

PM Modi Visits US; Holds Talks with President Biden on Strengthening Bilateral Partnership

Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi and US President Joe Biden reviewed the diverse aspects of the India-US relationship and discussed methods to further strengthen it for the benefit of their citizens and the global community. During his recent visit to the US, PM Modi emphasised the significance of people-to-people ties and the contribution of over four million



people of Indian origin to the development of the US. Highlighting the collaborations in fields such as AI, space, quantum, semiconductors, and telecom, PM Modi noted that the dynamics of India-US relationship has shifted from a buyer-seller equation to that of technology transfer, co-development, and co-production. Both leaders expressed their commitment to concerted action against cross-border terrorism. President Biden acknowledged the shared future being forged by the US and India while PM Modi in his address to the US Congress, emphasised the importance of democracies and the need to reform multilateral institutions. He stressed the need for international collaboration and a new world order based on international law. MEA Spokesperson Shri Arindam Bagchi said, both leaders held talks together in their determination to take the Comprehensive Global Strategic Partnership to the next level. The two sides have agreed to collaborate on 25 areas of advanced technology. It has also been decided that the US will open two new consulates in India - one in Ahmedabad and one in Bengaluru, while India will open its consulates in Seattle and two other places in the US.