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# IIST MODEL UNITED NATIONS



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30 January - 1 February 2026





# About IIST

Established in 2007 by the Department of Space, Government of India, with full support from the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO), IIST is India's premier institute dedicated to the study and advancement of space science and technology. It is the first Space Institute in the entirety of Asia, and a pioneering institute in fields related to Space Science and Technology.

IIST continues to rise as one of the country's leading institutes, guided by the vision and leadership of some of the most distinguished figures in India's space sector:

- Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam
- Dr. S. Somanath
- Dr. V. Narayanan
- Dr. B. N. Suresh
- Dr. S. Unnikrishnan Nair
- Dr. Dipankar Banerjee





# About IIST MUN

The IIST Model United Nations (IISTMUN) is a 3-day national-level conference that simulates the workings of the United Nations, offering students an immersive experience in diplomacy and global decision-making. As the 13th edition of this flagship event, it empowers participants with negotiation, public speaking, and critical thinking skills while engaging with real-world challenges. With its strong legacy of cultivating young leaders, IISTMUN 2026 is an excellent platform for showcasing your organization's commitment to youth development and global awareness.





# Letter From SECRETARIAT



**Suryadev Jalan**  
Secretary General, IISTMUN '26

The Secretariat is committed to ensuring a smooth and enriching experience for all school delegates. You will soon receive updates on allotments, study guides, schedules, and other essential details. We encourage you to prepare well, stay curious, and actively engage—your participation shapes the quality of debate at the conference.

We look forward to witnessing your enthusiasm and diplomacy at IIST MUN 2026.

Warm regards,  
The Secretariat  
IIST Model United Nations 2026

Dear Delegates,  
Greetings from the Secretariat of IIST  
MUN 2026.

We are delighted to welcome you to the 13th edition of the IIST Model United Nations, taking place from 30 January to 1 February 2026. Your registration marks the start of an exciting journey into diplomacy and global awareness, and we are honoured to have bright young school delegates join our community. IIST MUN has long been a platform that fosters curiosity, confident speaking, and collaborative problem-solving. As school delegates, you will engage with real-world issues, compete alongside top MUNers from schools and colleges, and experience the challenge and excitement of high-level debate.



**Avinash P**  
Deputy Secretary General, IISTMUN '26



# Introducing the Committees



## UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL - UNSC

**“If quick, I survive. If not quick, I am lost. This is death.”**

**-Sun Tzu**

Established as one of the most pivotal organs of the United Nations with the strongest implementation powers, UNSC can essentially be considered to be the backbone of the United Nations.

In this world plagued by war, the security council might be our last and only hope for survival.

So, what will you do? Will you watch the world burn, or put out the flames? Or would you rather ignite the flame that envelopes the world?



## UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY - UNGA

**“The United Nations is our one great hope for a peaceful and free world”**

**-Ralph Bunche, Nobel Peace prize Laureate**

Formed as the beating heart of global diplomacy, the UNGA stands as the most representative organ of the United Nations, where every nation has a voice and every voice has weight. In a world fractured by inequality, climate crisis, and ideological divides, the General Assembly remains our collective conscience — a forum not of force, but of will.

So, what will you say? Will you echo the silence of indifference, or raise your voice for change? Or will you craft the words that shape the world?

## INTERNATIONAL PRESS

**“The duty of the journalist is to tell the truth, even when it hurts.”**

**- Edward R. Murrow**

In the charged world of global diplomacy, the International Press stands as both witness and watchdog. Journalists shape perception, challenge power, and preserve truth — one headline at a time. Photojournalists capture the unscripted — tension, resolve, silence.

Together, they record not just what's said, but what's felt.

So — what will you report?

A story that moves the world, an image that halts it, or the truth diplomacy dares not speak?





# Introducing the Committees



## UNITED NATIONS COMMITTEE ON THE PEACEFUL USES OF OUTER SPACE - UNCOPUOS

**“Outer space must become an arena for international cooperation for global sustainable development, and not a theatre for an arms race.”**

**-Omran Sharaf, Chair of UNCOPOUS**

Born from the dream of a peaceful cosmos, UNCOPOUS is the United Nations' gateway to the stars — a forum where science meets diplomacy, and ambition is tempered by responsibility. In an age where satellites outnumber solutions and space is no longer silent, this committee asks: will we explore to unite, or compete to divide?

So, what will you launch? A mission of peace, or a race for power? Or will you chart a course that redefines humanity's place among the stars?



## GLOBAL PEACE SUMMIT - GPS

**FREEZE DATE: AUGUST 31<sup>ST</sup>, 1939**

**“Never think that war, no matter how necessary, nor how justified, is not a crime.”**

**-Ernest Hemmingway**

As the world teeters on the edge of catastrophe, the Global Peace Summit convenes in a final act of defiance — a gathering of leaders, thinkers, and dreamers who refuse to surrender to inevitability. August 31st, 1939 is not just a date; it is a question.

So, what will you choose? Will you sign the silence of war, or speak the language of peace? Or will you rewrite history before it's written in blood?



# School Round Registrations



School Round is a dedicated registration phase exclusively for school delegates and delegations, allowing them to secure their seats before the first round opens. It ensures organized group registration, smoother allotments, and provides students with a coordinated and assured start to their IIST MUN 2026 journey.

## Limited seats, Register Now!!

### Perks:

- Early registration before college delegations open
- Priority access to strong portfolio choices
- Compete alongside top national college MUN'ers
- Secure committee spots without last-minute rush
- Boost school delegation presence and visibility







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Dr. S. Unnikrishnan Nair  
EX-Director VSSC



# Past Highlights

12 editions  
of  
the IISTMUN



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Honoured to have served as the Secretary-General of IIST MUN 2025, 12th Edition. Grateful for the opportunity to interact with exceptional delegates and an inspiring Executive Board. The experience truly helped me grow as an organiser and a leader.

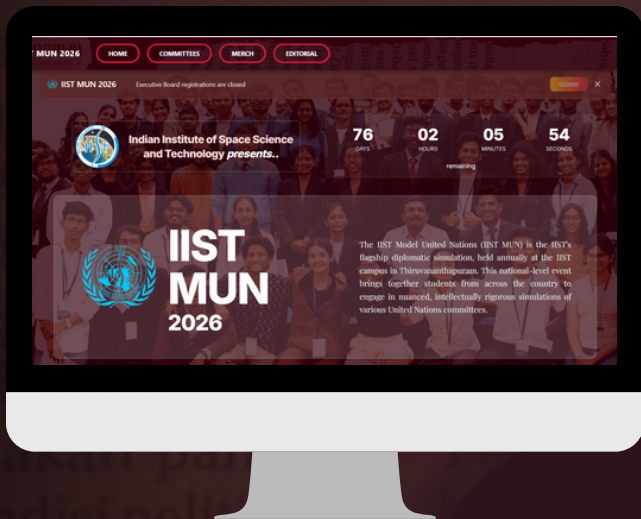
~ Lohitha Kruthika  
Secretary General  
IIST MUN'25







# Registrations Open



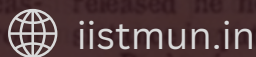
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