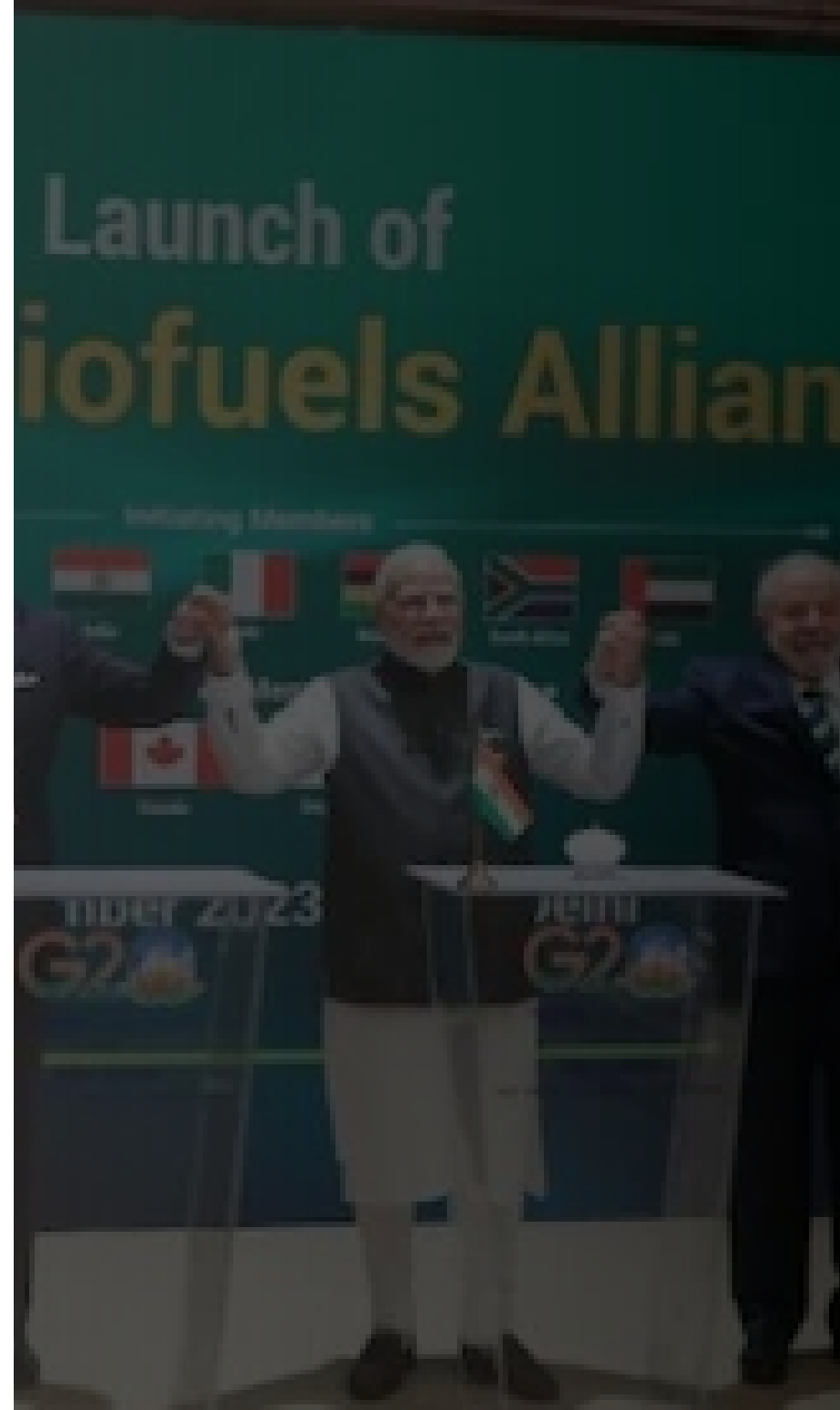
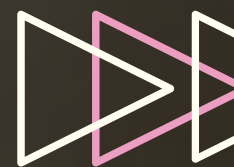
India hosts the G20 Summit in New Delhi on 9-10 September 2023 in the newly built international convention and exhibition center, Bharat Mandapam at Delhi's Pragati Maidan after taking on the presidency from Indonesia on 1st December.

“Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam” the theme of the G20 Summit 2023 signifies a global roadmap for sustainable, inclusive, and human-centric development.



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**What does the
Delhi Declaration,
which was
adopted in the G20
Summit, focus on?**
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G20 Sherpa Amitabh Kant mentioned that the G20 Leaders Summit declaration in New Delhi mainly focuses on achieving strong, sustainable, balanced, and inclusive growth, along with a green development pact for a sustainable future.

