UNITED NATIONS ASSOCIATION OF ROCHESTER MODEL UN CONFERENCE

52ND ANNUAL CONFERENCE

MARCH 8TH AND 9TH, 2024

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Fundraising Information

Flower Sales On the second day of committee, flowers will be available for one dollar to send to your friends in and out of committee! Jar Wars Let your competitive side show! Compete to raise the most money for charity. The committee with the most money raised will win a prize. Candy Sales Candy & Snacks will be available for purchase throughout committee for one dollar at the information table!

All proceeds will go to this year's charity, Veterans Outreach Center.

Important Locations

War Room - Basil 218 Advisor Lounge - Basil Midlevel Gateway Lounge Student Computer Lab - Pioch 117 Prayer Room - Pioch 121 Ward Haffey Dining Hall

Conference Schedule

Friday, March 8th

8:30 am Registration Opens 9:00 am - 9:30 am Opening Ceremony 9:30 am - Lunch Committee Sessions 11:15 am - 11:55 am (GA / SHC / IMF / Crisis 1, 2, 3, 4, / UNICEF / Press Corps)Lunch 1 11:45 am - 12:25 pm (Disarm / UNHRC / CCPCJ / UNODC) Lunch 2 12:15 pm - 12:55 pm (ECOSOC / UN Women / WHO / UNEP / TFI) Lunch 3 Lunch - 5:30 pm Committee Sessions

Saturday, March 9th

9.00 am - Lunch **Committee Sessions** 10.00 amFlower Sales Begin Chair Evaluations Begin 10:00 am 11:15 am - 11:55 am (GA / SHC / IMF / Crisis 1, 2, 3, 4, / UNICEF / Press Corps)Lunch 1 11:45 am - 12:25 pm (Disarm / UNHRC / CCPCJ / UNODC) Lunch 2 12:15 am - 12:55 pm (ECOSOC / UN Women / WHO / UNEP / TFI) Lunch 3 Lunch - 3:30 pm **Committee Sessions** Flower Sales and Jar Wars Ends 1:00 pm 2:30 pm Advisor Meeting Committee Dismissals Begin 3:15 pm 3:45 pm - 4:45 pm Closing Ceremony Conference Adjourned 4:45 pm

Our Charity: Veterans Outreach Center

Founded locally in 1973 by returning Vietnam Veterans, today's Veterans Outreach Center remains anchored in the greater Rochester area and offers a comprehensive portfolio of supportive services designed to meet the needs of veterans and their families. Through the generosity of the Rochester community, all of these programs and services are provided free of charge.



For more information, visit https://veteransoutreachcenter.org

In Remembrance of: Lieutenant Colonel Paul G. Moses

Country Assignments:

Argentina: Webster Schroeder Armenia: Fayetteville-Manlius Australia: Fairport Austria: Brighton Bahamas: Skaneateles Belarus: Spencerport Belgium: Liverpool Bosnia: East Syracuse Minoa Brazil: New Hartford Canada: Thomas Proctor Chile: Webster Thomas China: Manlius Pebble Hill Columbia: Pittsford Sutherland Costa Rica: Victor Croatia: Skaneateles Cuba: East Syracuse Minoa Dominican Republic: Gates-Chili Egypt: Ithaca El Salvador: East Rochester Eritrea: Webster Thomas Finland: McOuaid France: School of the Arts Germany: Pittsford Mendon Ghana: Brighton Greece: Whitesboro Haiti: Fairport Honduras: West Irondequoit Hungary: Auburn Iceland: Greece Olympia India: Brighton Indonesia: Jamesville-Dewitt Iran: Rochester Prep Ireland: McOuaid Israel: Pittsford Sutherland Italy: Ithaca Japan: Pittsford Mendon Jordan: Brighton

