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Sri Guru Nanak Dev Khalsa College hosted the 2nd edition of Model United Nations on 1st and 2nd November organized by their MUN Society 'Certatus'.

The conference officially started with the opening ceremony at 9 AM but for the Organizing committee the day started two hours earlier with the arrival of team workers to ensure that everything was in order and to prepare to greet the first delegates. The conference brought about 80 students. As students began trickling in they huddled nervously in small groups; unsure of their committees; anxiously twirling their pens and twiddling their thumbs and within no time they donned their professional coats and transformed into the delegates.

This Model UN had 4 committees-

- UNEP (with the agenda of discussing solutions for environmental challenges with emphasis on Amazon Forest Fire)
- UNHRC (with the agenda of discussion on Israeli Occupation)
- WHO (Agenda being the discussion on the strategies to improve the access to health care by marginalised communities)
- AIPPM (discussion about the abrogation of Article 370)
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The 2 days of the event were the days of intense activities and intellectual debates. The Drafting Resolutions were made by all the committees. UNEP's Drafting Resolution was even passed by the committee which is a rare sight in MUNs. The delegates showed a lot of enthusiasm. AIPPM as a whole was an energetic committee of delegates with strong opinions. UNHRC was a little less in number which is what made it difficult to go on with the debate but the delegates made it anyway, while WHO remained an interesting committee throughout. On the first day the students acquainted with each other, trying to create blocks and trying hard to make a mark in front of the Executive Board. The day had a fruitful discussion over the crises. The second day having been spent mostly discussing the DRs. The day was totally dedicated upon deciding the solutions measures.

The overall experience was enriching in terms of gaining knowledge. This conference teaches us the importance of coming together to achieve a solution to a global level agenda/problem keeping in mind the true spirit of Model UN.