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THE ROLE OF
INTERNATIONAL
ORGANIZATIONS
IN THE NEW
GLOBAL ERA**

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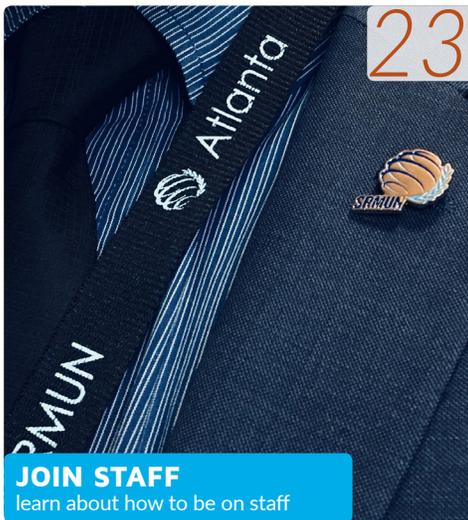
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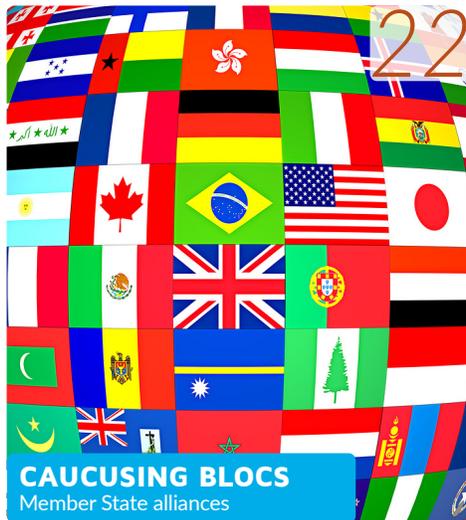
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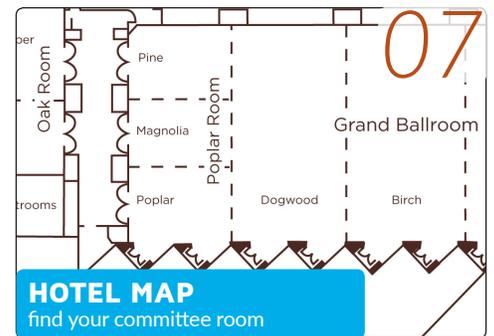
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Executive Staff

Secretary-General
Desiree Kennedy

Director-General
Zachary Grieger

Deputy Director-General
Keith Brannum

Under Secretary-General
Kayla Bello

THURSDAY, MARCH 28TH

12:00p - 4:00p Registration

1:00p - 3:45p Delegate Preparation Seminars:
 >> 1:00p - 1:45p *Delegate Preparation/ Q&A*
 >> 2:00p - 2:45p *Rules of Procedure*
 >> 3:00p - 3:45p *Resolution Writing at SRMUN*
 >> 3:00p - 3:45p *Information Session for Security Council*

5:00p - 6:00p Opening Ceremonies

6:00p - 7:30p Faculty Reception

6:45p - 10:00p Conference Services

7:00p - 10:00p Committee Session 1 - Groups A & B

10:00p Chair & Rapporteur Selection

10:15p Head Delegates' Meeting

FRIDAY, MARCH 29TH

7:00a - 8:30a Chair & Rapporteur Training

8:15a - 10:30p Conference Services

2:00p - 4:00p Faculty Roundtable Sessions:
 >> 2:00p - 3:00p *Using Simulations and Games to Teach I.R.*
 >> 3:00p - 4:00p *Teaching Model United Nations*

10:45p Head Delegates' Meeting

GROUP A

8:30a - 12:00p Committee Session 2

12:00p - 1:30p Lunch Break

1:30p - 5:00p Committee Session 3

5:00p - 7:00p Dinner Break

7:00p - 10:00p Committee Session 4

GROUP B

9:00a - 12:30p Committee Session 2

12:30p - 2:00p Lunch Break

2:00p - 5:00p Committee Session 3

5:00p - 7:00p Dinner Break

7:00p - 10:30p Committee Session 4

SATURDAY, MARCH 30TH

8:15a - 4:30p Conference Services

10:00a - 11:00a Faculty Meeting

5:30p - 6:30p Closing Ceremonies

GROUP A

9:00a - 12:00p Committee Session 5

12:00p - 1:30p Lunch Break

1:30p - 5:00p Committee Session 6

GROUP B

8:30a - 11:30a Committee Session 5

11:30a - 1:00p Lunch Break

1:00p - 4:30p Committee Session 6

COMMITTEE GROUP ASSIGNMENTS

GROUP A

General Assembly Plenary (GA Plen)

Commission on the Status of Women (CSW)

Organization of American States (OAS)

Security Council (SC)

GROUP B

General Assembly First (DISEC)

Group of 77 (G-77)

Human Rights Council (HRC)

WELCOME

FROM THE SRMUN SECRETARY-GENERAL

Desiree Kennedy
SRMUN Secretary-General

Distinguished Delegates and Esteemed Advisors,

It is with great pleasure that I welcome you to the Queen City of Charlotte, North Carolina for SRMUN Charlotte 2019.

Now in its seventh year, SRMUN Charlotte is one of the most recognized Model United Nations conferences held in the United States and it is my absolute privilege to serve as your Secretary-General. I have been involved with SRMUN Charlotte since its start and I am thrilled to see the growth it has undergone, including reaching 500 delegates at this year's conference. By asking our delegates to present creative and sophisticated solutions to complex global issues, we encourage a mature environment for debate that teaches future leaders not to shy away from a challenge.

Throughout the weekend, you will engage in conversations and present ideas to solve some of the world's most pressing problems. This meaningful dialogue encourages you to continue to think about ways to address these problems beyond committee sessions and take your innovative creativity to the global stage – to consider how

you can create real-world solutions for problems such as war, poverty, displacement, and lack of resources.

The Charter of the United Nations calls for all people of the world to affirm the "dignity and worth of the human person," no matter their ethnic or geographic location. The international community is instructed to take all actions to prevent war and encourage international and social development.

Yet still, many of the problems that created cause for the United Nations in 1945 persist today. Instances involving acute poverty, state-wide corruption, human rights abuses, and genocide continue to be prevalent in our world.

Further complicating the role of the international community, the world is a far different place than it was 73 years ago, and the challenges encountered today are intricate and complex. International organizations are confronted by new, unprecedented problems and forced to either create unique solutions or permit loss and suffering.

Faced with a global realm that is chaotic and ever changing, this year

at SRMUN Charlotte, you will be encouraged to focus on implementing adaptive strategies that help to inspire positive change and development in our unpredictable world. We are at a unique place in global history, and we need unique solutions to both conventional and unconventional problems.

Thus, the theme of SRMUN Charlotte 2019, *Redefining the Role of International Organizations in the New Global Era*, is designed to challenge delegates to think outside of the box.

I hope that you will find the three days at SRMUN Charlotte filled with impactful experiences and refreshing debate of perspectives from around the globe. I cannot wait to see the incredible things you will accomplish in such a short period of time.

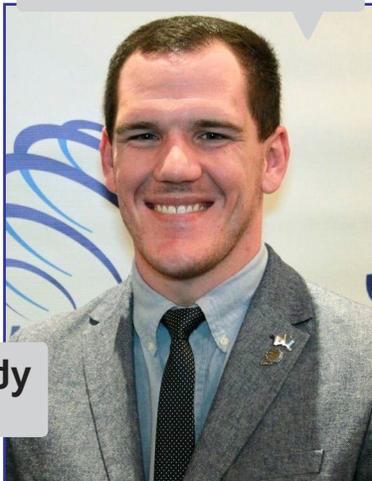
Thank you for your support of our mission to provide a unique and successful experience for all who attend.

Sincerely,
Desiree Kennedy
Secretary-General
SRMUN Charlotte 2019

Meet the Executive Staff



Zachary Grieger
Director-General



Keith Brannum
Deputy Director-General

Kayla Bello
Under Secretary-General





KEYNOTE SPEAKER:

Peter Yeo President, Better World Campaign

As President of the Better World Campaign, Peter Yeo leads the Campaign's strategic engagement with Congress and the Administration to promote a strong U.S.-UN relationship. Under Yeo's leadership, the Better World Campaign has helped ensure multibillion dollar payments from the U.S. government to the UN. Yeo also serves as the Senior Vice President at the United Nations Foundation.

Yeo joined the Better World Campaign in 2009 with over twenty years of legislative, analytical, and management experience, including senior roles on Capitol Hill and in the State Department. Prior to arriving at UNF, Yeo served for ten years as the Deputy Staff Director at the House Foreign Affairs Committee chaired by Rep. Tom Lantos (D-CA) and Rep. Howard

Berman (D-CA). He has worked on a broad range of foreign policy and foreign aid issues. On behalf of the House Foreign Affairs Committee Democrats, he led the successful negotiations for the landmark HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria Act of 2003, commonly known as PEPFAR, as well as the successful \$50 billion reauthorization of the law in 2008.