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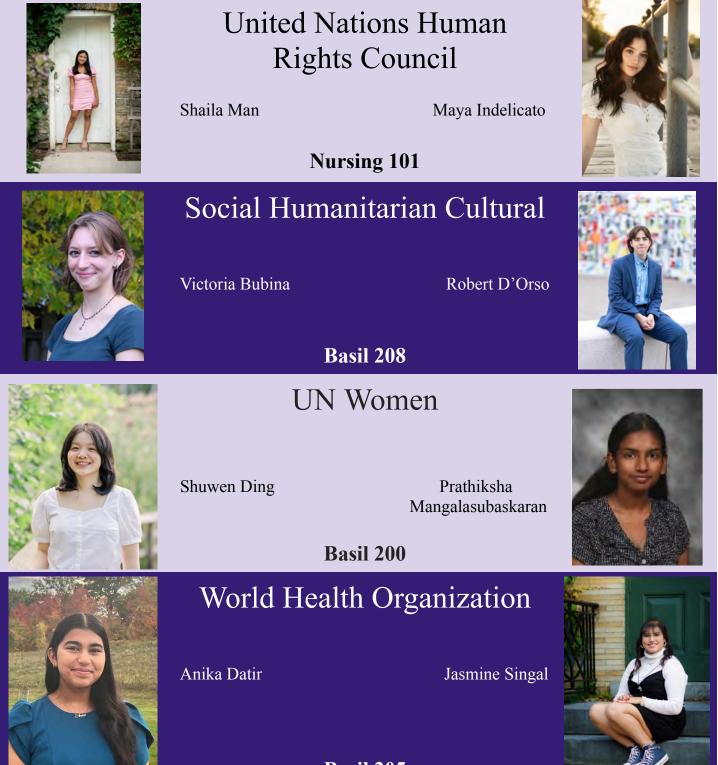


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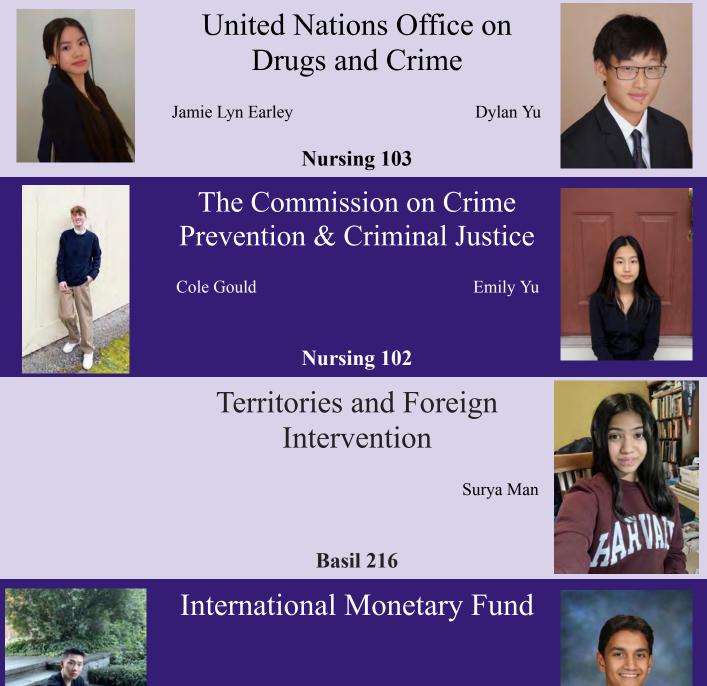
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Crisis 3: Europe Brook Hoffer Basil 2	Ayan Barat	
Crisis 4: I	France	
Shawn Nordstrom Basil 2	Timothy Seo	

Award Criteria

Very Important:

- 1. Polite and respectful
- 2. Sophisticated oration
- 3. Acts according to country policy
- 4. Engages all members of committee
- 5. Shows interest/general aptitude in topic
- 6. Attentive to all aspects of a topic
- 7. Works in a proactive manner (not just "podium grabbing")

Important:

- 1. Passes/contributes constructively to a working paper and/or resolution
- 2. Attendance/punctuality
- 3. Speaks often (but quality over quantity)
- 4. Asks beneficial questions to other delegates
- 5. Knowledge of parliamentary procedure

Somewhat Important:

- 1. Professionally dressed
- 2. Stays on task
- 3. Serious during debate

Not Considered:

- 1. School of delegate
- 2. Personal relationships with delegate
- 3. Past encounters with delegate
- 4. Experience (except for Best New Delegate/Journalist)
- 5. Advisor Influence
- 6. Seating Choices

Delegation Award Criteria

Large & Small Delegation Award:

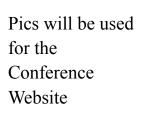
Decided based on a point system. School's awards total and delegation size.

