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People Help The People - (Re-) Building Democracies For A Better Future!



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Preface

Honourable Chairs, Dear Delegates,
On behalf of the MUNelly team, we are honoured to welcome you to the 12th annual Model United Nations at Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium Neuss. We're very glad to welcome so many of you here.

In the context of rapid changes, the resilience and strength of democracies are being put to the test. This year's theme, "**People Help The People – (Re-)Building Democracies For A Better Future,**" encourages us to consider how collaboration, innovation, and shared responsibility can contribute to a brighter and more inclusive future. By engaging in dialogue and supporting one another, we can work towards solutions to the challenges democracies face today.

MUNelly provides a platform for you, to engage in meaningful debates, develop creative solutions, and deepen your understanding of global politics. Beyond improving your English and debating skills, this conference offers an opportunity to meet new people, share unforgettable moments, and gain valuable insights into the workings of the United Nations.

We are looking forward to welcoming you at the Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium and wish you a great experience during the conference. We are eager to experience an interesting conference, which you will hopefully enjoy as much as we did in planning it.

Your Secretary-Generals
Max Wimmer and Konrad Bremer

Schedule

<u>Time</u>	<u>Agenda</u>	<u>Room</u>
Thursday 23/01/2025		
8:30	Registration	Forum
9:00	Opening Ceremony	Forum
9:45	Roll Call -> Committees in Session	See Booklet pages 7-11
12:00	Lunch UNHRC	Forum
12:20	Lunch UNEP	Forum
12:40	Lunch UNSC + Roll Call UNHRC	Forum/ Assigned Room
13:00	Lunch UNICEF + Roll Call UNEP	Forum/ Assigned Room
13:40	Roll Call UNSC	Assigned Room
14:00	Roll Call UNICEF	Assigned Room
15:15	Committee photos UNEP	Forum
15:45	Committee photos UNHRC	Forum
Approximately 17:00	End of Conference Day 1	

<u>Time</u>	<u>Agenda</u>	<u>Room</u>
Friday		
24/01/2025		
8:30	Roll Call in. Committee	Assigned Room
9:45	Committee photos UNICEF	Forum
10:15	Committee photos UNSC	Forum
12:00	Lunch UNHRC	Forum
12:20	Lunch UNEP	Forum
12:40	Lunch UNSC + Roll Call UNHRC	Forum/ Assigned Room
13:00	Lunch UNICEF + Roll Call UNEP	Forum/ Assigned Room
13:40	Roll Call UNSC	Assigned Room
14:00	Roll Call UNICEF	Assigned Room
14:15	Group photo	Forum
15:00	Superlatives	Assigned Room
15:30	Closing ceremony	Forum
Approximately 16:00	End of Conference Day 2	

Dress Code

As MUNelly is a formal and serious event, all delegates are expected to dress accordingly.

Girls, boys, and diverse individuals are expected to wear a business suit, suit and tie or costume with a blouse or shirt underneath, or a dress. Skirts or dresses should be no shorter than two fingers above the knee. Acceptable shoes include court shoes, ballerinas, or clean white, grey, or black sneakers.



Important things to keep in mind...

1. Every participant of the conference and the school staff must be treated with respect.
2. All delegates must follow the orders of the chairs and respect the decisions they make.
3. Please make sure you have an opening speech ready.

Committees

UN Security Council (UNSC) Room: Ground Floor 0.022

Topic A: The question of the legitimacy of foreign military support for rebel groups seeking to overthrow authoritarian regimes

Topic B: The Humanitarian and Security Implications of the Ongoing Conflict in Syria: A Comprehensive Approach to Stabilization, Reconstruction, and Accountability

Chairs: Carolina Schuller (Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium); Max Wimmer (Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium)

Country	Delegate	School
Brazil	Harley Reineke	Scala Collage
Democratic Peoples Republik of Korea	Abel Janssen	Scala Collage
Democratic Republic of Kongo	Storm Poortman	Scala Collage
Equador	Amal Abukar	Scala Collage
France	Brian Zimmermann	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
Germany	Renate Tfanakchi	Scala Collage
Norway	Tyler Hawkes	-
Peoples Republic of China	Luca Colla	Scala Collage
Russian Federation	Konrad Bremer	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
Slowenia	Rens Hage	Scala Collage
South Africa	Anes Mujkic	Quirinus-Gymnasium
Syria	Carolin Lutzka	-
Ukraine	-	-
United Kingdom	Sara Kroon	Scala Collage
United States of America	Feline Schippers	Scala Collage

Committees

UN International Children Emergency Fund (UNICEF) Room: Ground Floor 0.020

Topic A: The question of recruiting children as soldiers in conflict zones

Topic B: The question of combating malnutrition and famine among children in regions governed by authoritarian regimes

Topic C: The question of enforcing children's rights in countries where child marriage and forced labor are prevalent

Chairs: Jonathan Schuller (Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium); Lasse Wolfers (Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium)

