



QUEEN MARY'S SCHOOL, NORTHEND

MODEL TOWN, DELHI.



NINTH EDITION OF MODEL UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE

*“Free the World of Suffering;
Be Someone's Sanctuary”*

INSIGHTS

21st & 22nd August 2025

INTRODUCTION

*“Nine Years of Diplomacy
One Vision for Tomorrow”*

The Queen Mary's School Northend Model United Nations Conference offers students a dynamic platform to explore global issues by not just simulating diplomacy but also, moving forward with a new vision.

Queen Mary's School Model United Nations Conference empowers students to be the delegates representing nations and also prototyping solutions as this world needs innovators who can redesign the tools of statecraft for the new times. For nine years, we have built more than a conference, we have built a community.

The vision for tomorrow starts with the dialogue we begin today, transforming the ideas forged here into tangible action. We promise to tirelessly seek understanding where there is discord, to build bridges where there are chasms and to champion hopes where there is despair .

The future is not a destination we arrive at, but one we build together and we promise to build it better .

OPENING CEREMONY

*‘United in Purpose
Focused on the Future’*



Queen Mary's School, Northend, formally inaugurated the Ninth Edition of its prestigious Model United Nations Conference on Thursday, 21st of August 2025. The two-day conference, commenced with a ceremony marked by solemnity and inspiration, firmly anchored in the guiding principle,

‘Free the World of Suffering, Be Someone's Sanctuary.’

The event began with scripture reading followed by a prayer for global peace and restoration.

The honourable Chief Guest, Major General Rajiv Edwards, the Guest of Honour, Ms. Shefali Sharma, Additional District and Session Judge; Mr. Rajeev Singh, GS and CEO of New Delhi YMCA; members of Management Committee; the Executive Board and the other dignitaries were accorded a warm welcome.

The Lamp Lighting Ceremony, symbolising the divine light of wisdom paved the path for affable and meaningful dialogue. This was followed by a soul stirring classical dance recital, ‘The Voice of Peace’, which served as a reminder of our responsibility and accountability towards our mother Earth. Sanvi Gupta, the Secretary General of QMSMUN 2025, gave the inaugural address.

The School Principal, Ms. Anupma Singh encouraged the aspiring diplomats, that the complex global issues must be approached with a foundation of kindness and compassion. She articulated that while policy and debate are essential, true progress is born from the empathetic desire to be a sanctuary for those in need. She emphasised that these issues not only need our attention but action, thereby giving practical meaning to the conference theme.

The Chief Guest, Major General Rajiv Edwards, delivered a powerful oration on the indispensability of global interdependence in achieving the goals set forth by the United Nations. He concluded his speech by invoking a timeless adage from Mahatma Gandhi, leaving the audience with a resonant call to action- ‘We must be the change we wish to see in the world.’

The Guest of Honour, Ms. Shefali Sharma, provided a critical perspective on women empowerment as catalyst for societal progress.

In a demonstration of dynamic engagement and learning, a simulated press conference was convened under the guidance of our honourable Chief Guest.

This forum facilitated a fruitful discussion, allowing the delegates to pose insightful questions to the panel of dignitaries on pressing international matters, culminating in the official declaration of QMSMUN 2025 open.



CORDIAL WELCOME



*Major General Rajiv Edwards
Chief Guest*



*Ms Shefali Sharma
Additional Dist. & Session Judge
Guest of Honour*



*Mr Rajeev Singh
General Secretary & CEO, New Delhi YMCA*



*Rev. Fr. Jose Stephen
Principal, Rosary School &
School Management Committee Member*



*Rev. Varun Alfred
School Management Committee Member*

THE PRESS CONFERENCE



Queen Mary's School, Northend hosted a press conference on 21st August 2025 as part of the QMSMUN 2025. The panel assemblage featured the Chief Guest, Major General Rajiv Edwards; Executive Board, International Press Head, Aarushi Batra and Head of Photography, Vihan Saraswat; Secretary-General Saanvi Gupta; Director-General Parthvi Srivastava.

The conference focused on topics such as sustainable development, climate change and international security. The delegates from various schools actively engaged in discussions on current global affairs. It also underscored the profound responsibility of media as a vigilant steward of truth, rigorously verifying information prior to dissemination, thereby safeguarding public trust and social harmony. The Chief Panelist, Major General Rajiv Edwards highlighted the importance of military strategy and diplomacy, urging delegates to 'build bridges, not just win debates.'

The engaging dialogue set a constructive tone for the conference, which focused on diplomacy and pragmatic problem-solving.

THE SECRETARIAT



Queen Mary's School Model United Nations Conference 2025, is a conference shaped by vision, dedication, and a commitment to excellence. The past few months have been a testament to the incredible dedication and hard work of our mentors and the Secretariat who have devoted countless hours to meticulous planning and preparation, ensuring the success of this conference.

The Secretariat has sought to design an experience that is both rigorous and inspiring. Each committee and agenda has been selected to reflect the complexities of global affairs, urging delegates to deliberate the dialogues with responsibility and clarity of thought. Beyond debates, QMSMUN aspires to nurture the values of respect, cooperation, and leadership, the qualities that define not only effective negotiation but also embraces global citizenship.

As we embark on this edition, we remain deeply conscious of the legacy that QMSMUN represents, a legacy of learning and growth. It is our conviction that QMSMUN 2025 will not only honour this tradition but also work in unison for a peaceful tomorrow and set new milestones for future conferences to carry forward.

- The Secretariat

UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Deliberation on the global response to micro plastic pollution safeguarding marine ecosystems and human health.



