

## ISAS Public Lecture Series



### **NATIONALISM AS A DEMOCRATIC RESOURCE: Comparing India and Pakistan at 70**

a talk by

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