Country	Delegate	School
Afghanistan	Aniuddha Nair	Cologne International School
Bangladesh	Nathaniel Mur	Cologne International School
Brazil	Egehan Gulsen	Cologne International School
Canada	Celine Laubach	Gymnasium St Wolfhelm
Chile	Valentina Heleno	Cologne International School
Democratic Republic of Kongo	Mithun Krishna Nithiyanandam	Cologne International School
Etiopia	Elif Koca	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
France	Eva Melles	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
Georgia	Isabella Moré Heleno	Cologne International School
Germany	Lara Majid	Quirinus-Gymnasium
Iran	Alexander Idekeit	Cologne International School
Israel	James Holmes	Cologne International School
Italy	Johanna Appelfeller	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
Japan	Zainab AL-Nuaimi	Quirinus-Gymnasium
Mexico	Parvathi Nair V	Cologne International School
Morroco	Fatima Akaouch Ayadi	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
New Zealand	David Gerdorn	Cologne International School
Peoples Republic of China	Emma Geisler	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
Puerto Rico	Angelina Optenplatz	Gymnasium St Wolfhelm
Russian Federation	Zuzanna Walkowiak	Quirinus-Gymnasium
Saudi Arabia	Tanay Desai	Cologne International School
Senegal	Liam Lippet	Cologne International School
Spain	Lisanne Zühkle	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
United States of America	Sia Patel	Cologne International School
Uzbekistan	Anna Mogyorosi	Cologne International School

Committees

UN Human Rights Council (UNHRC)

Room: Ground Floor 0.026

Topic A: The question of the right to bodily autonomy and access to abortion in countries with restrictive laws

Topic B: The question of establishing health care as a human right to everyone and avoiding financial exploitation

Chairs: Gloria Kaba (Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium); Nika Nouri (Quirinus-Gymnasium)

Country	Delegate	School
Australia	Nina Zhao	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
Bahrain	Seb Pieterse	Scala College
Bangladesh	Naoufal Beladel	Scala College
Croatia	Laura Korati	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
Cuba	Tim van der Wal	Scala College
Finland	Ali Mohammad Kazemi Khaledi	Quirinus-Gymnasium
France	Rayan Boubnan	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
Germany	Alexander Spritzer	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
India	Romy Gille	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
Indonesia	Ingmar Bijsterveld	Scala College
Iran	Finja Übrick	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
Kazakhstan	Quinten de Bruin	Scala College
Kenia	Aurélien Babier Cuesta	Scala College
Nepal	Thomas Hofland	Scala College
Netherlands	Jade van Leeuwen	Scala College
Peoples Republic of China	Lara Fargo	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
Poland	Jasmine van Marsbergen	Scala College
Quatar	Agnus Schildmeijer	Scala College
Russian Federation	Lias Brosch	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
Somalia	Jasmijn Bak	Scala College
South Africa	Sam van Rootselaar	Scala College
Sri Lanka	Iris Bak	Scala College
Ukraine	Thor Verbrugge	Scala College
United Kingdom	Katelijn Van Beusejkom	Scala College
United States of America	Levi Brosch	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium

Committees

UN Environmental Program (UNEP)

Room: Ground Floor 0.027

Topic A: The question of holding multinational corporations accountable for environmental degradation in developing countries

Topic B: The question of supporting small island developing states (SIDS) in combating climate change-induced rising sea levels

Topic C: The question of implementing a global carbon tax to reduce greenhouse gas emissions

Chairs: Jonas Wittkamp (Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium); Ala Nasirizoveiki (Quirinus-Gymnasium)

Country	Delegate	School
Argentina	-	-
Belgium	Annika Breßer	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
Canada	Bryar Azeez	Cologne International School
Croatia	Angelina Savchenko	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
Egypt	-	-
Fiji	Alden Decker	Gymnasium St Wolfhelm
France	Mirja Schillings	Quirinus-Gymnasium
Hellenic Republic	Finja Könings	Gymnasium St Wolfhelm
Iceland	-	-
India	Rafaelle Rodriguez	Cologne International School
Indonesia	Macy Köhler	Cologne International School
Italy	Alessa Tariverdi	Cologne International School
Madagascar	-	-
Nepal	-	-
Netherlands	Mira Soiron	Cologne International School
New Zealand	Pengzhang Xu	Quirinus-Gymnasium
Nigeria	-	-
Peoples Republic of China	Wilhelm Meng	Cologne International School
Russian Federation	Alexander Pisartsov	Cologne International School
Serbia	-	-
Seychellen	-	-
Singapore	Kevin Gruetters	Cologne International School
Türkiye	Nico Holzhaider	Nelly-Sachs-Gymnasium
United Kingdom	Arya Kanli	Cologne International School
United States of America	Feizi Seitaj	Cologne International School

The newbie guide

So, if you're reading this, this is probably your first conference. You are in your smart suit or dress or costume or whatever you decided is formal enough for this occasion. Hopefully, you are excited and maybe a bit scared. You probably had some kind of schooling or training and are waiting to put your knowledge into action. There is only one problem: The roles of procedure are complex and hard to remember and what you have been told might not be enough. Every conference is slightly different. But do not panic – we are here to help you out.

First things first. There is good news. You can always ask the delegate next to you or – even better – your chairs. Most people are happy to share their knowledge! Besides, it is your chairs' job to answer your question. Do not hesitate to ask, because that's what they're there for. Most chairs will even ask if they have first timers in their committee, just to keep an eye on them and help them out if necessary.

