



Think Collectively, Achieve Valiantly

The second World Hindu Congress was held in Chicago, USA from Friday 7th to Sunday 9th September 2018. Attended by over 2500 delegates from 60 countries, it aimed to unite Hindus from across the world to enable methodical and collective work towards a shared goal of ensuring the welfare of all humanity.

The WHC was graced by a number of eminent speakers, including the 14th Param Pawan Dalai Lama, who spoke about the dynamic capacity of Hindu dharma in solving modern problems through practices such as meditation, and Swami Swaroopananda ji, the worldwide head of the Chinmaya Mission. Prominent world leaders were also present, with NHSF (UK) National President Drishti invited to meet the Vice President of India, M Venkaiah Naidu, who gave the conference's closing address. NHSF (UK) National Committee members also met the Vice President of Suriname, Ashwin Adhin.

NHSF (UK) was represented by 11 delegates from across the country in the Hindu Youth Conference. NHSF (UK) National President Drishti was a panellist in the conference's first session on Strengthening Hindu Identity, addressing over 200 delegates on how we might strive to change the narrative of our identity to bring it closer to the rich inner reality we experience. The Youth Conference also discussed thought leadership through sharing knowledge, the economy, proactive engagement in media and politics, and human rights, aiming to build networks for global change in these fields. Through involvement in the Hindu Students & Youth Network, the Young Hindu Business Network and other initiatives, NHSF (UK) hopes to continue to support university students through the challenges they face.

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NHSF (UK) National President Drishti (third from left) was invited to meet the Vice-President of India, M Venkaiah Naidu (centre, sitting)



Members of NHSF (UK) met Ashwin Adhin, the Vice-President of Suriname (third from left)