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Chief of Japan Joint Staff, GEN Yamazaki's participation in Raisina Dialogue 2020

GEN Yamazaki, Chief of Staff, Joint Staff, visited India to participate in Raisina Dialogue 2020 from 13 to 16 January, which is cohosted by the Observer Research Foundation and Ministry of External Affairs of India.

At Raisina Dialogue 2020, GEN Yamazaki took part in a panel discussion named "Fluid Fleets: Navigating Tides of Revision in the Indo-Pacific" with military service chiefs and representatives from India, United Kingdom, France and Australia, where he presented and discussed ways to firmly orchestrate international community in line with the vision of a free and open Indo-Pacific.

On the sidelines of the dialogue, GEN Yamazaki had meetings with H.E. Mr. Rajnath Singh, Minister for Defence of India, GEN Bipin Rawat, Chief of Defence Staff of Indian Armed Forces, GCA Luc de Rancourt, Deputy Director General for International Relations and Strategy (DGRIS), French Ministry of the Armed Forces, VADM David Lance Johnston, Vice Chief of Australian Defence Force, ADM David Tony Radakin, First Sea Lord and Chief of Naval Staff, British Royal Navy, and GEN Claudio Graziano, Chairman of the European Union Military Committee.

They shared understanding on situational awareness in Indo-Pacific region, as well as agreed to promote their defense cooperation and engagement.