It also shows support for modernizing multilateral institutions. He also highlighted that G20 leaders unanimously agreed on both developmental and geopolitical issues, calling India's presidency the most ambitious in G20 history.




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**What are the
key takeaways
from the G20
Summit held in
Delhi?**

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During the two-day G20 summit hosted in Delhi, a significant development transpired with the African Union's induction into the group as a new permanent member.

Simultaneously, an agreement was formalized through the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to establish the India-Europe-Middle East Economic Corridor.

Additionally, the summit culminated in the adoption of the Delhi Declaration, which called upon nations to maintain their commitment to upholding international laws.

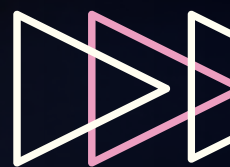


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**Historic Delhi
Declaration
adopted as G20
Leaders arrive at
Consensus says PM
Narendra Modi**

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On Saturday, PM Narendra Modi made an announcement regarding the adoption of the New Delhi G20 Leaders Summit Declaration. Previously, there had been a lack of agreement among the G20 leaders regarding the wording used to describe the conflict in Ukraine.

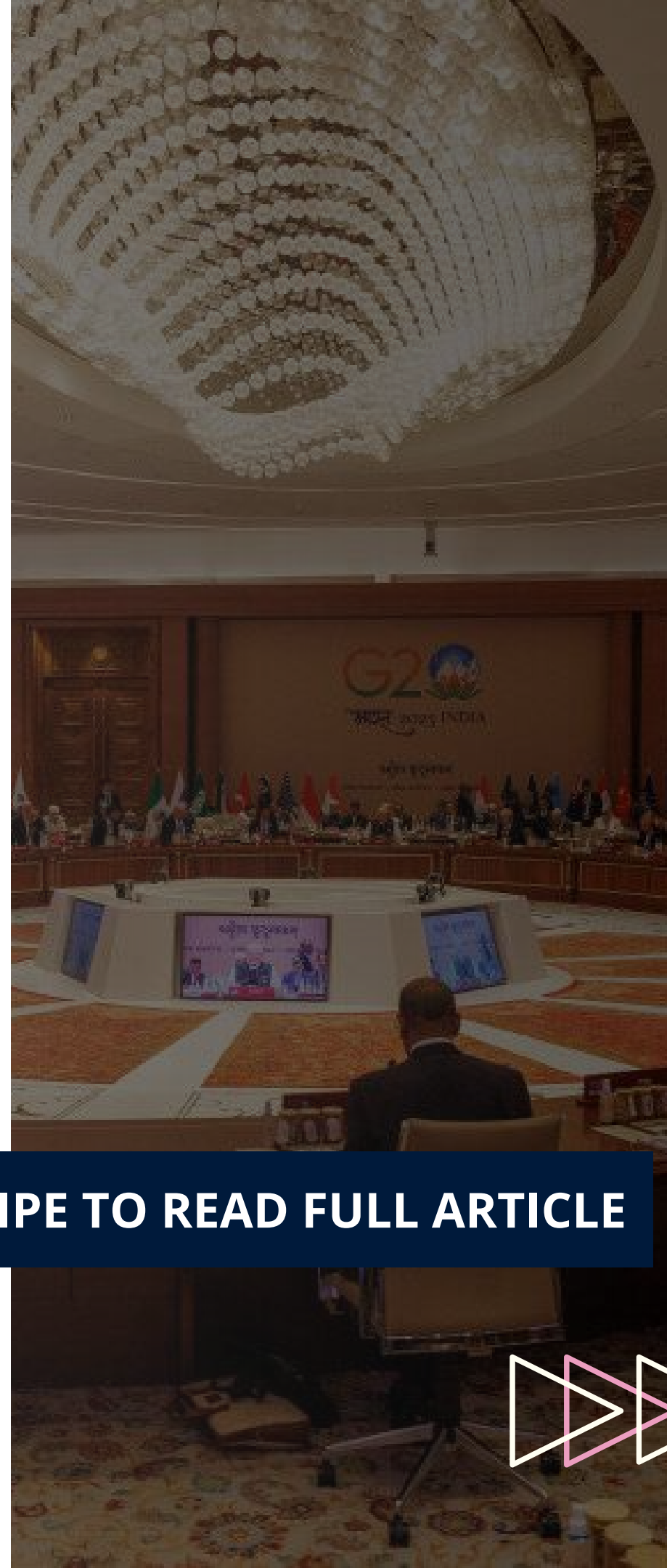
"I'm pleased to share that I've received positive news... consensus has now been reached on the New Delhi G20 Leader's Summit Declaration," he stated while extending his congratulations to the sherpas and ministers involved.