- Best Delegate Awards = 3 points each
- Outstanding Delegate Awards = 2 points each
- Best New Delegate Awards = 1 point each

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Welcome Model UN Delegates

United Nations Association of Rochester (UNAR) is your Conference host today and welcomes you to Model UN 2024.

The Board of Directors of the United Nations Association of Rochester (UNAR) invites you to become a member of UNA-USA Rochester Chapter.

Students in high school and college are eligible for <u>FREE</u> membership in UNA-USA/UNAR.

Go to the UNA-USA website at www.unausa.org/join/ <u>OR</u> Scan this QR code □ and sign up today!

Under "Additional Information", 2nd box, select **"NY-Rochester"** as your UNA Community Chapter.

Please share this information with your parents, family and/or friends. Become an official UNAR member.

As a UNA-USA Rochester Chapter member, you will receive, via email, the latest UN news and information about the important programs in your community.

Visit UNAR website <u>www.unar.org/ OR</u> Scan this QR code to see how UNAR engages with our community in Rochester NY.

Stay in touch. Become a **UNAR Intern** while in college. UNAR and our community partners offer internship placements working with refugees, international agencies in Rochester, New York.

Stay in touch! Have a great conference. Become a UNAR member!!

The United Nations Association of Rochester is dedicated to supporting, in the greater Rochester area, the strengthening of the United Nations System and the role of the United States in that system, and to promote multilateral efforts to advance the goals of the United Nations Charter, such as human rights and global peace.

Mission Statement







Model UN Parliamentary Procedure Cheat Sheet

One of the hardest aspects of Model UN to grasp is *parlimentary procedure*. Remember that whenever you'd like to ask a question or participate in some way, raise your **placard**. Below is a quick table of information:

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Motion to Open the Speakers List	Allows delegates to sign up to speak.	Simple Majority Vote
Motion to Set the Speaker's Time	Sets or changes the amount of time each delegate has to speak.	Simple Majority Vote
Point of Information	Allows a delegate to question a speaker.	Decision of Speaker (Speaker can yield time to the chairpersons and not take questions)
Point of Inquiry	Allows a delegate to ask the chairperson a question regarding the rules of procedure. Must be made can be made when the floor is open (i.e. when no other delegate is speaking)	Na Vote
Point of Personal Privilege	Allows a delegate to inform the chairperson of a physical discomfort he or she is experiencing, such as not being able to hear another delegate's speech.	No Vote
Point of Order	Used when a delegate believes the chair has made an error in the running of the committee. The delegate should only specify the errors they believe were made in the formal committee procedure, and may not address the topic being discussed.	Decision of Chair
Motion to Hold a Moderated Caucus	A moderated caucus is a mixture of both formal and informal debate. Delegates raise their placards and, after being called on by the Chair, speak one at a time about the topic. Time limit of the caucus is limited.	Simple Majority Vote
Motion to Hold an Unmoderated Caucus	In an unmoderated caucus, delegates meet informally with one another to discuss and negotiate draft resolutions, amendments and other issues. Delegates can move around and committee procedure is suspended. Time limit of the caucus is limited.	Simple Majority Vote
Motion to Adjourn Meeting	Ends the committee session until the next session, which might be the next year's conference, or after lunch or dinner.	Simple Majority Vote
Motion to Move Into Voting Procedure / Close Debate	Allows delegates to move the committee to a vote on a resolution.	Two-Thirds Majority Vote
Motion to Adjourn (Table)	Used to table (put on hold) all of the work that the committee has completed on a particular topic. Usually you can come back to the topic at a later time.	Two-Thirds Majority Vote



Model UN Resolutions Cheat Sheet

Model UN revolves around resolving issues. The best way to do this is by passing resolutions, or compiled lists of information that address a topic in ways that respect a nation's **national sovereignty** (power to rule itself and not have anyone else rule a nation unless they allow it), look at the topic with different mindsets, and address the topic in a multitude of ways. Please note that **money** is *not* an issue in Model UN. We do not deal with the restricting issues that money brings, so just assume we have unlimited funds.

In order to create a resolution, unlike your English essays, you have to look at the two different sections of it, preambulatory and operative clauses.