He also shepherded into law several measures dealing with China, Tibet, Burma, and East Timor. Prior to his work with the Committee, he served as a Deputy Assistant Secretary at the U.S. State Department during the second Clinton Administration, where he led the negotiations around repayment of the U.S. arrears to the United Nations and was part of the U.S. delegation to the climate negotiations in Kyoto. Yeo holds



a BA in East Asian Studies from Wesleyan University as well as a MA in East Asian Studies from Harvard University. He is also a member of the Council on Foreign Relations, a leading independent nonpartisan foreign policy think tank, and a Board Member of the U.S. Global Leadership Coalition.

FACULTY RECEPTION

Thursday, March 28TH, 6:00pm – 7:30pm

Immediately following opening ceremonies, all faculty members are invited to an appreciation reception held by the SRMUN Board of Directors. Faculty members will also have the opportunity to meet Board Members and the SRMUN Charlotte Executive Staff. The event will be held at Vida Mexican Kitchen, located in the EpiCentre.

Directions: Advisers may take the escalators down from the grand ballroom foyer and make a left towards the Skybridge, which connects the hotel directly with the EpiCentre. Once over the bridge, take the stairs on the left down to the street level and go to the corner of E. Trade St and S College St. Take an immediate right on E. Trade St. and head up the stairway to Vida Mexican Kitchen. Once inside, take the steps to the second floor where the reception will be held.

The History of:

Southern Regional Model United Nations

Inaugurated in 1990 in Greenville, SC with the intention of being an exemplary learning experience for undergraduate college students pursuing issues of international concern.

The first conference attracted delegations from 10 schools and a total of about 100 student participants. SRMUN's first Secretary-General, Julie Pauling, was instrumental in organizing the conference. As a student member of the Board of Directors of the National Model United Nations (NMUN) organization during 1990 - 1992, she was convinced that establishing a regional "spin-off" would achieve two useful goals: first, schools that sent delegations to the spring NMUN conference would be able to gain some experience at a fall conference that would be smaller and less overwhelming to newer participants and, second, schools in the southeastern part of the country financially unable to send delegations to NMUN would still have an opportunity to benefit from a Model United Nations experience.

The conference site was moved to Atlanta in 1991 in order to have a location that was more central and an area that was more attractive to interested schools. The tactic worked successfully in very little time. Around 20 schools and 250 students participated in the second annual conference. Conference participation over the next several years gradually increased to over 400. As SRMUN entered its second decade of activity in 2000, delegate numbers exceeded 500 participants from approximately three dozen campuses. Most of the schools involved in SRMUN are located in the southeastern United States, but several institutions from outside the region also furnish delegations. It is particularly gratifying to observe the same schools returning year after year. In addition, each conference sees delegations appear from schools sending students for the first time. A significant number of schools are also able to provide more than one delegation.

During its early years (1990 - 1993) the administration of the SRMUN conference was the responsibility of NMUN's Board of Directors. The NMUN Board was generous with its financial support to get SRMUN off the ground. It did not have its own independent Board until 1993. In addition, NMUN advanced the funding to SRMUN that was required

to establish the conference in the amount of a \$10,000 loan. The rapid growth of the newly created conference enabled SRMUN to pay off the loan by 1995. By that time, SRMUN's independent Board of Directors was fully established and became the ultimate authority for the conference's professionalism. SRMUN at this point became a fully sovereign conference independent of and separate from NMUN and equipped with its own governing structure.

The structure of SRMUN over the years has revealed remarkable resiliency in terms of how it dealt with what could only be referred to as growing pains. Atlanta was universally accepted as a natural physical location for the conference. It did become necessary to change hotel conference sites on a few occasions. However, as the conference grew in the number of attendees, first tier hotels developed substantial interest in hosting the event. From its inception, SRMUN has been held during the last half of November, normally the week before the Thanksgiving holiday. This schedule enables delegates the greater part of the fall semester to prepare for the conference and also allow them to enjoy a brief recess before the final examination season commences. The conference itself traditionally runs from late Thursday afternoon to Saturday evening.

Seven years ago, SRMUN attendees made it clear that a real need for a Spring conference was evident. After researching possible locations in the southeast, the Board of Directors voted to host the first annual SRMUN Spring conference in Charlotte, North Carolina which was held in April 2013. SRMUN is a successful conference because of the loyalty and professionalism of its staff, delegates, faculty advisors, and supporters. There is no doubt that the original intention of the founders to make SRMUN a memorable learning experience has been and continues to be fulfilled. The participants are always eager, energetic, and devoted to their task.



COMMITTEES AND TOPICS

GENERAL ASSEMBLY PLENARY (GA PLEN)

- I. Challenges of Eliminating Forced Labor
- II. Improving Access to Quality Healthcare for Children

GENERAL ASSEMBLY FIRST (DISEC)

- I. Utilizing Advancements in Technology to Improve Global Security
- II. Preventing Violent Extremism by Non-State Actors

GROUP OF 77 (G-77)

- I. Combating Poverty in Developing Member States through Agricultural Development
- II. Improving Inter-State Conflict Prevention Strategies

HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL (HRC)

- I. Responding to Violence and Discrimination Against the LGBTI Community
- II. Enhancing Inclusion and Integration of Migrant Workers in Host Countries

COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN (CSW)

- I. Ensuring Access to Environmentally Sustainable Technology for Women in Rural and Low-Income Areas
- II. Establishing Measures of Transitional Justice for Women

ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES (OAS) *

- I. Promoting Sustainable Cities and Communities
- II. Eliminating Corruption in Political Institutions

SECURITY COUNCIL (SC)*

- I. Open Agenda and Crisis Simulation

* Annotates a Single-delegate Committee

DELEGATE PREP SEMINARS

Join your SRMUN Charlotte Directors as they lead informational seminars for delegates prior to opening ceremonies. Western Business Attire is not required.

Delegate Preparation Seminars

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| <i>Delegate Preparation/ Q&A</i> | Birch/ Dogwood | 1:00p - 1:45p |
| <i>Rules of Procedure</i> | Birch/ Dogwood | 2:00p - 2:45p |
| <i>Resolution Writing at SRMUN</i> | Birch/ Dogwood | 3:00p - 3:45p |
| <i>Information Session for Security Council</i> | Pomodoro - Salon B | 3:00p - 3:45p |

FACULTY ROUNDTABLE SESSIONS

Faculty Advisors are invited to participate in roundtable sessions starting on Friday at 2:00pm.

Faculty Roundtable Sessions

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| <i>Using Simulations and Games to Teach I.R.</i> | Poplar Room | 2:00p - 3:00p |
| <i>Teaching Model United Nations</i> | Poplar Room | 3:00p - 4:00p |

DELEGATE FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q: Can I use my laptop during speeches?

A: Sorry delegate, laptops are not allowed to be used during any part of formal debate which includes, but is not limited to, speeches, motions, announcements, voting, and roll calls.

Q: Since you did not mention tablets, does that mean I can use those during formal debate?

A: Nope, those are not allowed either, but good job paying attention. While we are on the subject, let us just clarify that no electronic devices are allowed during formal debate, including cell phones.

Q: Any advice on where I can find information on a specific issue? I just heard something called sovereignty and I am totes lost.

A: You totes have two options available. The first is home government where faculty advisors of attending college/universities are great resources that will answer questions to all delegates. The second is Conference Services where you can research on the computers for free.

Q: It is really cold in this room, but I was told I cannot make a point of personal privilege to the chair in order to change that. What would be the best way to address it?

A: The way to address any items that involve temperatures, water, other delegate behavior, general questions, etc. is to either (1) send a note to the Dais or (2) approach the Director during a suspension of the meeting. This will ensure that your questions or concerns are addressed and answered quickly without distracting the entire body.

Q: I hear SRMUN delegates have every room in the hotel booked so it's totally cool to be loud in the hallways and our rooms late at night.

A: Not cool delegate! Even though SRMUN is the largest event in the hotel this weekend, there are still many guests in the hotel who are not a part of the conference. This (totally gorgeous and amazing) hotel is located in a prime spot in Charlotte. It is completely booked, but not just with SRMUN, as there are many other professionals staying here who have early workdays. We understand you will still have energy after committee hours and will want to caucus or continue working, but let's respect the guests who aren't cool enough to be at SRMUN. The lobby is the perfect area for you to use, and is available to us for use all weekend! The same policies are in place for those delegates staying at our amazing overflow hotel, the Courtyard Marriott.

Q: I am a double delegation. Do we both have to be present during formal debate?

A: No, but at least one delegate from your delegation should be present during formal debate. You don't want to miss anything important!

Q: Can we leave our laptop and garbage in the conference rooms between sessions?

A: NO, do not leave your valuables in the committee room during breaks. SRMUN and the hotel are not responsible for any lost or stolen goods. Also, please be cordial to the hotel staff by cleaning up after yourself. They will be extremely appreciative.

Q: Why can't we have Wi-Fi in every square foot of the hotel?

A: Unfortunately, due to the enormous cost, Wi-Fi in the conference rooms is not available. Meanwhile, there is free Wi-Fi in the lobby area and in the guest rooms when you sign up for the Omni Guest Rewards program, which is free.

Q: I have been in committee all day but am on a roll on my working paper. Where can I grab a quick bite to eat and get right back to work?