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**What does the
Delhi Declaration
adopted at the G20
Summit stance on
Ukraine?**

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The G20 Delhi Declaration has issued a call for a "comprehensive and enduring peace in Ukraine" while urging its member states to abstain from resorting to the threat of force in pursuit of territorial acquisition.

Furthermore, the deployment or threat of employment of nuclear weaponry is deemed impermissible," as articulated in the declaration. " We call on states to uphold principles of international law including territorial integrity and sovereignty," the declaration said.

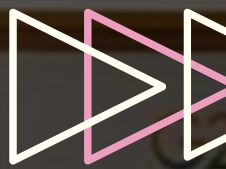


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**Russia praises
G20 Summit
Declaration, says
“Everything
Balanced”**

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Russia commended the G20 Summit declaration for its position on the Ukraine conflict. "The statement has been carefully balanced, encompassing all aspects. All G20 member states have concurred to act collectively in the pursuit of peace and conflict resolution," stated Svetlana Lukash, the Russian G20 Sherpa.

The G20 New Delhi Declaration made mention of Ukraine on four occasions and reiterated that the current era is not one defined by warfare.

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**Ukraine criticises
New Delhi G20
Declaration for
not mentioning
Russia, says “
Nothing to be
proud of”**

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On Saturday, Ukraine expressed its dissatisfaction with the Delhi Declaration that was endorsed during the G20 Summit, describing it as something not worthy of pride. Ukraine's Foreign Ministry Spokesperson, Oleg Nikolenko, shared a screenshot in which specific sections of the text were highlighted in red and struck out.

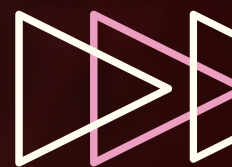
Nikolenko emphasized that the omission of any mention of Russia in the declaration was a glaring shortcoming and asserted, "Ukrainian delegation would have provided a better understanding of the situation."

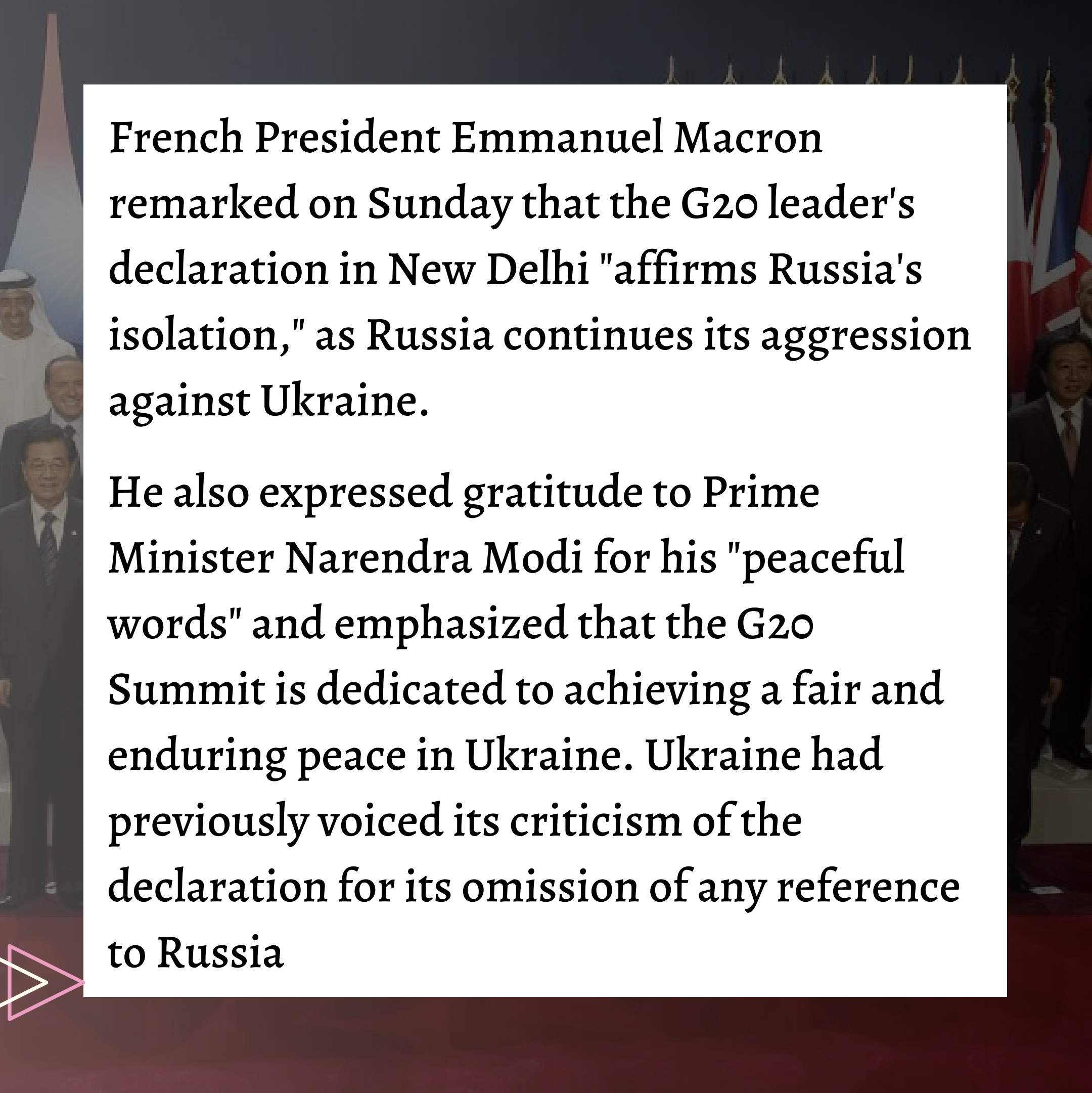
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**Delhi Declaration
Confirms
Russia's
Isolation: French
President Macron**

