

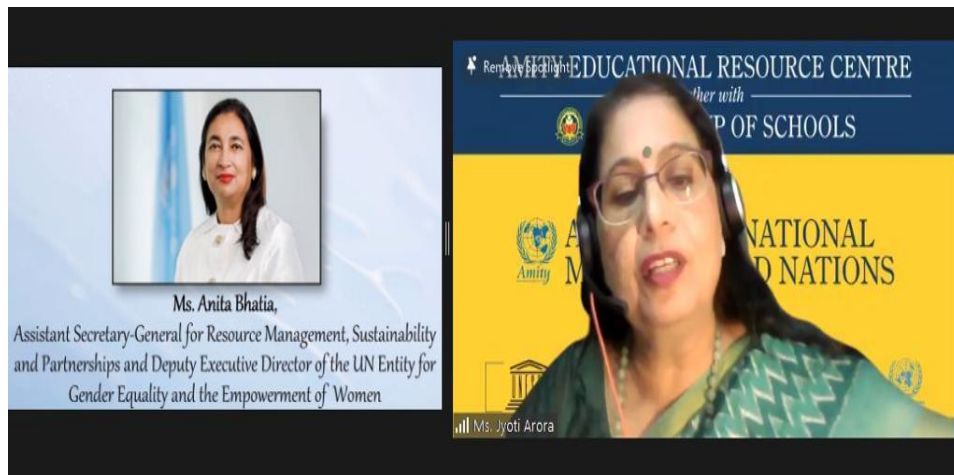


## E-AMITY INTERNATIONAL MODEL UNITED NATIONS INTERACTIVE SESSION WITH MS ANITA BHATIA

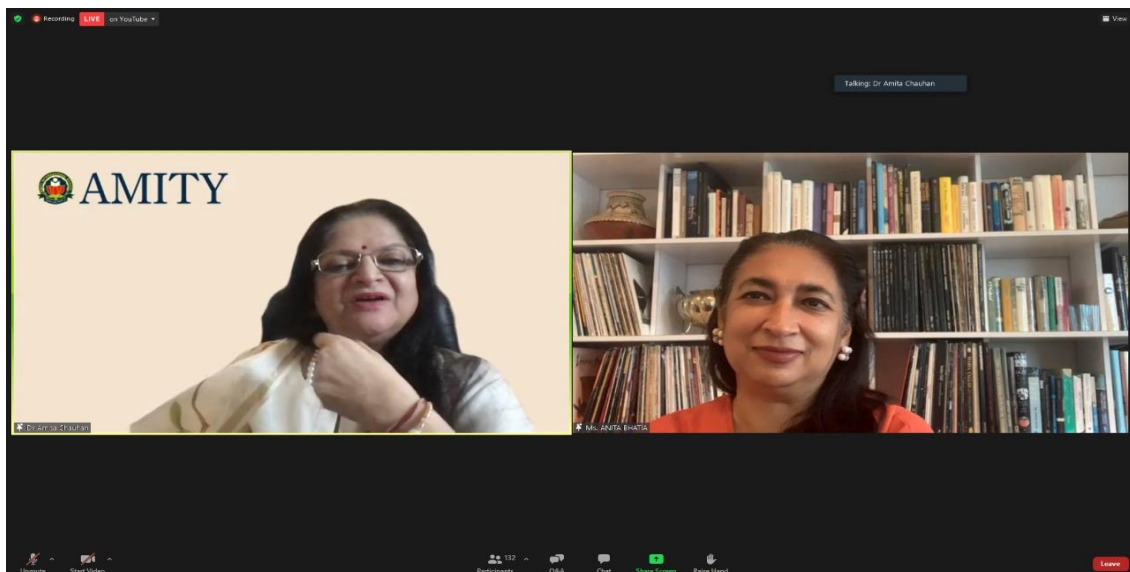
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On the 7<sup>th</sup> of October 2021, the delegates of e-AIMUN got a rare opportunity to interact with **Ms. Anita Bhatia**, Assistant Secretary General and Deputy Executive Director at UN Women.

