

Wars are no more
about Arms alone

In the modern age, warfare has
evolved far beyond physical confrontation. Fifth generation warfare represents a paradigm shift where battleground is no more the land, sea and air; it is the human mind. It is characterized by the use of misinformation, psychological manipulation and propaganda, not to influence public opinion, and achieve strategic objectives, without traditional military engagement. The major platforms which are used in fifth generation warfare included social media platforms, disfakes, cyber security and artificial intelligence that not only targets the enemy soldiers, but also the whole population especially their belief, trust and perception in state institutions. Nation-states, non-state actors and even corporations engaged in psychological and cognitive manipulation. The recent example is the use of social media to spread disinformation during the recent tension between Pakistan and India. The Indian media uses all sorts of fake news as a strategic tool to spread misinformation and manipulate the target perception. It is necessary, as a nation, for us to invest in digital education and enhanced our critical thinking, media awareness for national security.

Try to write more in extension and with more strong ideas

It is the humans' mind in itself

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