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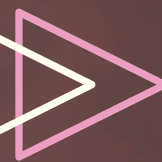
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The background of the slide features a collage of G20 leaders and national flags. On the left, a vertical strip shows the heads of several leaders, including a man in a white thobe and ghutra, and others in suits. On the right, a vertical strip shows flags, including the Union Jack and the Chinese flag. The central text is overlaid on a white rectangular background.

French President Emmanuel Macron remarked on Sunday that the G20 leader's declaration in New Delhi "affirms Russia's isolation," as Russia continues its aggression against Ukraine.

He also expressed gratitude to Prime Minister Narendra Modi for his "peaceful words" and emphasized that the G20 Summit is dedicated to achieving a fair and enduring peace in Ukraine. Ukraine had previously voiced its criticism of the declaration for its omission of any reference to Russia

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**G20 Summit in
Delhi was a
“milestone”, that
prevented attempts
to “Ukrainize” the
agenda: Russia**

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Russian Foreign Minister Sergey Lavrov described the G20 Summit in Delhi as "a milestone," affirming, "We succeeded in thwarting the Western endeavor to 'Ukrainize' the summit's agenda."

Lavrov emphasized that the G20 Summit, under India's leadership, sets the course for equity in worldwide governance and global finance.



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**Bali was Bali,
Delhi is Delhi:
Jaishankar on
Delhi Declaration
not mentioning
Russia**

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External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar rejected any comparison between the Bali Declaration and the New Delhi Declaration of the G20 Leaders, asserting, "I can only say that Bali remains distinct from New Delhi. In the Bali declaration, a paragraph has said the group "deplores in the strongest terms the aggression by the Russian Federation against Ukraine.



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G20 New Delhi Leaders' Declaration

New Delhi, India, 9-10 September 2023

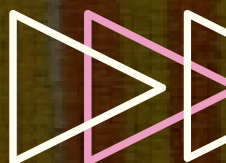


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**PM Narendra
Modi and World
Leaders pay
Homage to
Mahatma Gandhi
at Rajghat wearing
Khadi Shawls**

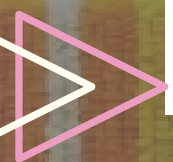
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On the second day of the G20 Summit in Delhi, Prime Minister Narendra Modi, alongside global leaders, made a visit to Rajghat to offer their respects to Mahatma Gandhi. Visuals of their visit showed PM Modi presenting the dignitaries with an 'angvastram' a handloom khadi shawl against the backdrop of an image of 'Bapu Kutti'.

Additionally, he provided the leaders with an explanation of the historical importance of 'Bapu Kutti.'