A: SRMUN knows a fed delegate is a happy delegate. This is why we want our delegates to be fully nourished during and out of committee sessions. This is one of the main reasons we selected the Omni for our official home in Charlotte. Located down the escalators in the Overstreet Mall and across the skywalk in the EpiCentre are numerous inexpensive eateries which work for a student budget. If you look at page 7 of your Delegate Resource Guide, you will find the hotel map. Locate the escalators to the Overstreet Mall and head down them. In this area you will find a Starbucks, Walgreens, Dunkin Donuts, a juice bar and some other tasty options. Also, in this same area you will find the sky walk that leads you to the EpiCentre where you will find numerous other local food options. Now get some food and get back to your working papers.

Q: Whoa...where is the SRMUN Delegate Social, why aren't we having one?

A: With the prime uptown location of the Omni Hotel we wanted to give delegates the chance to explore the city and choose a place of their own to dance the night away. If you are lucky, you may even see some familiar staff faces out around town!

Q: Where can I get one of those awesome t-shirts that I see staff wearing?

A: Did you see that we also have SRMUN Lanyards, Pins, and for the first time ever...SRMUN SOCKS available?! Come to Conference Services before they run out. We accept all forms of payment!

Q: I'm a graduating senior and this is my last SRMUN. I am absolutely heartbroken, but hear that being on staff is the best opportunity EVER! How do I get involved?

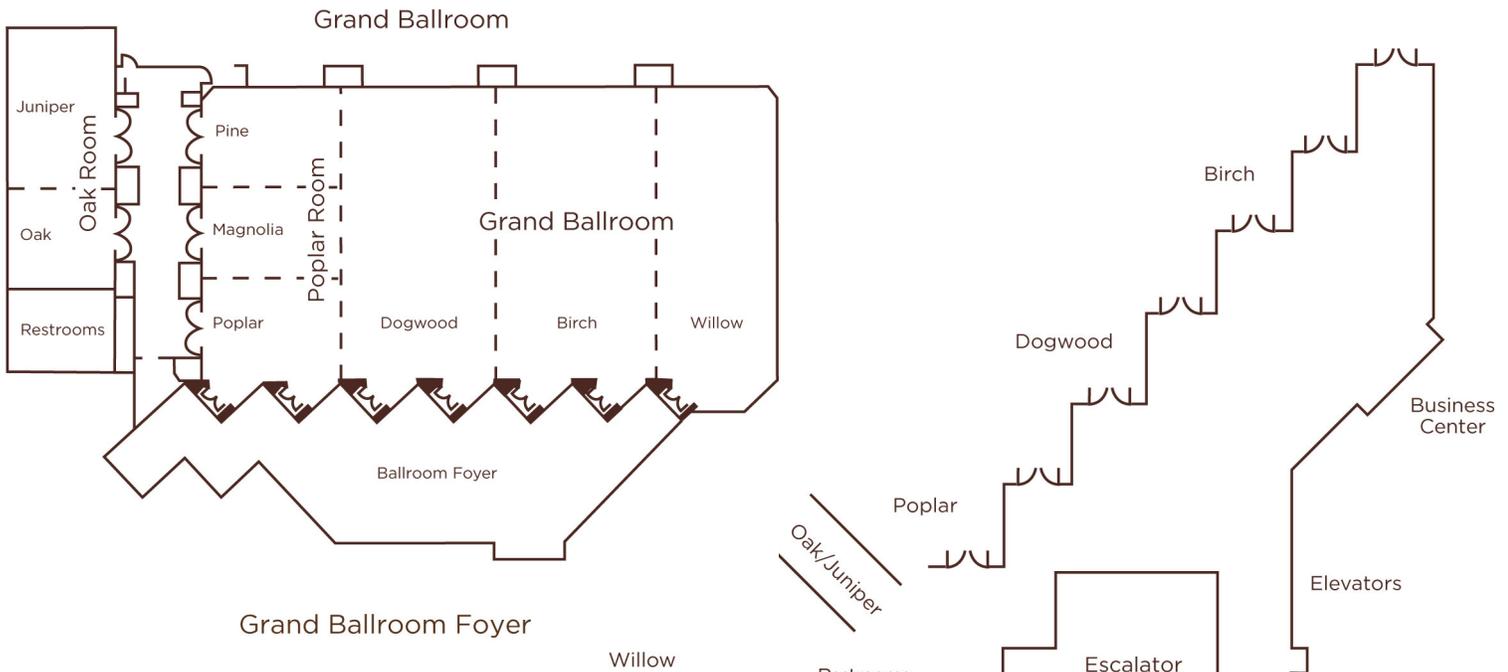
A: Great question, delegate! Announcements will be made throughout the conference on where to hand in applications. Applications will be available at your Dais' table. In addition, the application can be filled out online - check it out on our webpage! We encourage you to ask staff members about their experience, we guarantee it will change your life!

Q: I cannot wait to be a SRMUN delegate again, but I don't want to wait an entire year - what can I do?

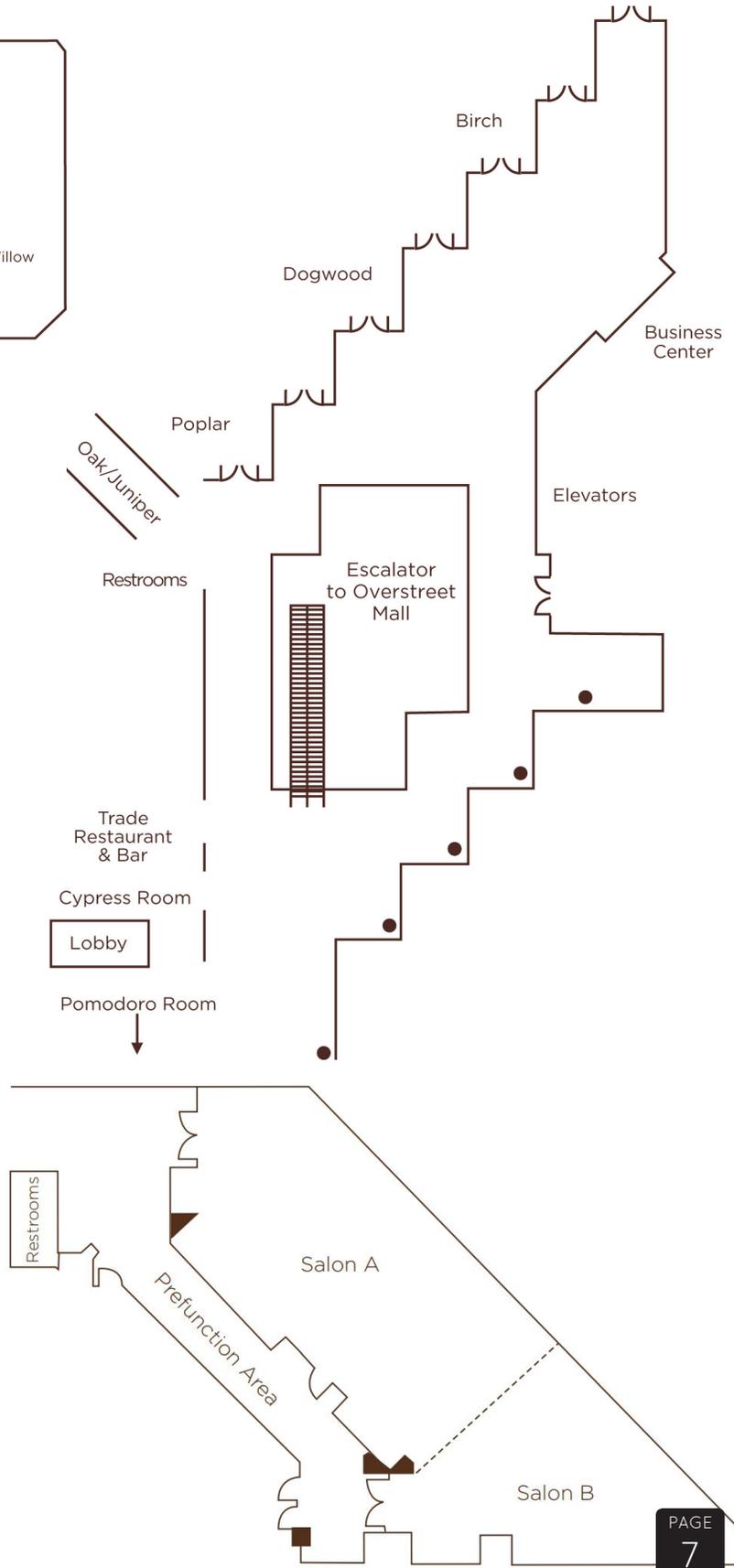
A: Easy Answer! Register today for SRMUN Atlanta 2019 at the Sheraton Atlanta Hotel located in downtown Atlanta. Registration is now open! Feel free to use Conference Services to register! Also, mark your calendars for the opening of SRMUN Charlotte 2020 registration which will be September 15th.