Kavya Bhardwaj
Rapporteur

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-SAANVI

The UNGA debated on the transboundary and pervasive nature of microplastic pollution, highlighting how it flows across borders, enters the food chain, and poses a proven threat to marine biodiversity and potential risks to human health, making it a critical global common concern.

The delegates deliberated on how the degradation directly threatens the attainment of Sustainable Development Goal 14 (SDG 14: Life Below Water), while weakening the ecosystem thereby deepening inequities between developed and developing maritime economies. Global awareness campaigns, led by the United Nations Department of Global Communications (UNDGC) and coordinated with civil society, could engineer behavioural shifts away from plastic dependency.

The session concluded with the potent suggestion to implement stronger waste management policies, invest in filtration technology, and phase out single-use plastics and microbeads.

-JENNIFER



UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL

Deliberation on security risks of AI in military surveillance applications with special emphasis on the India-Pakistan war.



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-LAKSHITA BISHT

The UNSC raised the concern that reliance on AI reduces human oversight, which could potentially lower the threshold for conflict. The discussion was to critically assess the growing integration of Artificial Intelligence (AI) into military surveillance systems and its far-reaching implications for international peace and security.

The increasing adoption of AI in defence by various countries has brought forward questions around transparency, responsible use, and the need for clear ethical and legal guidelines. In particular, the India-Pakistan context serves as a key example, where advancements in AI-based surveillance systems may influence regional security dynamics. The evolving role of AI in such sensitive settings highlights the importance of ensuring careful oversight and communication to maintain stability and prevent misunderstanding. The resolutions highlighted the value of cooperation, dialogue, and the development of shared frameworks to ensure that AI serves as a tool for enhancing security and building trust among nations.

- ANANYA



UNITED NATIONS HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL

Deliberation upon redefining the right to sovereignty with emphasis on cases of genocide and human rights violation.



*Diva Lakra
Rapporteur*

*Krishna Seth
Chairperson*

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Vice Chairperson*



-HRIDAAN BAJAJ

The UNHRC held a thoughtful and impactful debate on the evolving meaning of state sovereignty in the face of genocide and human rights violations. The delegates rightly emphasized that sovereignty comes with responsibility, and when states fail to protect their citizens, the international community must intervene.

The delegates displayed immense enthusiasm and confidence, turning the floor into a hub of powerful discussions on sovereignty and human rights. The delegates showcased both creativity and collaboration. The vibrance, passion, and eloquence of the participants made the session insightful, impactful and truly memorable.

The session was commendable for its constructive dialogue, calling for stronger frameworks to prevent atrocities while balancing national independence with global accountability.

- SHREYA ARYA



WORLD HEALTH ORGANISATION

Evaluating the global health response to future pandemics with special emphasis on the rise of mental health issues post COVID-19.



Hardik Sardana
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Rapporteur



-AMARISA

The World Health Organization (WHO) stood as a platform for accelerating investments in mental health with concern that over 90% of countries experienced mental health service disruptions during the COVID-19 pandemic.

The lesson from COVID-19 is unequivocal: global health security is incomplete without mental health security. A pandemic response that saves lives from a virus but leaves a population traumatized, anxious, and grieving is only a partial success. The deliberation reveals a system that was soiled, reactive, and inequitable. The solutions propose a new framework that is integrated, data-driven, proactive, digital-enabled, and community-anchored. By embedding these principles into our preparedness plans now, we can ensure of a foundation that is healthy and resilient. The committee successfully concluded with all 28 delegates demonstrating diplomacy through their reasoning and debating skills to defend and justify their country's healthcare policies.

-YASHIKA



UNITED NATIONS OFFICE ON OUTER SPACE AFFAIRS

Deliberation on regulating space exploration, preventing the militarization of outer space and ensuring peaceful use.



Sayeshwar Bhatia
Rapporteur

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-AMARISA

UNOOSA works to understand how space technology and its myriad applications play an important role in supporting the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) established under the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. The key concerns included the commercialization of space and the risk of wealthy nations or corporations monopolizing resources.

The delegates concurred with the principle of preserving outer space for peaceful and cooperative purposes. They discussed new norms, greater transparency, and sustained diplomatic dialogue to prevent war and preserve space as a shared domain.

The committee promoted the equitable and peaceful use of space for all, as mandated by the Outer Space Treaty. The successful passage of the Draft Resolution stands as a testament to the spirit of cooperation, consensus-building, and responsibility demonstrated by all delegates.

-ASEES KAUR



ALL INDIA POLITICAL PARTIES MEET

Assessing the impact of social media regulations on freedom of speech in India.



Aditya Dubey
Deputy moderator

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-MANYA GAURI

Social media has transformed how people communicate worldwide, and India is no exception. These platforms provide individuals with a powerful tool to express their thoughts, share opinions, and engage in public discourse like never before.

The ministers discussed the intense conflict between the government's stated aim of regulating social media to curb misinformation, hate speech, and threats to national security, and the concern that these regulations are overly broad, leading to censorship, and potentially suppressing dissent and criticism of the government.

The conference proceeded further with discussions and negotiations wherein ministers debated solutions related to curbing unnecessary censorship actions, promoting the idea of free speech and debate as a crucial right of the citizens.

They collaborated, shared ideas, and worked towards drafting resolutions to arrive at a consensus on safeguarding the freedom of speech and expression for the citizens of the country, the appointment of an independent regulatory body, transparent rules and digital awareness.

-ASEES KAUR



THE SPOTLIGHT





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"Standing Strong, Standing United"



*“ Strive for full restoration, encourage one another,
be of one mind, live in peace ”*
-Corinthians 13:11



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