



American Model United Nations Conference Participation Newsletter 20-23 November 2021

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22 November – Your Day at a Glance

Greetings from the AMUN Secretariat! Sunday was a successful day in all simulations. We hope you're enjoying your time at the AMUN Conference so far. Here is your Day at a Glance for Monday, 22 November.

AMUN's Graduate School and Career Expo

AMUN's annual Graduate School and Career Expo will be held today from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Please encourage all of your students to attend; we have a diverse and excellent group of exhibitors who've come a long way to meet with your students and offer opportunities for their futures. This year's list of Expo exhibitors includes:

- AYA Salzburg Study Abroad Program, BGSU
- DePaul University College of Law
- Seton Hall Law School
- Baylor Law
- Valparaiso University
- Marquette University Graduate School
- UC San Diego School of Global Policy and Strategy
- University of Illinois College of Law
- DePaul University Grace School of Applied Diplomacy
- Case Western Reserve University School of Law
- George Washington University Elliott School of International Affairs
- Marquette University Law School
- University of San Francisco
- Chicago-Kent College of Law
- Jimmy and Rosalynn Carter School for Peace and Conflict Resolution
- Texas A&M University - Bush School of Government and Public Service
- Goldsmiths, University of London
- Mitchell Hamline School of Law

Permanent Representative & FA Meeting

The final Permanent Representative and FA Meeting is today. Like the previous two meetings you attended, this will be held in the Michigan A/B Room on Level 2 of the Sheraton. The meeting will run from 10:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. CT. This meeting will cover all conference subjects not covered by the rules meeting and the hotel issues meeting. This meeting will be run by AMUN Executive Director Shannon Dunn and the Secretary-General of the 2021 Conference, Dr. Alexandra Middlewood.

AMUN Country Lottery for 2022

The 2022 conference starts today with AMUN's Country Lottery. The lottery will be held from 11:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. in the Michigan A/B Room on Level 2 of the Sheraton. AMUN recommends groups consider the following questions when filling out the lottery application and making a country selection:

- How many people does your group typically bring? Look at the minimum and maximum number of students for each country and choose one that you'll be able to comfortably fill.
- How experienced will your group be next year? Will your group be able to handle a Security Council country or one with a complex approach to international relations?
- Is there a specific region of the world your group would like to focus on? Do you or your students have a particular interest or expertise in a region or issue?
- Are there particular simulations that you want the opportunity to participate in?
- If you will be selecting more than one country, consider the combination of countries that you might select—for example, do you want to aim for countries that might naturally work together, or ones that will allow your students to explore very different parts of the world?

Free Afternoon in Chicago

No conference events will be held from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. CT. We encourage you to explore the great city of Chicago and discover the delights of the city.

From the glamorous storefronts of the [Magnificent Mile](#) to the everyday fun of the [Navy Pier](#), the Windy City has it all. Burn off some of that late-night pizza with a [Chicago bike tour](#), or if you've been good about those calories, how about a [walking cupcake tour](#)? Have you been to Chicago's famous [Christmas Market](#)? AMUN loves Chicago, and with the Conference centered in [Chicago's Loop](#) there's plenty to do just a short walk away.

Special Session for Faculty Advisors

AMUN's second and final Special Session for Faculty Advisors will be held from 6:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. in the Michigan A/B Room. This faculty roundtable discussion will be led by Drs. Alexandra Middlewood, AMUN's 2021 Secretary-General and Brian Endless, AMUN's President of the board of directors. They'll be discussing how model UN has changed as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic and how clubs and classrooms are adapting. Please come and share your experiences with other faculty from the conference, every voice is welcome!

AMUN Trivia Night

In lieu of a Representative Dance, AMUN is hosting a Representative Trivia Night in 2021! Teams will battle to score the most points across six rounds to win a prize! Each round has a theme and a twist, so we'll be keeping everyone on their toes! You can look forward to more information on the festivities at the Conference. Please note that only verified AMUN participants will be allowed inside the trivia space. Each person MUST have their credentials to join the trivia night activities. Representatives should register their teams via this [Trivia Team Sign Up Google Form](#) using their assigned @amunrep.org email address.

Security Council Emergency Session

The Historical Security Council of 1973 and the Security Council will both have emergency sessions in their assigned meeting spaces from 1:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m. CT early on the morning of Tuesday, 23 November. These sessions are the narrative climax of the events that both councils have been managing throughout the Conference. All Security Council members should be reminded that their attendance at these emergency sessions is expected. If your normal security council representatives are unable to attend, we kindly ask that you send another member of your team as a replacement. The Crisis will be announced at the Trivia game, or students can come directly to the Council rooms at 1:00 a.m.

Questions, Comments or Concerns?

If you have any questions about this email, please contact us directly at mail@amun.org and we will be happy to help. As always, if you are no longer the primary contact for your school's Model UN club or class, please contact us at mail@amun.org with updated contact information or fill out our [Change of Address/Contact](#) form online.

Good Luck on Your Deliberations,

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