COMMITTEE ROOMS & HOTEL MAP



| COMMITTEE | ROOM |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------|
| General Assembly Plenary (GA Plen) | Birch |
| General Assembly First (DISEC) | Dogwood |
| Group of 77 (G-77) | Willow |
| Comission on Status of Women (CSW) | Pine/Magnolia |
| Human Rights Council (HRC) | Pomodoro - Salon A |
| Organization of American States (OAS) | Oak |
| Security Council (SC) | Pomodoro - Salon B |
| Delegate Caucusing Area | Cypress |
| Conference Services | Juniper |
| Opening/Closing Ceremonies | Grand Ballroom |
| Delegate Prep Sessions | See Page 5 |
| Faculty Reception | See Page 3 |
| Head Delegates' Meeting | Birch |
| Chair/Rapp Selection | Cypress |
| Chair/Rapp Training | Pomodoro - Salon A |
| Faculty Meetings | Poplar |
| Home Government | Ballroom Foyer |



SRMUN SECRETARIAT

EXECUTIVE STAFF

Desiree Kennedy Secretary-General
Zachary Grieger Director-General
Keith Brannum Deputy Director-General
Kayla Bello Under Secretary-General

STAFF

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| General Assembly Plenary | Director | Vanessa DuBoulay |
| | Assistant Director | Cecilie Barmoen |
| | Assistant Director | Nina Matkava |
| General Assembly First | Director | Maureen Johnston |
| | Assistant Director | LeAnna Christensen |
| | Assistant Director | Hayden Venable |
| Group of 77 | Director | Prix Berry |
| | Assistant Director | Yara Al Bayyari |
| Human Rights Council | Director | Nicole Calcagno |
| | Assistant Director | Ashleigh Titre-Barnor |
| Commission on the Status of Women | Director | Ann Cox |
| | Assistant Director | Desmond Woods |
| Organization of American States | Director | Helen Smith |
| | Assistant Director | Alyssa Jaime |
| Security Council | Director | Lindsay Pendleton |
| | Assistant Director | Makayla McDermott |
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SRMUN Charlotte is sponsored by an educational not-for-profit corporation, the Southern Regional Model United Nations, Inc. The Board of Directors for SRMUN, Inc. is comprised of a seven-member panel (four student elected members and three faculty advisors) who are responsible for the overall state of the conference from year to year. Board members are responsible for meeting two or more times a year to conduct conference business. The Board has one-year and two-year student positions that are elected by the head delegates at the Fall Atlanta Conference and the Spring Charlotte Conference. Any person who has attended SRMUN for a minimum of two years is eligible to run for a student Board position.

There are three faculty positions with staggered two-year terms. The faculty members attending SRMUN elect faculty positions during their meetings at the two conferences. The faculty member should be a person planning to attend the SRMUN conferences during the next two years.

Each year, the Board will appoint people to Ex-Officio positions that serve in an advisory capacity without voting powers. Finally, the Executive Director is hired to manage daily corporate affairs and holds no voting rights for SRMUN.

MEMBER STATE ASSIGNMENTS

MEMBER STATE SCHOOL

| | |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| Afghanistan | Gulf Coast State College |
| Argentina | East Tennessee State University |
| Azerbaijan | Monmouth University |
| Belgium | University of North Carolina at Greensboro |
| Bolivia | Mars Hill University |
| Bosnia & Herzegovina | University of North Carolina at Charlotte |
| Brazil | Santa Fe College |
| Canada | Mars Hill University |
| Chile | Guilford Technical Community College |
| China | Flagler College |
| Colombia | Milligan College |
| Costa Rica | Texas State University |
| Cote d'Ivoire | University of North Carolina at Greensboro |
| Croatia | Bridgewater College |
| Czech Republic | Nova Southeastern University |
| Democratic People's Republic of Korea | University at Albany |
| Democratic Republic of the Congo | Kennesaw State University |
| Dominican Republic | Auburn University |
| Ecuador | Western Carolina University |
| Egypt | West Liberty University |

MEMBER STATE SCHOOL

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|-------------------|--|
| El Salvador | Texas State University |
| Equatorial Guinea | East Carolina University |
| Ethiopia | College of Charleston |
| Finland | Flagler College |
| France | Santa Fe College |
| Greece | Broward College |
| Honduras | Texas State University |
| India | University of Tennessee at Martin |
| Indonesia | Kennesaw State University |
| Iran | University of North Carolina at Greensboro |
| Iraq | University of North Carolina at Asheville |
| Ireland | College of Central Florida |
| Israel | University at Albany |
| Italy | Valencia College |
| Japan | Central Piedmont Community College |
| Jordan | University of North Carolina at Charlotte |
| Kazakhstan | University of North Alabama |
| Kenya | Pace University at Westchester |
| Kuwait | Georgia Institute of Technology |
| Lebanon | Kennesaw State University |



MEMBER STATE ASSIGNMENTS

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Libya East Tennessee State University

Madagascar Pace University at Westchester

Mexico College of Charleston

Mongolia Wake Forest University

Mozambique Monmouth University

Netherlands University of North Carolina at Pembroke

New Zealand University of North Carolina at Pembroke

Nigeria University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Norway Central Piedmont Community College

Pakistan Lenoir Rhyne University

Palestine University of North Alabama

Paraguay Auburn University

Peru Western Carolina University

Philippines Clemson University

Poland Valencia College

Qatar University of North Alabama

Republic of Korea University of North Carolina at Pembroke

Russian Federation Nova Southeastern University

Saudi Arabia Salem College

Serbia Monmouth University

Singapore Radford University

Somalia Longwood University

South Africa University of Tennessee at Chattanooga

South Sudan Monmouth University

Spain Gardner-Webb University

Sweden Bridgewater College

Syria University of North Georgia

Tunisia Pace University at Westchester

Turkey Broward College

Uganda Flagler College

Ukraine Broward College

United Kingdom State College of Florida

United States University of North Carolina at Asheville

Uruguay University of North Carolina at Pembroke

Venezuela University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Viet Nam Covenant College

Yemen Gardner-Webb University

SRMUN POLICIES

DELEGATE CODE OF CONDUCT

Delegates are expected to:

- Remain in character by consistently advocating the interests and representing the policies of the country assigned.
- To be "in character" also entails displaying respect for the opinions and ideals of fellow delegates, even if these opinions and ideals conflict with a given delegate's own country's priorities.
- Collaborate with fellow delegates where possible.
- Conduct themselves in a courteous and professional manner at all times.
- Refrain from consumption of alcohol and other drugs in committee sessions. Note: Any issues related to illicit drugs will be immediately directed to the attention of local authorities.
- Delegates who disrupt committee sessions or create problems in the hotel may be barred from further participation in the conference.
- Using information and communication technologies such as e-mail, cell phones, text messages, instant messaging, defamatory personal web sites, and social media to support deliberate, hostile behavior intended to harm other delegates is strictly forbidden.
- Delegates who disrupt committee sessions or the conference or who are found to have violated any clause of the delegate code of conduct may be barred from further participation in the conference, forfeiting any delegate fees and/or award eligibility.

DRESS CODE

- Standard delegate attire for the conference is business jacket, slacks (or skirts for women), dress shirt (with tie for men) and dress shoes.
- Shirts that expose excessive bare skin on the chest, stomach or are otherwise revealing are inappropriate. Clothes that reveal undergarments are inappropriate.
- Men's facial hair should be shaved or trimmed neatly.
- Dress sweaters for men are generally considered too casual, unless a tie is worn underneath.
- Shorts, ball caps, jeans, sneakers, sandals and sunglasses are also forbidden.
- It is inappropriate for delegates to display any national symbols such as flags, pins, crests, etc. on their person during committee sessions. UN symbols are acceptable.
- Western business dress is preferred. Cultural dress is only permitted for international delegates in whose native countries professional business dress includes traditional cultural dress. These delegates are the only individuals to whom this applies. Any delegate attempting to use cultural costume to portray a "character" will be asked to leave the committee chamber and change into clothing that is more appropriate. The SRMUN conference will not tolerate any delegate's attempt to mock traditional cultural attire or abuse it as costume.
- All clothing must adhere to guidelines that portray professionalism and modesty. If a delegate's attire is deemed inappropriate by the SRMUN staff the delegate will be asked to leave the session and return with appropriate attire.

BADGES

- All conference attendees are to wear their credentials during official meetings.
- Participants are identified as follows:
 - Executive Staff: Dark Blue
 - Staff: Blue
 - Board: Red
 - Head Delegates: Yellow
 - Delegate: White
 - Advisor: Green
 - Guest: Pink

SEXUAL HARASSMENT DISCRIMINATION POLICY

It is the intention of the Southern Regional Model United Nations Conference (SRMUN) that the environment of the SRMUN conference best achieves our educational goals. The SRMUN Executive Staff and Board of Directors will not tolerate any instances of discrimination based on race, color, gender, sexual orientation, national origin, religion, age or medical condition.

If any delegate, staff or faculty member believes they have encountered discrimination and/or harassment which results in a hostile working environment or disparate treatment, they must bring it to the attention of the Secretary-General, Board President, or Executive Director.

The SRMUN Board must investigate the merits of the allegations, interviewing all parties involved, and submitting a written report to the rest of the Board. Based on the investigation's findings, the Board of Directors may:

- Take no action
- Issue a verbal reprimand
- Remove an involved individual from the conference
- Implement any other action that the Board deems appropriate

CONFERENCE SERVICES POLICIES

- A maximum of two delegates will be allowed in Conference Services to work on each working paper at any one time. Delegates are expected to write their working papers outside of the lab, and bring them in for typing or revision. [NOTE: Delegates are generally seated on a first come, first serve basis. Delegates from committees not already working at a computer in the lab will be given preference when the lab is full. The USG and AUSG reserves the right to grant an earlier place in line to a delegate.]
- There will be NO FOOD OR BEVERAGES allowed in Conference Services.
- Internet resources are only for research use. Delegates will not be permitted to check their e-mail.
- Once a delegate has finished typing, s/he should print the resolution and save the resolution according to the posted guidelines.
- Photocopies will be made for the delegates at a charge of \$.10 per copy. This cost is used to defray the rental and repair costs for copiers at SRMUN. Working papers and resolutions approved by the Director of the committee will be copied free of charge. Application printing is also free of charge.
- Delegates may also purchase replacement badges and placards in Conference Services. Replacement badges will cost \$5.00 and replacement placards will cost \$10.00.



