# 1st INTRA MLU MODEL UNITED NATIONS, 2024



"From debate to dialogue, from words to actions."

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# **ABOUT US**

The **Madhusudan Law University** has been established on the birth anniversary of Madhusudan Das on **28th April, 2021**. The University started its official functioning with the vision of imparting justiceoriented legal education with rhythmic teaching, systematic training, and research, accompanied with specialized skill and knowledge.

The students of this institution are motivated to firstly be responsible citizens and then well-known jurists, academicians, lawyers, Judges, leaders, thinkers and politicians, who are not only sensitive about their own well-being but also about the society and community at large.

As Napoleon Hill says **"The way of success is the way of continuous pursuit of knowledge**" Our goal is to nurture students' ideas, interests, and potential by providing a conducive environment, fostering freedom of expression, and fostering a thirst for knowledge through motivated faculty and advanced facilities.

### 1st Intra MLU Model United Nations Conference, 2024

**Model United Nations** conferences are academic simulations of the United Nations where students play the role of delegates (Country representatives) which are assigned to them, and attempt to solve the pressing real-world issues with the policies and perspectives of their assigned country. The deliberations happen through multiple sessions and the solutions put forth by the delegates, which are then materialized into structured resolutions to be voted upon by the respective committee.

**1st MLU Intra Model United Nations (MMUN) 2024** is an intellectual two-day conference that brings together an amazing array of young minds from across the branches of this University as delegates to promote healthy discussion and debate on grave problems and obstacles concerning world affairs and provide approachable solution to the same and to have a meaningful deliberation in a high-intensity, professional environment.

### Why Model United Nations

- Trouble shooting through illustration
- Dynamic practice of International Affairs
- Student Receptivity
- Experiential learning
- Polishing orientation skills
- Value Added skills
- Diplomacy skills

#### **BLESSINGS FROM PATRONS**



Prof. (Dr.) Kamal Jeet Singh Vice Chancellor (Chief Patron)

#### Dear Esteemed Participants,

It is with immense pleasure that I welcome you to our prestigious law university for the inaugural Model United Nations (MUN).I truly think that knowledge is crucial for everyone. Knowledge is the most sacred thing there is. If one has knowledge, they can accomplish anything. And if someone has the ability to share their knowledge, they have the power to change this world into paradise. Our commitment to nurturing future legal minds is reflected in endeavors like these, where you will engage in thought-provoking debates and hone your negotiation skills. This MUN is a testament to our dedication to holistic legal education. I encourage you to embrace the spirit of diplomacy, foster meaningful connections, and make the most of this enriching experience.

I extend a warm welcome to all of you. This event shows our dedication to building a thriving academic community while also offering a forum for thoughtprovoking conversation. Take on the challenges, have a productive conversation, and take advantage of this chance to improve your advocacy abilities. We are committed to providing comprehensive legal education, and the Intra MUN is evidence of that. I strongly encourage you to take advantage of this valuable opportunity.



Smt.Nirupama Swain, OAS, (SAG) Registrar (Patron)



Dr. Soumitra Kumar Chaterjee Chairman PG Council , Dean & Controller of Examinations (Co-Patron)

I extend my sincere appreciation for the Model United Nations (MUN) conference, a forum that exemplifies the essence of academic rigor and intellectual engagement. The skills developed through MUN, including research, analysis, and effective communication, are parallel to the values we uphold in our examination processes. This conference not only offers a platform for diplomatic discourse but also aligns with our commitment to fostering well-rounded individuals. May this MUN experience contribute not only to your personal growth but also to the advancement of global understanding. Best wishes for a successful and enlightening conference.



Dr. Nidhi Chauhan Director Student's Welfare, Head of the Department BA.LL.B(H) (5 yr.) & Social Sciences (Convenor) I extend a hearty welcome to the inaugural Intra Model United Nations (MUN). This event marks a significant milestone in our commitment to nurturing not just legal scholars but adept diplomats. The Intra MUN is more than a simulation; it's a journey into the intricate realms of international affairs and legal diplomacy. To effect the change you wish to see in the world, you must speak up. It is our hope that this conference will encourage people to speak up against injustice and stand for what is right. We are all very excited to see the successful happening of this awaited conference. And I wish all the delegates, and we all will enjoy the MLUMUN experience to the fullest and will learn something extraordinary.