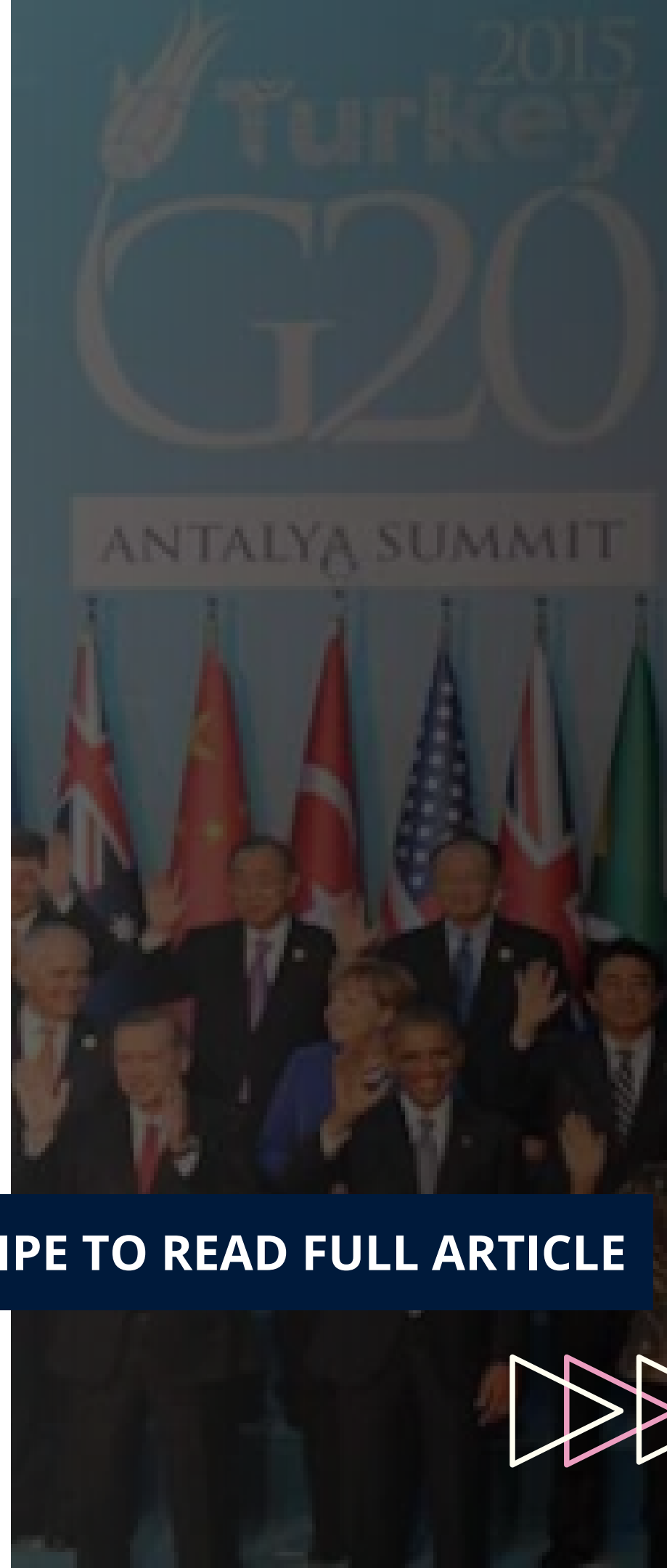


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**The Turkish
president thanked
India for a
gracious and
successful G20
Presidency**

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During the G20 Summit, Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdogan expressed his gratitude to India for its gracious and effective presidency while addressing the media. Within the first session of the summit, we talked about the environmental challenges that our planet currently encounters.

Climate change, the loss of biological diversity, and extensive pollution are a trio of challenges which we can feel. " he said

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**What is the
planned India -
Middle East -
Europe Economic
Corridor?**

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During the G20 summit, the India-Middle East-Europe Economic Corridor was collaboratively unveiled by the United States, India, Saudi Arabia, the United Arab Emirates, France, Germany, Italy, and the European Union. This ambitious project is set to feature both an Eastern and Northern corridor.

The corridor's development plan encompasses the construction of a rail route, the installation of energy and digital connectivity cables, and the establishment of a pipeline for exporting clean hydrogen.

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**United States PM
states India-
Middle East -
Europe Economic
Corridor to be
‘Game Changing’**

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President Joe Biden of the United States has announced that a groundbreaking agreement has been reached among the United States, India, Saudi Arabia, the United Arab Emirates, France, Germany, Italy, and the European Union for the India-Middle East-Europe Economic Corridor.

This corridor is anticipated to streamline trade, establish stable internet connections through cable infrastructure, and unlock sustainable and inclusive economic growth in the region.

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**India will offer
options to invest
trapped rupees
to Russia:
Russian Foreign
Minister**

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India will present Russia with opportunities to invest the Indian rupees it has amassed through exports, as stated by Russian Foreign Minister Sergei Lavrov during a briefing in Delhi on Sunday. Lavrov made these remarks as the G20 leaders' two-day meeting came to a close.