PLAGIARISM

SRMUN, Inc., encourages unique and exceptional dialogue amongst our participants through the free flow of ideas and conversations, with the expectation that all written and spoken words be original thought. All materials, including but not limited to: Position Papers, speeches, and working papers/draft resolutions are subject to a zero tolerance policy regarding plagiarism or the uncredited use of another's words. Any delegate found in violation of this stated policy will receive no credit for the entirety of their work, including receiving a score of zero for position papers found to include words that are not cited and/or properly credited to the original author.

SRMUN AWARDS POLICY

Each year, the SRMUN Board of Directors recognizes exceptional delegations with both Position Paper and Conference Awards using a criteria set by it.

POSITION PAPER AWARDS

Before the start of the conference, delegates utilize the SRMUN website to submit Position Papers for each committee in which their assigned nation is represented. These two-page Position Papers are graded by our volunteer committee staff using a standard rubric. Once all on-time papers are graded, delegation scores are calculated. The highest scoring delegations amongst these receive an award. At the conference, all delegations receive a feedback sheet explaining how they scored in several metrics. Late papers will be graded, if possible, but any late or missing Position Papers will make that entire delegation ineligible for awards. An example feedback sheet is available at:

http://www.srmun.org/docs/sample_pp_scoring.pdf

Position Paper evaluations and awards are typically distributed at the faculty meeting with the Board and are later available in Conference Services.

COMMITTEE DELEGATION AWARDS

Delegations are nominated by SRMUN conference staff and awarded the Committee Delegation Award at the end of the final session. Delegations that show superior skills in their preparation and presentation of their Member State, as specifically noted in their committee, are recognized for their specific contributions through this award. Award recipients will be announced in the final committee session by the Director and then asked to stand and be acknowledged during Closing Ceremonies by the Secretary-General. The breakdown of Committee Delegations Awards is as follows: Large-sized committees will receive up to six awards; Medium-sized committees will receive up to four awards and Small committees will receive up to two awards. Delegates will also be eligible for "Most Diplomatic" and "Most Improved" awards.

CONFERENCE AWARDS

During the conference, our volunteer committee staff nominates exceptional delegate performance in each committee at the end of each session. The following criteria are used to determine the merit of each delegation:

>> Caucusing - Does the delegation make a concerted effort to work with other delegations during informal debate? Do they attempt to incorporate nations outside of their respective regional bloc while maintaining character?

>> Diplomacy - Does the delegation work to find cohesion and compromise among their fellow nations? Does the delegation take a respectful, educated, and professional approach to working with other committee members?

>> Participation - Does the delegation articulate their policies and beliefs succinctly and efficiently? Do they use their persuasive skills to engage other delegates while maintaining a diplomatic approach?

>> Preparation - Does the delegation adequately represent the policies of their Member States in the context of the topic? Do they have a solid understanding of the topics and scope of the committee as it pertains to the Member States they are representing? Have they provided research and documentation to support their convictions? Do they organize their thoughts to effectively articulate the changes they are advocating through the delivery of solid speeches? Does the delegation correctly utilize the rules of procedure and positively contribute to the committee flow?

>> Resolution Writing - Does the delegation contribute substantive material to be used in the production of working papers? Do they work effectively with other committee members to generate working papers that are relevant to the topic and within the scope of the committee?

These nominations are then tallied by the SRMUN Board. Final scores are calculated as follows:

The number of committees in which each delegation (Member States) is represented is multiplied by the number of committee sessions (usually 6). This is the maximum theoretical score each delegation may achieve*. For example, if the delegation for China is represented in 7 committees, their maximum theoretical score is $7 * 6 = 42$. The actual number of times throughout all six committee sessions that a delegation is nominated is then divided by this number to arrive at a fractional score.

In our example, assume China was nominated 38 times throughout the conference. The delegation for China will receive a fractional score of $38 / 42 = 0.90476$.

At the end of the conference, all delegations are ranked in descending order by their fractional score. Fractional scores are not reported and will not be released publicly. The highest-scoring delegations receive an Outstanding Award, followed by Distinguished and Honorable Mention. The total number of awards given at closing ceremonies will vary from year to year, depending on the number of delegations in attendance. Not all delegations will receive an award.

* Delegates serving as Chair and Rapporteur are also eligible for awards nominations for each committee session. Their nominations are added to their original delegation's scoring.

AUDIO/VISUAL

Please note that events hosted by Southern Regional Model United Nations, Inc. (SRMUN) are events at which photography and video and audio recordings may be taken. By entering the event premises, participants are consenting to photography, audio and/or video recording, as well as to the release, publication, exhibition, or reproduction of this material by SRMUN for news, web casts, promotional purposes, telecasts, advertising, or any other purpose deemed fit by SRMUN and its affiliates and representatives. Participants will be asked to sign a waiver providing such consent. Signed waivers are required for participation. Please feel free to contact any SRMUN Board Member, or Executive Staff Member if you have any questions or concerns regarding this policy.

SRMUN RULES OF PROCEDURE

RULES ARE LISTED IN ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

| Motion * | Purpose | Debate | Vote |
|---|---|-------------|-----------------|
| Point of Order | Correct an error in procedure | None | None |
| Appeal the decision of the chair | Challenge a decision of the Chair | None | 2/3 |
| Suspension of the Meeting for an Unmoderated Caucus | Recess Meeting | None | Majority |
| Suspension of the Meeting for a Moderated Caucus | Recess Meeting | None | Majority |
| Adjournment of the Meeting | End Meeting | None | Majority |
| Adjournment of Debate | End debate without a substantive vote | 2 pro/2 con | 2/3 (Roll call) |
| Closure of Debate | Move to an immediate vote | 2 con | 2/3 |
| Division of the Question (1st Vote) | Vote to consider operative clauses separately | 2 pro/2con | Majority |
| Adopt by Acclamation | Accept a Draft Resolution by consensus | None | No opposition |
| Roll Call Vote | Vote by roll call | None | None |
| Reconsideration | Re-open debate on an issue | 2 con | 2/3 |
| Set Speaker's Time | Set or change speaker's time limit | 2 pro/2 con | Majority |
| Close/Reopen Speaker's List | No additional speakers added/ to again permit additional speakers | None | Majority |
| Adoption of Agenda | Approval of agenda order | None | Majority |

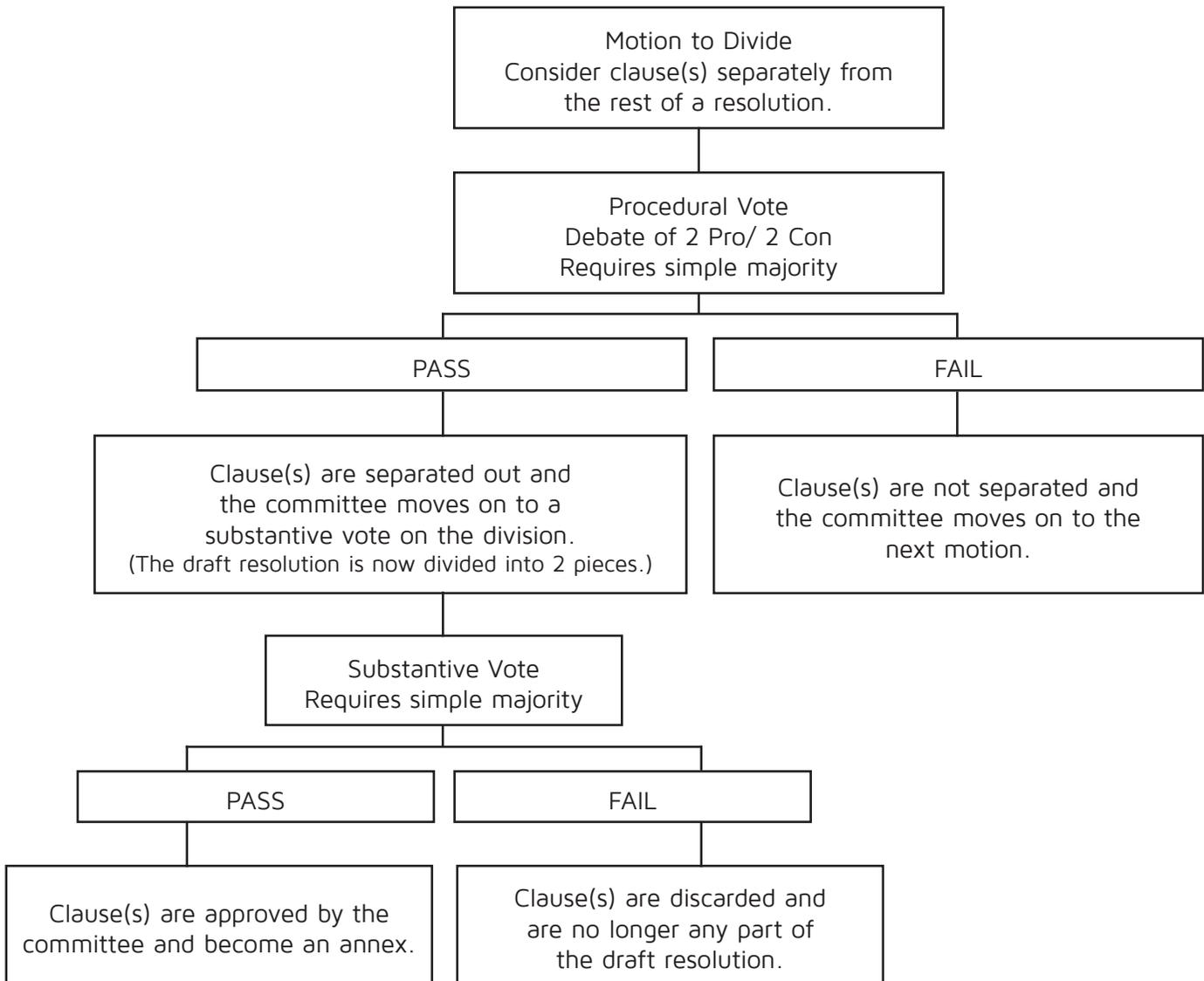
*The 5 motions that are shaded are the only ones that can be used during voting procedure. These are also listed in order of precedence.



