

Daily Current Affairs 25 May 2026: India-Italy Ties | Kumbhalgarh Fort | Chandrayaan-3

Today is 25 May 2026. This report covers key updates, including the strategic cultural partnership between India and Italy, the global recognition of the Kumbhalgarh Fort wall, and the international honor bestowed upon ISRO's Chandrayaan-3 mission. These updates are crucial for job seekers.

International Relations

01 India and Italy: Year of Culture and Tourism

India and Italy have declared 2027 as the 'Year of Culture and Tourism'. This initiative aims to strengthen ties through cultural exchange and tourism promotion. Notably, UNESCO recently added Italy's cuisine to the Intangible Cultural Heritage list.

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- UNESCO headquarters is located in Paris, France.
- Italy is one of the founding members of the European Union.
- The capital city of Italy is Rome.

History and Heritage

02 Kumbhalgarh Fort Wall

Located in Rajasthan's Rajsamand district, the Kumbhalgarh Fort wall has been officially recognized as the second-longest wall in the world, following the Great Wall of China. Spanning approximately 36 km, it was built by the Mewar ruler Rana Kumbha in the 15th century.

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- The fort was declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 2013.
- Rana Kumbha was a powerful ruler and a patron of the arts in the history of the Mewar region.
- Rajasthan is India's largest state by land area.

Science and Technology

03 Chandrayaan-3 and AIAA Award

The American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA) has presented the 2026 'Goddard Astronautics Award' to the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) for the Chandrayaan-3 mission. The mission made history on 23 August 2023 by successfully landing on the moon's south pole.

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- ISRO's headquarters is based in Bengaluru.
- Chandrayaan-3 was launched from the Satish Dhawan Space Centre in Sriharikota.
- India is the fourth nation to successfully land on the moon.

National News

04 Operation Rage Pill

The Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB) has launched 'Operation Rage Pill' to curb the trafficking of the banned drug 'Captagon'. In this operation, 227 kg of the drug, worth approximately ₹12 crore, has been seized. Captagon is a potent central nervous system stimulant.

05 Simhastha Kumbh 2028

The Madhya Pradesh government has partnered with Google to manage the Simhastha Kumbh in Ujjain in 2028. The administration will utilize AI and digital twin technologies to monitor and control crowd and traffic flow.

Quick Revision

- International Booker Prize 2026: Awarded to Yang Sheng Ji.
- First AI Ministry: Established by Kerala.
- ISL 2026 Winner: East Bengal FC (first-time winners).

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