



## **Jain Heritage School hosts second edition of Model United Nations Conference**

The second edition of Jain Model United Nations Conference organized by Jain Heritage School concluded on August 20.

The 3-day event that kicked off on August 18, saw participation of as many as 272 delegates from schools across the city. The conference provided an exclusive opportunity for the students to gain knowledge of all critical issues plaguing the world at present.

Mr. Devid Keynan, Managing Partner at BDO-121 and Vice Chairman of the Technology Committee at the Israel-Asia Chamber of Commerce, was the chief guest at the event. He was welcomed by the School Director and Principal, Archana Vishwanath at the inaugural ceremony held on August 18. The chief guest hailed the initiative and instilled a sense of empowerment and confidence among the students.

The Director also welcomed all the delegates and said that the 'main objective of this conference has been to provide a platform to the young leaders to step up their responsibilities towards their nations and towards the world as a whole'.

Students from grade 6-10 simulated different general assembly committees and discussed extensively about various global issues at the JNMUN 2.0 conference. Delegates representing different countries deliberated on the controversial problems and alluded to innovative solutions that can bring significant changes in the society.

It was a unique scope for the students to don the roles of diplomats from across the globe and an amazing learning experience to enhance their leadership skills. The students through their discussion not only drew attention to some of the major global crisis but insinuated reforms that can bring solution.

Various simulated committees featured at the conference shed light on a range of areas like, security, terrorism, drugs, women empowerment etc. The conference also witnessed discussions on topics that took the world by storm in recent times, like the mobile phone game 'Pokemon Go' and sitcom 'House of Lords'. The conflation of such intriguing topics naturally led to series of engrossing and insightful discussions.

Aditya Muralishankar, the Secretary General of JNMUN 2.0, said, "It's about being diplomatic at the right moments and breaking out of those fearful shackles that bind most of us down."