Lavrov mentioned that Russia currently has a substantial amount of rupees held in Indian banks, but regrettably, these funds cannot be utilized at this time.



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**PM Modi
discussed the
full range of
India-Canada
ties with Justin
Trudeau**

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Prime Minister Narendra Modi held a meeting with his Canadian counterpart, Justin Trudeau, on the sidelines of the G20 summit. During their conversation, Prime Minister Modi mentioned that they deliberated on the entire spectrum of India-Canada relations spanning various sectors.

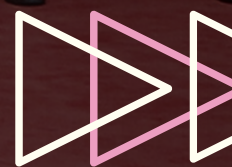
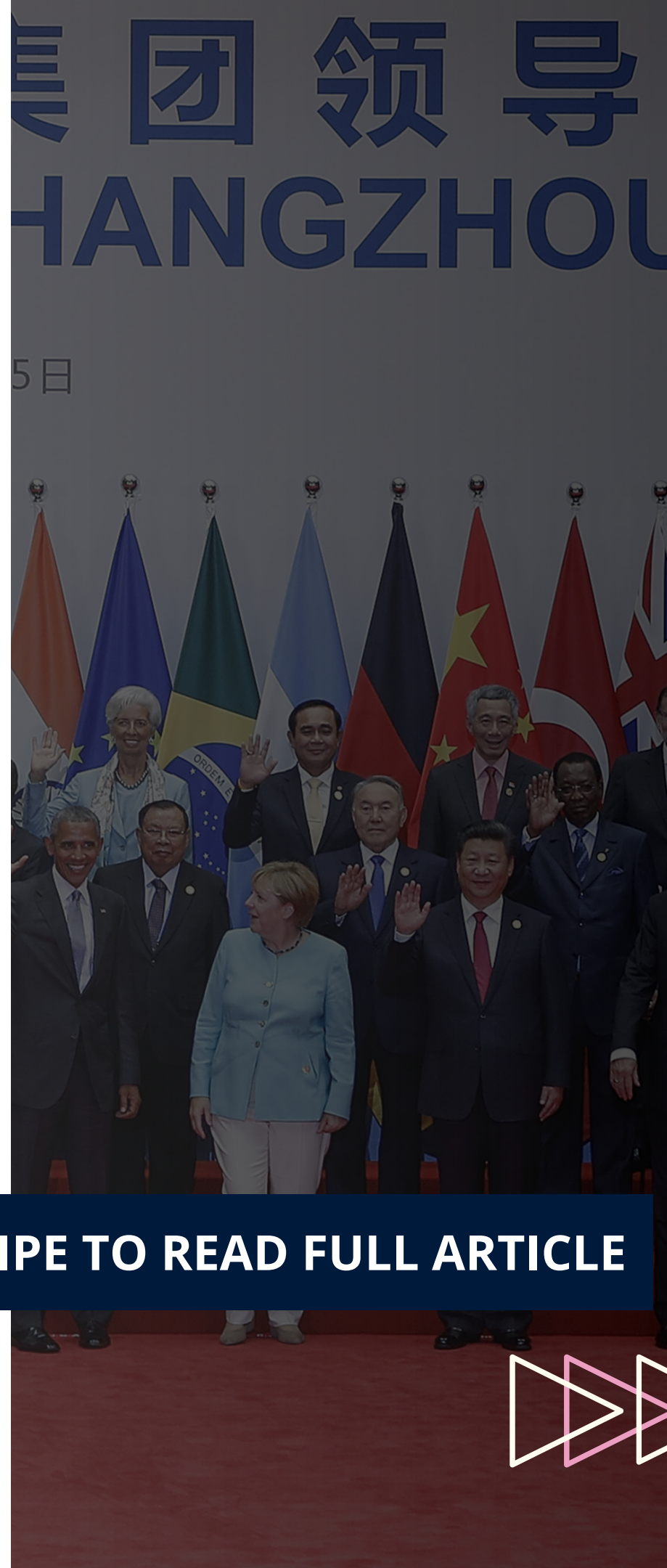
His remark came even as Canada paused talks on a trade treaty with India, three months after the two nations said that they aimed to seal an initial agreement this year.

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**India is ahead
of China Now:
African Union
Chairman Azali
Assoumani**

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Azali Assoumani, the President of the Union of Comoros and the Chairperson of the African Union, made an interesting statement on Sunday while attending the G20 summit in Delhi. He expressed, "India is currently ahead of China," and emphasized that India has positioned itself as the world's 5th superpower.

In light of this, he emphasized that there is a substantial opportunity for India to engage more deeply in Africa.