DIVISION OF THE QUESTION

WHY DO YOU MOTION TO DIVIDE THE QUESTION?

A delegate motions for division of the question if they want to highlight a particularly important or critical operative clause(s). In highlighting the clause, Member States in support would vote “yes” in the procedural vote and then “yes” for the substantive vote. If the substantive vote passes, the highlighted clauses become a separate annex with the original preambulatory clauses from the original draft resolution.



UNMODERATED CAUCUSING

Unmoderated caucusing is an essential part of your committee experience. These intermittent breaks from formal debate, allow delegates the freedom to move about the committee room and discuss the topic at hand with their fellow delegates. During unmoderated caucuses, you will collaborate and negotiate with the other committee members to create working papers that will move toward becoming draft resolutions.

MOTIONING FOR AN UNMODERATED CAUCUS

- During formal debate, any delegate can request a unmoderated caucus by motioning for the “suspension of the meeting for an unmoderated caucus.”
- A delegate must also state the length of time that you want the caucus to last.
Example: “Nigeria motions for a suspension of the meeting for the purpose of an unmoderated caucus for a period of 20 minutes.”
- Once the dais accepts the motion, a vote will be taken and a simple majority is required for the motion to pass.
- If multiple motions for unmoderated caucus are on the table, the body will vote on them by most disruptive to least disruptive. For example, if motions are entertained for 20 minutes and 60 minutes, the longer one will be voted upon first. Also, if it passes, the 20 minute motion will be removed from the floor from further consideration.
- Motions for suspension of the meeting are not applicable during voting procedures.

TIPS FOR CAUCUSING EFFECTIVELY: TAKE THE DIPLOMACY CHALLENGE!

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|----------------------|--|
| Discuss | Past resolutions, sub topics, data, charts, maps, etc. are valuable keys to creating solid resolutions and will be very helpful to you and your fellow delegates. Offer these items during your discussions. |
| Invite | Ask other members of your regional bloc to join you in discussion. |
| Plan | Choose which ideas are most important and which ones have room for negotiation. |
| Listen | Allowing other delegates to speak will add to the discussion and help flush out possible solutions. |
| One on One | Incorporate individuals that you may not have heard from and get their opinions on the issues. |
| Mind the time | Stay focused on the topic and the discussions which will lead to the creation of a thought out and widely supported resolution. |
| Ask questions | If you disagree with another delegate, calmly ask questions that will help you better understand their position. Find out if there is any common ground and focus on ideas that you can agree on. |
| Connect | Establish great relationships by learning your fellow delegate’s names, and more about their ideas. |
| Yes | The ultimate goal is a resolution that the committee will vote on. Keep that in mind by respecting other delegates to the fullest during your negotiations. |



MODERATED CAUCUSING

In this type of caucus, the committee focuses on a specific facet of the topic at hand for a detailed discussion. The motion for these caucuses will delineate the overall time, speaker's time, and subject of the caucus. There is no speaker's list, and delegates will raise placards to be called upon in order to speak. The moderated caucus is useful to focus the committee on a specific sub-topic for consideration.

How to Motion for a Moderated Caucus

- During formal debate, any delegate can request a moderated caucus by making the following motion: "(Member State) moves for a suspension of the meeting for the purpose of a ___ minute moderated caucus, with a speaker's time of ____, discussing ____."
Example: Spain moves for a suspension of the meeting for the purpose of a 20 minute moderated caucus, with a speaker's time of 45 seconds, discussing financing for draft resolution 1.1.
- Remember, you must include (1) total length of time; (2) speakers time; and (3) topic for discussion for every moderated caucus motion.
- Once the dais accepts the motion, a vote will be taken and a simple majority is required for the motion to pass.
- Motions for suspension of the meeting, moderated or unmoderated, are not applicable during voting procedures.

Things to remember and consider

- If the motion for moderated caucus passes, the chair will ask the delegation that made the motion if they reserve the right to speak first. Delegations may reserve this right, or refuse.
- If the motion for moderated caucus fails, the committee may move back into formal debate, or continue voting on motions that are still on the floor.
- Unmoderated caucuses take precedence over moderated caucuses.
- Moderated caucuses remain on the table for voting once a different moderated caucus or an unmoderated caucus has expired.
- Make sure to clearly define your topic for consideration in the moderated caucus. Get a feel of the committee with regards to the topic of moderated caucus, giving you an idea of how specific to make the topic.
- If delegates are not raising their placards to speak, the chair may use their discretion to end the moderated caucus prior to the end of the stated time.

HOW TO BE AN EFFECTIVE DELEGATE

Effective delegates possess the skills to communicate and compromise. The work of the United Nations is a collaboration of different viewpoints and policies; however, most all resolutions passed by the bodies are by consensus. There are several keys to working successfully in your committee:

Research: Topics at SRMUN are ever-changing issues facing our global society, and as such, research on these topics often update from when Position Papers are submitted. Delegates are reminded that Conference Services provides free internet to provide current research; however, developments on the topics are suspended once Opening Ceremonies begins, except for Security Council and ICC.

Home Government is a service provided to all delegates looking to get a more in-depth understanding of a particular idea or issue. Faculty Advisors from our attending colleges and universities volunteer to serve in this position. Home Government is located in the Ballroom Foyer.

Caucusing allows the free flow of ideas and conversation. Outside of the unmoderated and moderated caucus time in sessions, delegates can initiate these conversations over breaks. Please review the unmoderated caucusing on the prior page.

Moderated caucuses allow delegates to have a rapid exchange of ideas in a more formal setting. The caucus works like a conversation, with the Chair facilitating the debate, and no speaker's list.

PREAMBULATORY CLAUSES

The preamble of a draft resolution states the reasons for which the committee is addressing the topic and highlights past international action on the issue. Each clause begins with a present participle (called a preambulatory phrase) and ends with a comma.

Preambulatory clauses can include:

- References to the UN Charter;
- Citations of past UN resolutions or treaties on the topic under discussion;
- Mentions of statements made by the Secretary-General or a relevant UN body or agency;
- Recognition of the efforts of regional or non-governmental organizations in dealing with the issue; and
- General statements on the topic, its significance and its impact.

SAMPLE PREAMBULATORY PHRASES

| | | | |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Affirming | Desiring | Having considered | Noting with approval |
| Alarmed by | Emphasizing | Having considered further | Observing |
| Approving | Expecting | Having devoted attention | Reaffirming |
| Aware of | Expressing its appreciation | Having examined | Realizing |
| Bearing in mind | Expressing its satisfaction | Having heard | Recalling |
| Believing | Fulfilling | Having received | Recognizing |
| Confident | Fully alarmed | Having studied | Referring |
| Contemplating | Fully aware | Keeping in mind | Seeking |
| Convinced | Fully believing | Noting with regret | Taking into account |
| Declaring | Further deploring | Noting with deep concern | Taking into consideration |
| Deeply concerned | Further recalling | Noting with satisfaction | Taking note |
| Deeply conscious | Guided by | Noting further | Viewing with appreciation |
| Deeply convinced | Having adopted | | Welcoming |
| Deeply disturbed | | | |
| Deeply regretting | | | |

OPERATIVE CLAUSES

Operative clauses identify the actions or recommendations made in a resolution. Each operative clause begins with a verb (called an operative phrase) and ends with a semicolon. Operative clauses should be organized in a logical progression, with each containing a single idea or proposal, and are always numbered. If a clause requires further explanation, bulleted lists set off by letters can also be used. After the last operative clause, the resolution ends in a period.

SAMPLE OPERATIVE PHRASES

| | | | |
|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|
| Accepts | Deplores | Emphasizes | Notes |
| Affirms | Designates | Encourages | Proclaims |
| Approves | Draws the attention | Endorses | Reaffirms |
| Authorizes | Emphasizes | Expresses its appreciation | Recommends |
| Calls | Encourages | Expresses its hope | Regrets |
| Calls upon | Endorses | Further invites | Reminds |
| Condemns | Expresses its appreciation | Further proclaims | Requests |
| Confirms | Expresses its hope | Further reminds | Solemnly affirms |
| Congratulates | Further invites | Further recommends | Strongly condemns |
| Considers | Deplores | Further requests | Supports |
| Declares accordingly | Designates | Further resolves | Takes note of |
| | Draws the attention | Has resolved | Transmits |
| | | | Trusts |



TIPS TO CREATING DRAFT RESOLUTIONS

WORKING PAPERS

Before a document is accepted by the Dais, to be voted on, it is referred to as a working paper.