Preambulatory Clauses

In this section, you get to address the problem by citing statistics. This is your chance to show the hours of research you've done by compiling the best, most mind-blowing statistics in your resolution to set the stage and impress your readers. Aside from statistics, you can reference the UN Charter, cite past UN resolutions or treaties, make general statements (note-none of these should be "actions"-they should just be observations / facts; no ways to resolve to the topic yet!), or quote those from the UN body. Each preambulatory clause should not be numbered; instead, it should start with a preambulatory law word (shown below) which is underlined. The clause should end in a comma.

Commonly Used Preambulatory Clauses:

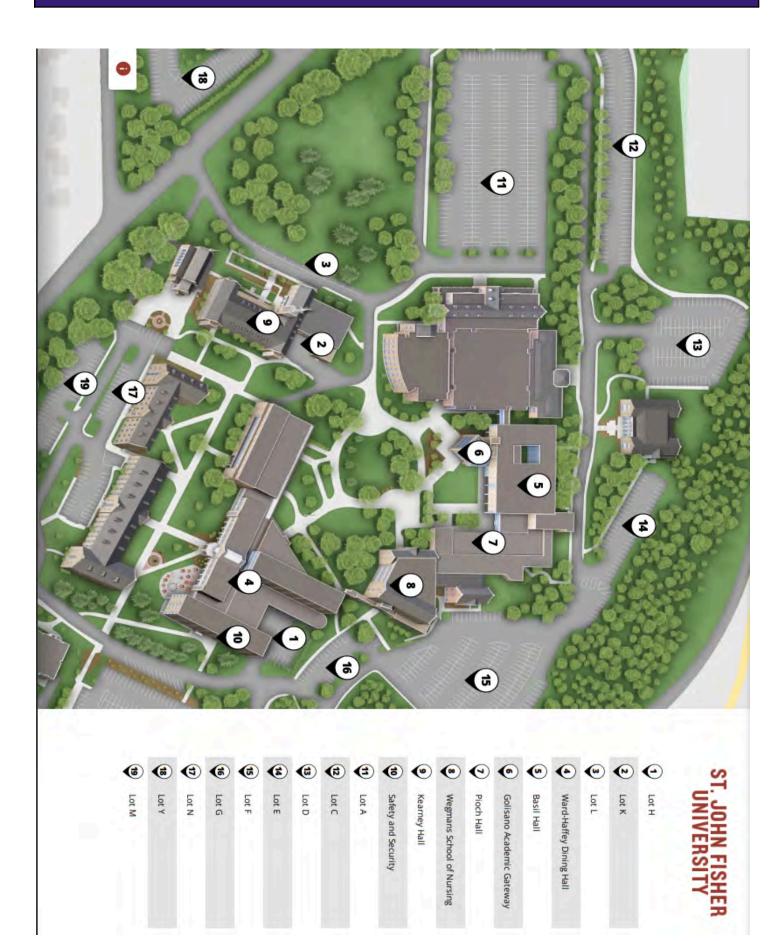
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Operative Clauses

In this section, you will announce your ideas for resolution of the topic. Please note that only the Security Council can use the key word "Condemns" in the beginning of an operative clause. In resolutions, your operative clauses should be numbered (with the key word in the beginning underlined) in a way that each numbered clause expresses a single idea. If you feel a need to elaborate, end the clause with a colon (";") and then make a paragraph break and indent. Now, in your alphabetical list, you can expand upon the idea with excess details (each list item should with a comma except for the last, which should end in a semicolon; these do not need key words). Otherwise, every clause in the operatives should end in a semicolon with the last clause ending with a period for finality.

Commonly	Used	Operation	e Clauses:
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Accepts	Declares accordingly	Further proclaims	Regrets
Affirms	Deplores	Further reminds	Reminds.
Approves	Des gnates	Further recommends	Requests
Authorizes	Draws the attention	Further requests	Solemnly affirms
Calls	Emphasizes	Further resolves	Strongly condemna
Calls upon	Encourages	Has resolved	Supports
Condemns	Endorses	Notes	Takes note of
Confirme	Expresses its appreciation	Proclaims.	Transmits.
Congratulates	Expresses its hope-	Reaffirmer	Trests
Considers.	Further invites	Recommenda	



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