

India and Vietnam deepen ties with AI, quantum tech deals

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Defence Minister Rajnath Singh met Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of National Defence of Vietnam General Phan Van Giang in Hanoi on Tuesday for bilateral talks, with both the leaders reviewing the growing defence partnership and discussed ways to further deepen cooperation in maritime security and defence industry.

The two countries discussed avenues to expand cooperation in areas including military training, defence industry collaboration, maritime security, capacity building, United Nations peacekeeping, cyber security and high-level exchanges, the Ministry of Defence said on Tuesday. With Vietnam also having boundary issues with China, the two sides exchanged views on regional and global security developments of mutual interest.

The Ministry stated that Singh reaffirmed the commitment to strengthening



Defence Minister Rajnath Singh with Vietnam Minister of National Defence of Phan Van Giang ANI

India's Enhanced Comprehensive Strategic Partnership with Vietnam.

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The two Defence Ministers virtually inaugurated a Language Lab at the Air Force Officers' College in Vietnam.

Singh also announced the setting-up of an Artificial Intelligence Lab at Tele Communications University at Nha Trang. Vietnam exchanged an MoU in the field of artificial intelligence and quantum technology, marking another important chapter in the Enhanced Comprehensive Strategic Partnership between the two nations, the Defence Ministry statement read.