- Delegates need to first download the official SRMUN working paper template at Conference Services. Working papers will not be reviewed unless on the SRMUN template.
- A working paper must have the following attributes to be accepted as a draft resolution:
 - At least one Sponsor.
 - A combination of Signatories and Sponsors to equal 25% of the committee present during the first session.
- Sponsors have had substantive additions either through direct clauses or impactful ideas to the working paper. These are the only individuals called to the Dais when edits are returned.
- Signatories are Member States who would like to see the idea debated and do not necessarily have to agree with the idea.

DRAFT RESOLUTIONS

Once a working paper has been accepted by the Dais, it is then referred to as a draft resolution

- Once a draft resolution has been accepted; preambulatory clauses cannot be altered.
- Draft resolutions will be titled based on the topic being discussed and in the order they are selected. The topics are numbered based on how the delegates have ordered them on the agenda and not necessarily how they are ordered in the background guide. Examples:
 - During topic 1 a working paper is submitted and accepted by the dais it is "Draft Resolution 1-1"
 - The next working paper submitted and accepted is then "Draft Resolution 1-2"
 - During the second topic a working paper is submitted and accepted by the dais, it is now titled "Draft Resolution 2-1"
- When a working paper is accepted by the Dais to become a draft resolution, the Signatories and Sponsors are removed and this becomes a document of the body.

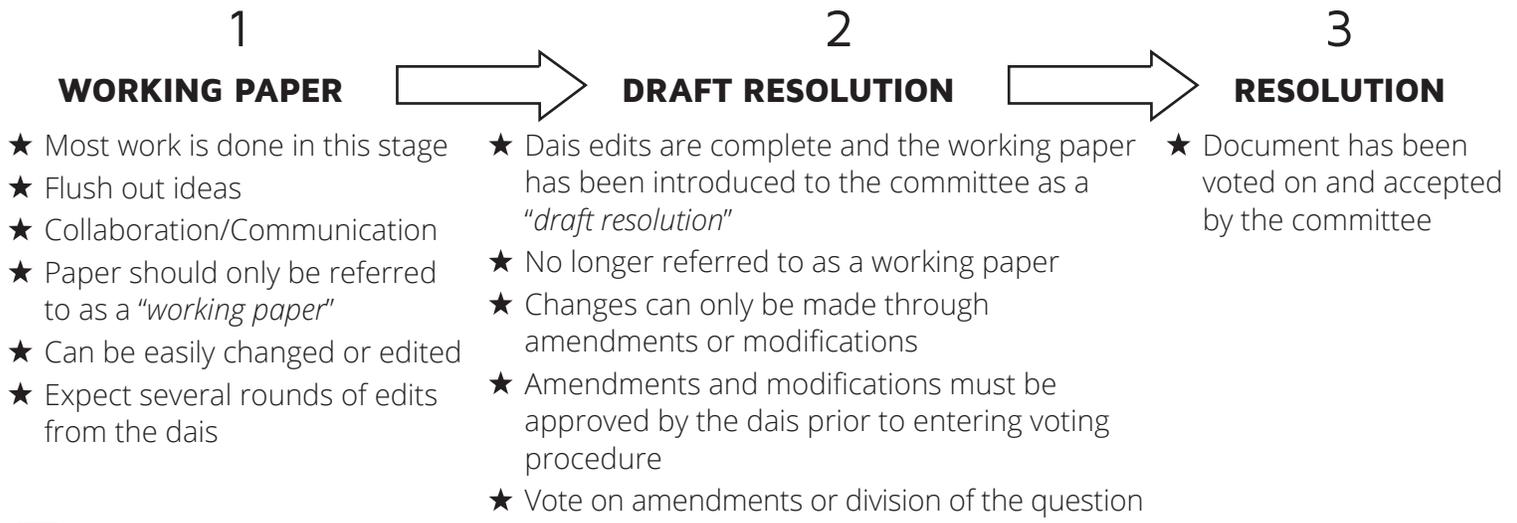
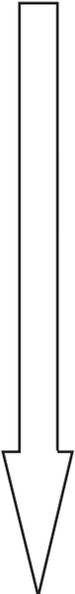
MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS

Often a draft resolution needs changes to garner support or to build consensus. SRMUN provides for these changes through two avenues:

Modifications are usually small in nature, often rewording a phrase for clarity or a rearrangement of ideas. These are changes that all Sponsors of the draft resolution agree to being made. Signatory support is not required, but they are usually consulted. All modifications need to be written out on a modification form and submitted to the Dais, with the acceptance and acknowledgment of all Sponsors. There is no vote needed for modifications, they are made and introduced to the body once the Dais accepts them.

Amendments are typically more drastic changes to the document and can include, but are not limited to, removing or rewording operative clauses, or changing the scope or intention of a clause. These are changes that do not have the support of all the Sponsors. Amendments require $\frac{1}{4}$ of the delegate support to be accepted by the Dais. They are voted on prior to voting on the draft resolution they affect and require a simple majority to pass. In the case of multiple amendments, they will be voted on in order of most disruptive to least disruptive, as decided by the Dais. Passed amendments must be considered when voting on the draft resolution. Should a draft resolution include an amendment that changes the intention, a Sponsor is able to vote against said draft resolution.

EVOLUTION OF A RESOLUTION

MERGING

- Sometimes there are too many working papers with similar ideas and the Dais will ask groups to merge their working paper together.
- Don't panic! At the beginning of the committee session, work is often done in small groups and many similar ideas are often being addressed simultaneously.
- The Dais will alert each group that the papers are too similar to accept both and will ask that the groups combine and create a collaborative working paper.
- By combining multiple papers, a comprehensive work product is produced that will garner widespread support.

MERGING TIPS

- Be open-minded, flexible, and promote compromise and cooperation through diplomacy.
- Work with different groups to discuss your similar ideas and how you can create a cohesive document.
- The Dais wants the committee to be successful, so the goal of merging is to create a quality comprehensive document.

SPONSORS VS SIGNATORIES

Each working paper will require a certain number of Sponsors and Signatories to be considered as a draft resolution. The number required will vary by committee and will be announced by the Dais during the first committee session.

If you are a SPONSOR to a working paper:

- You actively assist in the authoring of the paper and you agree fully with the substance
- You must vote in favor of the working paper should it become a draft resolution
- You must approve all modifications and immediate changes to the draft resolution

If you are a SIGNATORY to a working paper:

- You do not have to agree with the substance of the paper, only that you want to see it debated
- You may vote in favor, against, or abstain should it become a draft resolution
- You may introduce amendments without the consent of the Sponsors



DRAFT RESOLUTION EXAMPLE

After acceptance as a draft resolution, a code will be assigned which the body will refer to it as. The first number refers to the topic being debated and the second is assigned by the dias.

Alphabetize the list of Member States.

The list of Sponsors and Signatories will be removed from the working paper when it becomes a draft resolution and is distributed to the entire body as an official document of said body.

1 Draft Resolution 2-6

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3 Committee: General Assembly Plenary

4 Subject: Ensuring Global Food Security

5 Sponsors: China, Comoros, Eritrea, Morocco, Saudi Arabia, and South Africa

6 Signatories: Austria, Egypt, Gabon, Iraq, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Malaysia, Nigeria, Oman, Pakistan, Russia,
7 Switzerland, United States of America, Venezuela, and Viet Nam

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9 The General Assembly,

List committee name, followed by a comma.

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11 *Keeping in mind* the United Nations Millennium Project, an effort to contribute 0.7 percent of Gross National
12 Product To Official Development Assistance (ODA), pledged by international leaders at the International
13 Conference for Development and the World Summit on Sustainable Development Aid in 2002,

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15 *Fully believing* the United Nations Millennium Project to be imperative to meeting the United Nations
16 Millennium Development Goals (MDGs),

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18 *Bearing in mind* the positive correlation between the United Nations Millennium Project and
19 self-sustainability of developing Member States in order to promote long-term independence of foreign aid,

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21 *Noting with concern* that debt forgiveness is included as a misleading form of foreign developmental aid,

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23 *Observing* the rudimentary agricultural methods and resources of developing Member States as a hindrance to self-
24 sustainability,

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26 *Recognizing* the correlation between improving global flood security and the cooperation among the United Nations
27 subsidiary bodies, including but not limited to the Food and Agricultural Organization (FAO), World Food
28 Programme (WFP), United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), and the United Nations Children's Fund
29 (UNICEF),

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- 31 1. *Reminds* Member States of the pledge to contribute to the ODA through the United Nations Millennium
32 Project, especially during this economic downturn;
- 33 2. *Emphasizes* food, monetary, and technological aid as a preferred means to ensure global food security as a
34 component of the ODA rather than debt forgiveness;
- 35 3. *Supports* instead targeting development aid through the transfer of technology, including but not limited to:
36 a. Hybridized seed,
37 b. Fertilizers and pesticides, and,
38 c. Improved equipment and tools;
- 39 4. *Encourages* the coordination among subsidiary bodies of the United Nations which work to eradicate world
40 hunger through the establishment of a platform for discussion among representatives of each body in order
41 to operate in a more cooperative and efficient manner; and,
- 42 46 5. *Further encourages* such a forum to convene in Johannesburg, South Africa every first week of June and
43 first week of December commencing in 2012:
44 a. By calling on the represented subsidiary bodies to appoint an expert from each body to create a
45 universal comprehensive agenda to avoid the mismanagement of funds and the historic problem of
46 overspending on certain issues while leaving others without funding, and,
47 b. With delegation expenses included in the allocated budget of each individual subsidiary body.