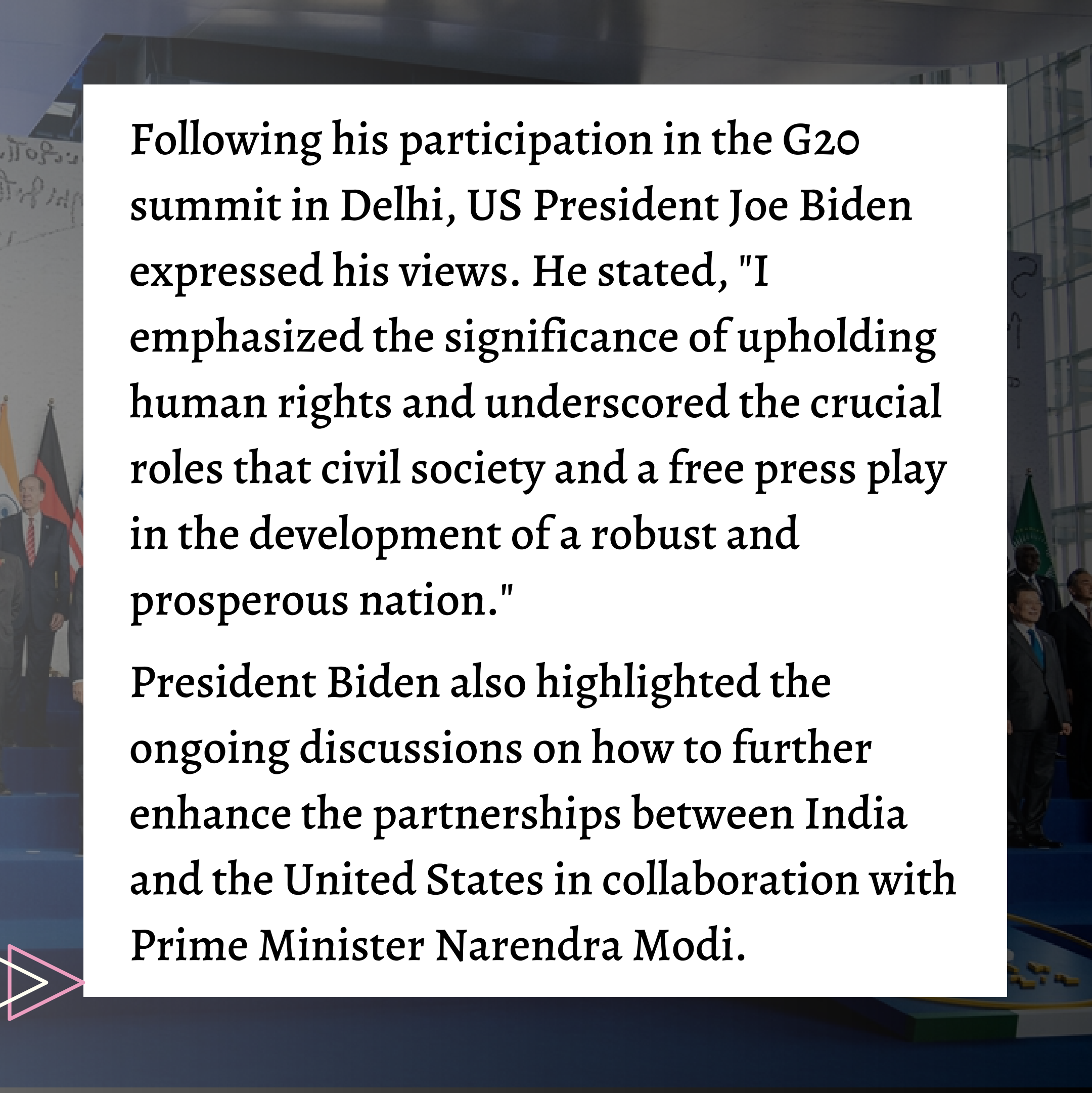
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US President Joe Biden raised the importance of human rights, and free press with PM Modi

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Following his participation in the G20 summit in Delhi, US President Joe Biden expressed his views. He stated, "I emphasized the significance of upholding human rights and underscored the crucial roles that civil society and a free press play in the development of a robust and prosperous nation."

President Biden also highlighted the ongoing discussions on how to further enhance the partnerships between India and the United States in collaboration with Prime Minister Narendra Modi.



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**We strongly
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In the Delhi Declaration, the G20 member nations emphasized their dedication to fostering reverence for cultural and religious diversity, fostering dialogue, and encouraging tolerance.

The G20, in their collective statement, expressed strong condemnation for all instances of religious animosity directed at individuals, as well as against sacred symbols and holy texts.