We take immense pride in fostering an environment that encourages intellectual exploration, critical thinking, and global awareness. MUN serves as a unique platform for our students to hone their diplomatic skills, engage in nuanced discussions, and gain a deeper understanding of international relations. Our university remains committed to nurturing a generation of forward-thinking individuals who are equipped to address the challenges of the global stage. The MUN experience aligns with our institution's dedication to academic excellence and the holistic development of our students. I encourage all delegates to embrace the opportunity to engage in meaningful discourse, forge connections, and contribute to the advancement of diplomatic dialogue. Best wishes for a fruitful and enriching MUN conference.



Mrs. Hiranmayee Mishra Head of the Department LL.M & LL.B (3 yr) (Co-Convenor)



Tejaswini Tripathy Secretary 9953049840

#### Best Wishes.

Our mission is to foster a platform where aspiring diplomats engage in informed discourse, developing crucial skills in diplomacy, negotiation, and global awareness. With a commitment to simulating the dynamics of the United Nations, we provide an immersive experience for delegates to tackle pressing international issues.Our conferences aim to cultivate a spirit of collaboration, critical thinking, and cultural understanding among participants.I am dedicated to ensuring the smooth operation of our MUN sessions, promoting an environment that encourages intellectual growth and camaraderie. Together, we aspire to empower the next generation of leaders who will navigate the complexities of global affairs with tact and diplomacy. Join us in the pursuit of meaningful dialogue and impactful resolutions.

## THE SECRETARIAT



Anindita Ray Secretary General 8598977512

Greetings to all of you, it gives me great pleasure to announce the commencement of this avant garde journey at the first-ever Madhusudan law University Model United Nations conference. Our collective commitment to open dialogue and constructive debate will undoubtedly pave the way for innovative solutions to the world's most pressing issues. May the success of this conference serve as evidence of the value of diplomacy and the ability of young people to effect positive change. I call on you to take advantage of the cooperative spirit, have productive conversations, and grasp the chance to establish enduring relationships. Together, let us lay the foundation for future leaders and a more harmonious world.

Best wishes for a successful and insightful conference.

Dear folks, We all come together for this conference, not to have an instant, radical impact on the world, but to develop an inquisitive character which will allow us to shape the future, to challenge authority, to make better societies, to foster a culture of sympathy and empathy, and most importantly, to be responsible citizens ourselves. The Model UN conference of Our university allow us to become aware of various global issues we might not have come across otherwise, and sensitizes us to the realities and problems faced by many around the world.



My message for you, the delegates, is simple: debate your hearts out. Do not shy away from expressing yourselves, because your opinion matters. Every voice counts.

Santanu Mohapatra Deputy Secretary General 8117856703



Prangya Paramita Jena Charge d'affaires 9776943893 Ladies and Gentlemen, it is with great pleasure and honor, I would like to invite you to the first Intra-MUN organised by the MUN society of our esteemed University. The committee has taken the challenge to organise the first conference upon their shoulder with optimism and to create and undeniable experience. We sincerely hope you will join us in this unique opportunity with fruitful discussions, disagreements, negotiations for each and every Council with utmost engagement. Looking forward to work in harmony to make this Model UN a success.



Paritosha Pratihari Director General 9337396463 In a conflict ridden world, where physical aggression has successfully failed all the times in expediting any viable solution, debate and deliberation seem to be instrumental in fostering a sustainable panacea for peace. Peace for a reason is not a choice but an ultimatum, such an ultimatum has to be enthroned a dominant desideratum if makind has to take the civilizational march forward.such spatiotemporal march of civilization can happen only with an inclusive participation of humanity. So who else than the vital force of humanity I.e. the youth?

A conference as this one aims to direct the youthful bright minds to foster peace through dialougue and deliberation, which seems to be the ultimate desideratum for a world to be united as a family.

