

EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS - AUGUST 21, 2024

CONFERENCES & SUMMITS

India-EU Conference

✓ The European Union (EU), in collaboration with organising partner Global Counter-Terrorism Council (GCTC) and with India's Ministry of External Affairs as a strategic partner, will be hosting a crucial regional conference on August 21-22.



- ✓ The two-day EU-India Track 1.5 Conference in New Delhi brings together experts, policymakers, academia and law enforcement officials from South Asia (India, Bangladesh, Maldives and Sri Lanka) and Europe, who are at the forefront of the fight against digital extremism.
- ✓ The conference aims to enhance counter-terrorism dialogues and partnerships in the region.

REPORT

Global Food & Drinks Report 2024

✓ Indian brand "Amul" has been ranked as the "strongest food brand in the world" as per the latest Food & Drink 2024 report.



- ✓ Amul has already been ranked number one dairy brand in the world. However, being ranked as the number one strongest food brand is a big recognition. Last year, Amul held the second position in this category.
- ✓ The annual report on the most valuable and strongest food, dairy & non-alcoholic drinks brands has been published by Brand Finance, world's leading brand consultancy.

IMPORTANT DAYS

- International Day of Remembrance and Tribute to the Victims of Terrorism -August 21
- ✓ The International Day of Remembrance and Tribute to the Victims of Terrorism serves as a solemn reminder of the ongoing global challenge posed by terrorism.



✓ This day, observed annually on August 21st, aims to honour and support the victims and survivors of terrorist acts while promoting the protection of their human rights and fundamental freedoms.