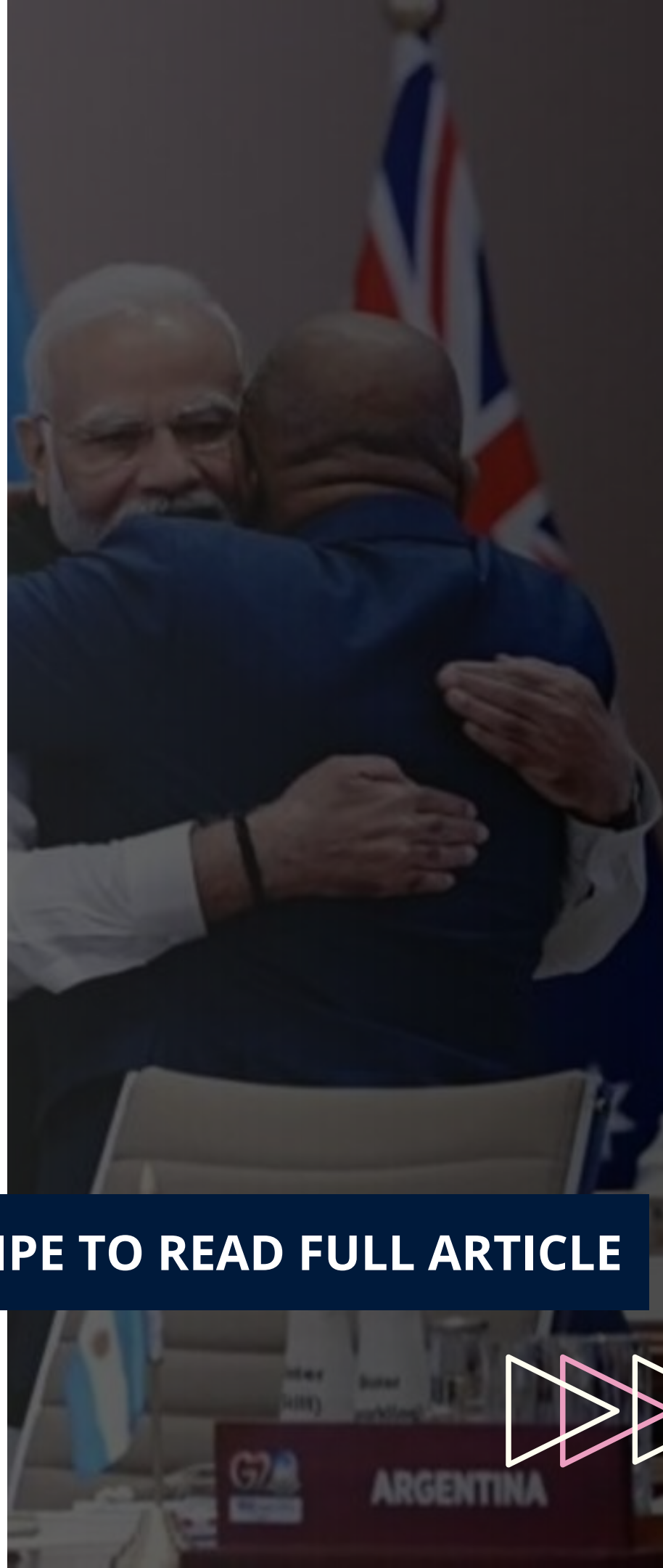


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**19) G20 becomes
G21 as India takes
the lead in
bringing the
African Union to
the global table**

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The African Union, which represents 55 countries, was admitted as a new member of the G20 on Saturday, three months after India proposed its inclusion.

The idea was floated in June this year when Prime Minister Narendra Modi wrote to G20 leaders to propose that the African Union be given “full membership at the upcoming Delhi Summit of G20, as requested by them”.

The move was seen as “right step” towards a “just, fair, more inclusive and representative global architecture and governance”.



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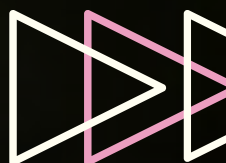
AUSTRALIA

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**PM Modi hands
over the G20
Presidency to
Brazil's President
at the closing
ceremony of the
summit**

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On Sunday, Prime Minister Narendra Modi formally transferred the G20 presidency to Brazilian President Luiz Inácio Lula da Silva during the concluding ceremony of the summit held at Bharat Mandapam in Delhi. PM Modi also extended his congratulations to President Lula.

President Lula emphasized the importance of including new developing countries as permanent and non-permanent members of the UN Security Council to restore its political influence.