"In the words of Albert Einstein, 'Peace cannot be kept by force; it can only be achieved by understanding.' As we navigate the complex landscape of humanity, war and peace echo through our collective consciousness. The Model United Nations (MUN) serves as a crucible for forging this understanding, empowering delegates to contemplate the world's challenges and cultivate solutions. At Madhusudan Law University's inaugural MUN, we beckon participants to delve into the depth of global issues, to ponder the intricacies of our shared existence. This platform is not merely an academic exercise but a call to action, inspiring each delegate to contribute their best. May your MUN experience be transformative, leading to enlightened perspectives and meaningful connections. Here's to a successful first MUN at Madhusudan Law University, where minds converge for a brighter future.



Eksha Sriya Deputy Director General 8249583664

#### THEME

Safeguarding Humanity: A Collective Pursuit of Refugee Protection and Global Peace.

The theme for the Model United Nations (MUN) conference revolves around the critical issues of protecting refugees and fostering global peace. In a world marked by conflicts, crises, and displacement, the international community must come together to address the challenges faced by refugees and work towards sustainable solutions that promote peace and security.

## COMMITTEES

**1. United Nations Human Rights Council** (UNHRC)

2. United Nations General Assembly -Disarmament and International Security Committee (UNGA-DISEC)

#### 1. UNITED NATIONS HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL

The United Nations Human Rights Council (UNHRC), established in 2006, is a crucial UN organ focusing on safeguarding human rights worldwide. With 47 member states, it conducts regular sessions and the Universal Periodic Review, investigating specific issues through special procedures. The UNHRC promotes dialogue, cooperation, and accountability to prevent and respond to human rights abuses, involving member states, NGOs, and independent experts. **AGENDA: Rights of refugees with respect to armed conflicts.** 

#### 2. UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY-DISARMAMENT & INTERNATIONAL SECURITY

The Disarmament and International Security Committee (DISEC), established in 1945, is a key UN committee focusing on global disarmament and security challenges. It addresses weapons of mass destruction, arms control, and conflict prevention. DISEC engages in negotiations, formulates resolutions, and explores strategies to enhance global peace and security, contributing significantly to UN disarmament efforts.

AGENDA: Non-proliferation and ban of nuclear weapons for military use.

### **THE EXECUTIVE BOARD**

#### **1. UNITED NATIONS HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL**





Sankalp Chauhan Chairperson Shreyas Puri Co-Chairperson

#### 2. UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY-DISARMAMENT & INTERNATIONAL SECURITY



Shreayansh Agrawal Chairperson



Mukunda ND Co-Chairperson

REGISTRATION PROCESS Interested students can register via the given link: https://forms.gle/ea ohkUyERPYN8Bdy8

DRESS CODE: MEN: WESTERN FORMALS (SPORTS SHOES NOT ALLOWED)

WOMEN: WESTERN FORMALS (SKIRTS NOT ALLOWED)

NOTE: Participants who wish to withdraw after registration shall inform the Secretary one week prior to the date of the event via email.



#### PRIZES AND HONORARIUMS

**BEST DELEGATE: One delegate per committee** 

HIGH COMMENDATION: One delegate per committee

**SPECIAL MENTION:** Two from each committee, i.e Male, Female

HONOURABLE MENTION: Two from each committee, i.e. Male, Female

## **MUN TEAM**

1.Mr. Vikram Srinivasan 2.Ms. Smrutipadma Mohanty 8917471970 3.Ms. Adyasha Behera 4.Mr. Bhanu Pratap Singh 5.Mrs. Adyasha Sahoo 6.Ms. Prajnashree Purohit 7.Ms. Ankita Sanganeria 8. Ms. Jogmaya Panda 9.Mr. Satyajit Patnaik

## **MUN STUDENT BODY**

Chirag Mishra
Somya Mallik
Aniket Patra
Medha Krishna Behera
Ananya Rath
Priyanshu Sahu
Anisha Mohanty
Aroop Kumar Deo
Ayush Nayak
Sushree Nibedita Dehury