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PRESS RELEASE

The DMUN Foundation Organized the 3rd Session of the Model Parliament and 1st Session of the Model Congress

From 9 to 10 August 2025, the Division on Programs of the Secretariat of the DMUN Foundation organized the Joint Sitting of the Third Session of the Model Parliament and First Session of the Model Congress Program.

Held virtually, the Program welcomed over 1,000 young Members of the Foundation from over 82 states and territories. This was the largest session of any virtual Model Parliament simulation, creating a new world record.

The Third Session of the Model Parliament

The third Session of the Model Parliament continued the lineage of the Foundation's Model Parliament program, which was the world's first virtual Model Parliament Program organized by an NGO.

The legislative bodies simulated in the session included the Lok Sabha of India and the National Assembly of the Republic of Korea. In this program, participants represented individual legislators from such bodies, debating pressing local and national policy issues, drafting legislation, and engaging in plenary deliberations.

The program facilitated the experience of the role of government and opposition to young leaders, providing them with a deep understanding on the intricacies of national legislatures and the democratic manner of governance.

The First Session of the Model Congress

A new program instituted during the Executive Director's Program Reform Process of Late 2024, DMUN Model Congress consisted of simulations of the United States House of Representatives and Senate, which used to be individual segments of DMUN Model Parliament.

Participants assumed the roles of Senators, participating in legislative hearings, drafting bills, and debating major issues ranging from healthcare and civil rights to foreign policy and trade.



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The congressional format highlighted the checks and balances of bicameral legislative systems, offering delegates a chance to learn how representatives balance local constituencies with national priorities.

About the DMUN Foundation

The DMUN Foundation is an international non-governmental organization founded in 2021. With a broad individual and organizational membership that represents the interests of over 26,000 young people across 161 states and territories, the Foundation is the largest INGO dedicated for children and youth engagement in multilateral and intergovernmental bodies and processes.



IMG 1: Image of Participants in DMUN Model Parliament and Model Congress