## UPF India and IAPD Nepal: Interfaith Harmony Week Rallies, Dialogue and Forums

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The Universal Peace Federation (UPF) of India, in cooperation with the Peace Club of Mata Sundri College, held declaration rallies at various universities on February 6 to commemorate UN World Interfaith Harmony Week. The rally at Mata Sundri College was a great success with more than 100 participants, including students and dignitaries.

At Delhi University, 22 students from 12 colleges shared their views on interfaith harmony and the role of religion in world peace. Each participant presented unique perspectives through eloquent speeches based on deep understanding of the theme.



Krishna Adhikari, Secretary General of UPF India, introduced the activities of UPF India through a presentation on UPF's global interfaith activities, emphasizing that peace club activities are being conducted nationwide.

This was followed by a prize money and certificate award ceremony for the winners, and the event concluded with a vote of thanks hosted by Dr. Moitri Dey, who presided over the event. Through this event, a platform was created for young people to dialogue and understand on the theme of interfaith harmony, enabling a system of cooperation.

UPF Nepal, in co-hosting with the Interreligious Association for Peace and Development (IAPD), held an interfaith breakfast meeting in Kathmandu on February 9 to commemorate UN World Interfaith Harmony Week. Twenty-four prominent religious leaders and representatives of various religious organizations attended the event, which was conducted as a special program for peace and development. They expressed their commitment to join efforts to promote world peace through interfaith harmony and mutual understanding.

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