Okay. But what if the worst-case scenario occurs: There's nobody around you to ask because everyone is busy? That will probably not happen, but it gives me the opportunity to share another important tip with you. It is quite simple. Just watch what everyone else is doing. So don't be afraid to make mistakes, that's normal and healthy. The rules of procedure and everything else you need to know will come naturally to you during the debate.

And of course, there is always help online. Helpful resources are our website www.munelly.de, www.unausa.org, www.bestdelegate.com and this app:



Model UN

The format for your resolution

FORUM: Name of the Committee

QUESTION OF: Full Issue

CO-SUBMITTED BY: Names of the countries that co-submitted your resolution

NAME OF THE COMMITTEE

Pre-Ambulatory clause

Etc.

1. Operative Clause
2. Operative Clause
3. Etc.

Sample resolution

Resolution GA/3/1.1

General Assembly Third Committee

Sponsors: United States, Austria and Italy

Signatories: Greece, Tajikistan, Japan, Canada, Mali, the Netherlands and Gabon

Topic: "Strengthening UN coordination of humanitarian assistance in complex emergencies"

The General Assembly,

Reminding all nations of the celebration of the 50th anniversary of the *Universal Declaration of Human Rights*, which recognizes the inherent dignity, equality and inalienable rights of all global citizens, **[use commas to separate preambulatory clauses]**

Reaffirming its Resolution 33/1996 of 25 July 1996, which encourages Governments to work with UN bodies aimed at improving the coordination and effectiveness of humanitarian assistance,

Noting with satisfaction the past efforts of various relevant UN bodies and nongovernmental organizations,

Stressing the fact that the United Nations faces significant financial obstacles and is in need of reform, particularly in the humanitarian realm,

1. Encourages all relevant agencies of the United Nations to collaborate more closely with countries at the grassroots level to enhance the carrying out of relief efforts; **[use semicolons to separate operative clauses]**

2. Urges member states to comply with the goals of the UN Department of Humanitarian Affairs to streamline efforts of humanitarian aid;

3. Requests that all nations develop rapid deployment forces to better enhance the coordination of relief efforts of humanitarian assistance in complex emergencies;

4. Calls for the development of a United Nations Trust Fund that encourages voluntary donations from the private transnational sector to aid in funding the implementation of rapid deployment forces;

5. Stresses the continuing need for impartial and objective information on the political, economic and social situations and events of all countries;

6. Calls upon states to respond quickly and generously to consolidated appeals for humanitarian assistance; and

7. Requests the expansion of preventive actions and assurance of post-conflict assistance through reconstruction and development. **[end resolutions with a period]**

Pre-Ambulatory in alphabetical order

Acknowledging

Affirming

Alarmed by

Approving

Aware of

Bearing in mind

Believing

Confident

Congratulating

Conscious

Contemplating

Convinced

Declaring

Deeply concerned/ conscious/ convinced/ disturbed /regretting

Desiring

Emphasizing

Expecting

Expressing its appreciation/ concern/satisfaction

Fully alarmed /aware/ believing Further recalling

Guided by

Having adopted/ considered/ devoted /attention/ examined/ heard /received /studied

Keeping in mind

Noting

Noting further

Noting with appreciation /approval /deep concern/ regret / satisfaction

Observing

Pointing out

Reaffirming

Realizing

Recalling

Recognizing

Referring

Reminding

Seeking

Stressing

Talking into account/ consideration

Taking note

Viewing with appreciation

Welcoming

Operative Clauses

Accepts

Affirms

Approves

Authorizes

Calls

Calls upon

Condemns

Confirms

Congratulates

Considers

Declaring

Deploring

Decides

Designates

Draws the attention

Emphasizes

Encourages

Endorses

Expresses its appreciation

Expresses its hope

Further declaring

Further deploring

Further invites

Further proclaims

Further reminds

Further recommends

Further requests

Further resolves

Has resolved

Notes Proclaims

Reaffirms

Recommends

Regrets

Reminds

Requests

Solemnly affirms

Strongly condemns

Supports

Clauses printed in cursive can only be used by members of the Security Council.

Motions

Motions are one way of moving on in a debate. A motion makes it possible for you to entertain a resolution, get lobbying time or move into voting procedure. Any motion requires at least one 'second,' meaning that at least one other person must agree to the motion. If you don't want a motion to happen, you can call "objection". This forces you to take the floor and explain your objection.

Motion	Meaning
Motion to move into lobbying time	Asking for lobbying time to convince other delegates of your resolution
Motion to move into time in favor	If you are debating a resolution or amendment and want to speak in favor it, but you are in time in favor/or else
Motion to move into time against	If you are debating on an resolution or amendment and you want to speak against it but you are in time in favor/or else
Motion to move into voting procedure	If you want to vote about a resolution or amendment. You have to be in time against.
Motion to entertain a resolution	If you are in an open debate and want to discuss your resolution
Motion to entertain an amendment	If you want to change something in a resolution that is discussed. You need to be in time against and fill out an amendment sheet, which you sent to your chairs