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Riverview Students Win Awards at Johns Hopkins Model UN Conference!

Congratulations to the Riverview Model UN team who competed at the 21st annual Johns Hopkins University Model United Nations Conference this month. The team of Emily Pietragallo, Nick McShea, Ben Brumbaugh, Jack Harden, Jake Shoop, Forrest Steele, Jake Glaser, Marina Pietz and Sydney Reyes competed against 1,800 students representing schools from as far away as the Peoples' Republic of China. The students were immersed into simulations debating the War of the Roses, the Post-WWII world, the Gilded Age and more. The team wrapped up its winter season with two award winners at the conference.

Marina Pietz won a First Place Best Delegate Award as Peter Bashir Gbandi (Director of Parliamentary Affairs) in the Transitional Government of South Sudan Committee

Sydney Reyes won a Third Place Honorable Delegate Award as John Neville, First Marquess of Montague, in the Joint Crisis: War of the Roses - House of York Committee

This conference brings to a conclusion the winter season for the Model UN team. Thus far in the 2017-18 School Year the team has won 17 awards. The Spring Season (and final 3 conferences) will begin in March.