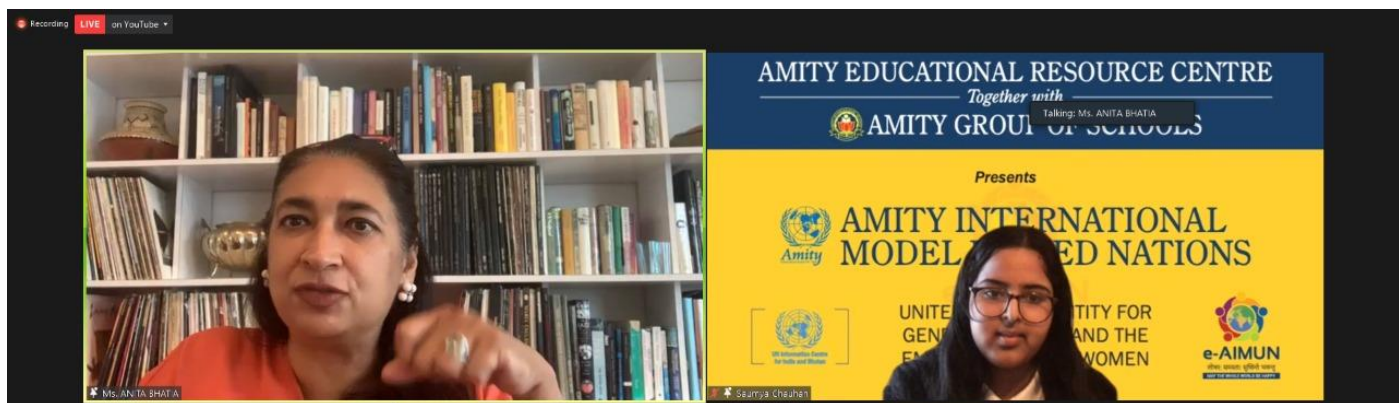
**Mrs Jyoti Arora**, Charge d' Affairs AIMUN and Director, AERC introduced Ms Anita Bhatia.



**Dr (Mrs) Amita Chauhan**, Chairperson, Amity Group of Schools & RBEF, welcomed Ms. Anita Bhatia with a Tulsi plant.



UN Women was a special committee introduced in e-AIMUN this year. The entire program was compered and moderated by Ms. Saumya Chauhan, co-director UN Women.



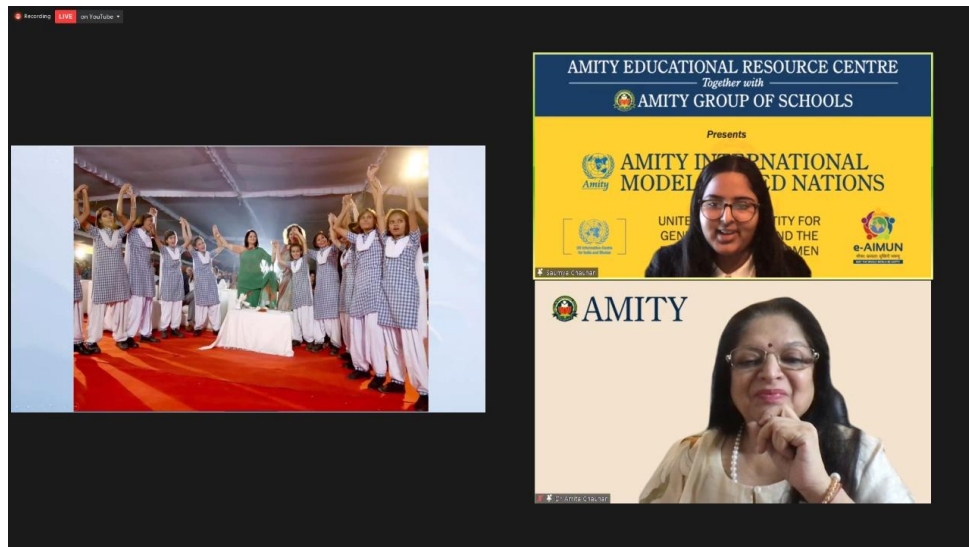
The delegates were given an opportunity to interact with Ms. Anita Bhatia. She addressed issues like menace of sexual harassment, domestic violence and gender discrimination. Issues like STEM Education, its challenges, raising awareness among women for Sciences' jobs, women's rights and their financial independence were also addressed. Upon having asked, she also talked about the challenges faced while dealing with various organisation for helping women, especially in conflict zones like Afghanistan. She pointed out that it is the youth that will bring about change for the betterment of women and their growth and development. Ma'am also spoke about the steps that were taken by UN Women to keep women's needs and voices at the centre of COVID-19 response. Upon having asked, she also addressed the most important factors in facilitating financial independence for women in a male dominant economic global market.



Ms. Anita Bhatia enlightened and encouraged the delegates to create practical solutions in order to achieve gender equity in various fields, especially Science.



**Amitasha** was showcased in this program and Chairperson ma'am herself introduced this philanthropic endeavor for the less privileged girl child. She highlighted the need for equal opportunities for all irrespective of their social or economic background. She also emphasized on how these opportunities bring about confidence, empowerment and enrichment to these girls who are exceptionally brilliant.



All the delegates got an opportunity to interact live with a distinguished and successful woman like Ms. Anita Bhatia, all thanks to Chairperson ma'am's initiative and vision. It was an informative and very insightful session planned by AERC and Amity International School, Pushp Vihar.