**What is the diff between Hibernate & JPA Hibernate?**

PA 2 is a specification and Hibernate is a tool for ORM. Also, I understand that Hibernate has more features than JPA 2.

JPA is a persistence standard, which can implemented with Hibernate, but there are other implementations/providers available (TopLink/EclipseLink, OpenJPA, etc...).

You should be able to switch providers without having to change your code.

JPA and Hibernate is analogous to Interface and Implementation. JPA is the interface and Hibernate is is the implementation of the interface.