



### **Provocation, Uncertainty, Turbulence: Lighthouse in the Tempest?**

- The Raisina Dialogue is India's premier conference on geopolitics and geoeconomics committed to addressing the most challenging issues facing the global community.
- Every year, leaders in politics, business, media, and civil society converge in New Delhi to discuss the state of the world and explore opportunities for cooperation on a wide range of contemporary matters.
- The Dialogue is structured as a multi-stakeholder, cross-sectoral discussion, involving heads of state, cabinet ministers and local government officials, who are joined by thought leaders from the private sector, media and academia.
- The conference is hosted by the Observer Research Foundation in partnership with the Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India. This effort is supported by a number of institutions, organisations and individuals, who are committed to the mission of the conference.
- **RAISINA DIALOGUE 2023 PILLARS**
  1. NEO INSURGENCE: GEOGRAPHIES, DOMAINS, AMBITIONS
  2. AMORAL MOSAIC: CONTEST, COOPERATE, OR CANCEL
  3. CHAOTIC CODES: SOVEREIGNTY, SECURITY, SOCIETY
  4. PERNICIOUS PASSPORTS: CLIMATE, COMMONS, CITIZENS
  5. GREY RHINOS: DEMOCRACIES, DEPENDENCIES, AND DEBT TRAPS
- Since its inception in 2016, the conference has emerged as India's flagship conference on geopolitics and geo-economics.
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- The conference is structured as a multi-stakeholder, cross-sectoral discussion, involving a variety of global policymakers including heads of states, cabinet ministers and local government officials.
- In addition, the Dialogue also welcomes major private sector executives, as well as members of the media and academia. It is designed on the lines of Singapore's Shangri-La Dialogue
- *The name "Raisina Dialogue" comes from Raisina Hill, an elevation in New Delhi, seat of the Government of India, as well as the Presidential Palace of India, Rashtrapati Bhavan.*

- The first Raisina Dialogue was held from 1–3 March 2016. Over 100 speakers from over 35 countries attended to speak on the theme, "Asia: Regional and Global Connectivity". The focus of the 2016 conference was on Asia's physical, economic, human and digital connectivity.
- Panels and discussions explored opportunities and challenges for the region to manage its common spaces, as well as the global partnerships needed to develop common pathways in this century.
- Italian PM Giorgia Meloni to be chief guest at 8th Raisina Dialogue 2023