During motions for division of the question, only entire operative clauses can be addressed. Operative sub-clauses cannot be divided out.

After being approved as a draft resolution, preambulatory clauses cannot be modified or amended.

Only certain committees, i.e. GA Plenary & Security Council can add an operative clause to stay seized of the matter.

All operative clauses (except for final one) end with a semi-colon. Following the final operative clause all draft resolutions end with a period.

Always check for spelling and grammar before submitting any working paper! It will save precious time during editing!

All working papers/draft resolutions are to be typed in 10 font, Times New Roman style.

CAUCUSING BLOCS

NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION (NATO)

Albania
Belgium
Bulgaria
Canada
Croatia
Czech Republic
Denmark
Estonia
France
Germany
Greece
Hungary
Iceland
Italy
Latvia
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Montenegro
Netherlands
Norway
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Slovakia
Slovenia
Spain
Turkey
UK
USA

COMMONWEALTH OF INDEPENDENT STATES (CIS)

Armenia
Azerbaijan
Belarus
Georgia
Kazakhstan
Kyrgyzstan
Moldova
Russia
Tajikistan
Turkmenistan
Ukraine
Uzbekistan

GROUP OF SEVEN (G7) FORMERLY GROUP OF EIGHT

Canada
European Union
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Germany
Italy
Japan
UK
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Suspended: Russia

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Belgium
Bulgaria
Croatia
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Estonia
Finland
France
Germany
Greece
Hungary
Ireland
Italy
Latvia
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Malta
Netherlands
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Slovakia
Slovenia
Spain
Sweden
UK

AFRICAN UNION (AU)

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Burundi
Cameroon
Cabo Verde
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Comoros
Cote d'Ivoire
DRC
Djibouti
Egypt
Equatorial Guinea
Eritrea
Ethiopia
Gabon
Gambia
Ghana
Guinea
Guinea-Bissau
Kenya
Lesotho
Liberia
Libya
Madagascar
Malawi
Mali
Mauritania
Mauritius
Morocco
Mozambique
Namibia
Niger
Nigeria
Rep of the Congo
Rwanda
Sahrawi Arab Democratic Republic
São Tomé & Príncipe
Senegal
Seychelles
Sierra Leone
Somalia
South Africa
South Sudan
Sudan
Swaziland
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Togo
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Zambia
Zimbabwe

ORGANIZATION OF THE ISLAMIC CONFERENCE (OIC)

Afghanistan
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Cote d'Ivoire
Djibouti
Egypt
Gabon
Gambia
Guinea
Guinea Bissau
Guyana
Indonesia
Iran
Iraq
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Kazakhstan
Kuwait
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Maldives
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Niger
Nigeria
Oman
Pakistan
Palestine
Qatar
Saudi Arabia
Senegal
Sierra-Leone
Somalia
Sudan
Suriname
Syria
Tajikistan
Togo
Tunisia
Turkey
Turkmenistan
Uganda
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Uzbekistan
Yemen

ORGANIZATION OF PETROLEUM EXPORTING COUNTRIES (OPEC)

Algeria
Angola
Congo
Ecuador
Equatorial Guinea
Gabon
Iran
Iraq
Kuwait
Libya
Nigeria
Saudi Arabia
UAE
Venezuela

Suspended: Indonesia

GULF COOPERATIVE COUNCIL (GCC)

Bahrain
Kuwait
Oman
Qatar
Saudi Arabia
UAE

GROUP OF TWENTY (G20) FINANCE

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Brazil
Canada
China
EU
France
Germany
India
Indonesia
Italy
Japan
Mexico
Republic of Korea
Russia
Saudi Arabia
South Africa
Turkey
UK
USA

SECURITY COUNCIL (SC)

BASED ON MEMBERSHIP AS OF MARCH 2019

P5

China
France
Russia
UK
USA

ALTERNATING

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Cote d'Ivoire
Dominican Republic
Equatorial Guinea
Germany
Indonesia
Kuwait
Peru
Poland
South Africa

LEAGUE OF ARAB STATES

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Bahrain
Comoros
Djibouti
Egypt
Iraq
Jordan
Kuwait
Lebanon
Libya
Mauritania
Morocco
Oman
Palestine
Qatar
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Sudan
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Yemen

Observers: Brazil, Eritrea, India, Turkey, and Venezuela

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SRMUN Charlotte 2020 Staff Application Information

Apply for next year before it's too late.

SRMUN Charlotte applications are available online at www.srmun.org. Delegates are permitted to use the computers in Conference Services to complete their applications. Printing of applications is free of charge. Committee staff applications are due by the close of the conference on Saturday, March 30th.

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Chairs and rapporteurs play a vital role in the workings of SRMUN by assisting the Director and AD with committee functions, such as facilitating debate, taking attendance, monitoring the speakers' list, and editing working papers. All delegates are encouraged to apply for a chair or rapporteur position by first filling out the application and then participating in an interview conducted by SRMUN staff members. In the interview, delegates will be expected to demonstrate their knowledge of SRMUN rules of procedure, as well as their ability to lead a committee debate.

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The substantive staff of SRMUN remains the backbone of the conference. Staff is generally hired in mid April to early May. In conjunction with the Directors-General, both Directors and Assistant Directors will select committee topics and compose topic outlines, summaries, background guides and updates. The writing process typically begins in June and continues throughout the summer, growing more increasingly and more intensive. Directors must attend a staff-training weekend scheduled in September. In the Spring, committee staff composes updates and evaluates Position Papers. At the conference, Directors and Assistant Directors serve as the chief substantive officers of their committees, facilitating the learning process obtained at SRMUN. Although previous Chair or Rapporteur experience is preferred, it is not required. This is a full year commitment. Please carefully consider this before applying for SRMUN Staff. Please note Committee staff applications are due by the close of the conference on Saturday, March 30th.

EXECUTIVE STAFF APPLICATIONS FOR SRMUN CHARLOTTE 2020

The responsibilities of the SRMUN executive staff are substantial but rewarding. The Director-General and Deputy Director-General are responsible for the substantive workings of the conference, including hiring and motivating committee staff, deciding committee topics, and editing of background guides and updates. The Secretary-General is responsible for the business aspects of the conference, including school recruitment and correspondence. The Under Secretary-General facilitates the pre-conference set-up of conference services, working with the Secretary-General on recruitment and staff travel. The Under Secretary-General also organizes and runs Conference Services for SRMUN. Previous SRMUN staff experience is highly preferred for these positions, but is not required. These positions require an extensive, full-year commitment. Consider this carefully before applying. Executive staff applications for SRMUN Charlotte 2020 were due March 27th, 2019.



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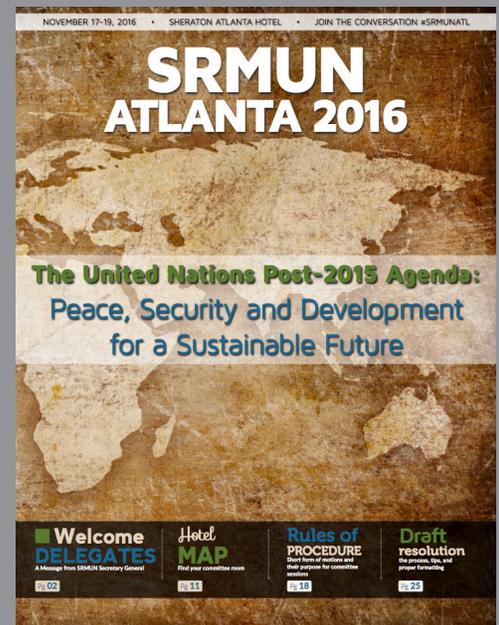
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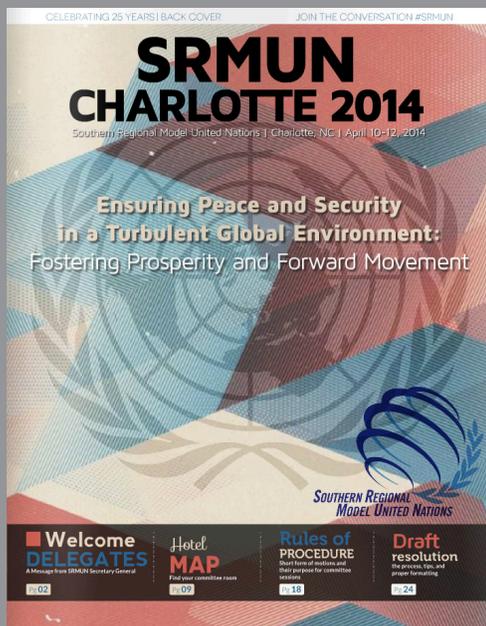
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