

JEMUN

Model UN Workshops for Educators



What is Model United Nations?

Model United Nations, also known as Model UN or MUN, is an academic simulation of the United Nations. Participants who are referred to as delegates, adopt the persona of designated country ambassadors during simulated discussions. Delegates must research their countries' position on a pre-determined global issue and represent the country accordingly. Model United Nations conferences are an effective educational tool in which students must work with other peers and create practical and innovative solutions to complex real-world issues.

Why should students participate in MUN conferences?

Participating in Model United Nations is an excellent way for students to gain a multitude of 21st century skills that are not often practiced in a traditional classroom setting. Some of these skills include intercultural communication, cooperation, collaboration, public speaking, negotiation, and advanced critical thinking. Discussions at Model UN conferences are demanding and solutions-oriented with the ultimate goal of creating a proposal that a majority of the delegates can agree upon. Through this intense process, participants gain further knowledge of the global issue they are discussing, deeper understanding about the countries which are being represented, heightened communication skills, and new reflections on the world and their own position.

Delegates also gain invaluable leadership experience as they work with international teams forming solutions to important global problems. In today's era of rapid globalization, the 21st century skills that delegates develop at an MUN conference will be useful for any career they take on.

Preparing for Model United Nations conferences

Preparing for Model UN conferences is a time-consuming and challenging process for both student participants and faculty in charge of teaching MUN preparation courses. To properly prepare for an MUN conference, participants usually spend a full semester in an MUN preparation course or a few months studying on their own. Sound a bit overwhelming? Not if you get help from JEMUN.

Model UN Training's Unique Approach to Model United Nations

Most Model UN conferences around the world emphasize competition over cooperation, with awards given to the best or most outspoken delegates. JEMUN is totally against this approach as it is far from what really happens in the United Nations, but more importantly a poor approach to educating students for the future. Over the past 16 years, we have developed a unique and powerful Model UN process that emphasizes collaboration and cooperation over competition. This approach to intercultural communication is being used successfully at JEMUN conferences.

If you are a high school or university educator interested in adding this powerful Model UN approach to your teaching repertoire or curriculum, then JEMUN can set you in the right direction with a variety of training courses.

Model UN Certification Courses for Educators

LEVEL ①

Model UN Advisor Course

Prerequisite: None

Duration: 4 Days

7 hours/day

LEVEL ②

Bureau Advisor Course

Prerequisite: LEVEL ①

Duration: 2 Days

7 hours/day

LEVEL ③

Conference Organizer Course

Prerequisite: LEVEL ① , ②

Duration: 4 Days

7 hours/day

LEVEL ④

Journalism Simulation Advisor Course

Prerequisite: LEVEL ① , ② , ③

Duration: 2 Days

7 hours/day

Certified JEMUN Model United Nations Conference Organizers (LEVEL 3) can apply to JEMUN to register their conference as a regional **Certified JEMUN Conference**.

THE BENEFITS OF BECOMING A **CERTIFIED JEMUN CONFERENCE**



COMMUNITY SUPPORT

Membership in a community of supportive Model UN enthusiasts who recognize the benefits of JEMUN's approach to Model United Nations.



CONFERENCE RESOURCES

Access to conference chairing guides and other valuable meeting resources.



CONFERENCE ADVERTISING

Support with conference recruiting and advertising within the JEMUN community.



ONLINE PREPARATION COURSES

Access to JEMUN's online preparation courses at a discounted rate.



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LEVEL ①
Model UN Training
Model UN Advisor Course
 Duration: 4 Days
 7 hours/day



Sample Course Schedule:

Day 1: The Fundamentals and Preparation

Time	Content	Time	Content
9:00 am - 10:00 am	MUN Introduction	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Agenda Research
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Preparation Process	2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Position Paper
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Country Background	3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Speech Writing
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch	4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Teaching Tips

Day 2: Getting Started and Cooperative Creation

Time	Content	Time	Content
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Formal Debate	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Working Paper
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Speech Delivery	2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Draft Resolution
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Informal Informal Debate	3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Simulation Practice
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch	4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Simulation Practice

Day 3: Amendments and Negotiation

Time	Content	Time	Content
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Amendment Process	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Negotiation
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Documenting Amendments	2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Informal Debate
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Informal Debate	3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Simulation Practice
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch	4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Simulation Practice

Day 4: Voting and Advising

Time	Content	Time	Content
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Voting on Amendments	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Model UN Course Syllabus
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Voting on Draft Resolutions	2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Evaluation
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Simulation Practice	3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Review and Resources
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch	4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Q&A, Certification Ceremony

LEVEL ②
Model UN Training
Bureau Advisor Course
Prerequisite: LEVEL ①
Duration: 2 Days



Day 1: Preparation

Time	Content	Time	Content
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Roles, Responsibilities	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Motions and Points
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Training Schedule/Resources	2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Opening - Formal Debate
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Script, Steps, Organization	3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Informal Informal Debate
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch	4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Tabling the Draft Resolution

Day 2: Formats in Action

Time	Content	Time	Content
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Informal Debate	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Amendment (2)
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Amendment (1)	2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Informal Debate Practice (2)
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Informal Debate Practice	3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Voting
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch	4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Advising Tips, Q&A, Certification Ceremony

LEVEL ③
Model UN Training
Conference Organizer Course
Prerequisite: LEVELS ① , ②
Duration: 3 Days



Day 1: Preparation and Student Leadership

Time	Content	Time	Content
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Theme, Agendas, Guides	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Schedule of Events /Add-ons
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Student Teams, Recruiting	2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Website/App/Master Plan
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Applications/Payment/Fees	3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Preparation for Participants
12:00 pm -1:00 pm	Lunch	4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Conference Materials

Day 2: At the Conference

Time	Content	Time	Content
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Registration/ Meet & Greet	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Technology / Solving Problems
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Opening/Closing Ceremony	2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Awards Process /Certificates
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Businesses/Meeting Rooms	3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Social Events / Speakers
12:00 pm -1:00 pm	Lunch	4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Setting up and Clearing Out

Day 3: Others and Planning

Time	Content	Time	Content
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Transportation/Hotels/Food	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Conference Planning
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Safety / Waivers /Resources	2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Conference Planning
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Conference Planning Sheets	3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Presentation and Feedback
12:00 pm -1:00 pm	Lunch	4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Q&A, Certification Ceremony

LEVEL ④
Model UN Training
Journalism Simulation Advisor Course
Prerequisite: LEVELS ① , ②, and ③
Duration: 2 Days
7 hours/day

Course Content:

Day 1: The Nuts and Bolts

Time	Content	Time	Content
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Seamless Integration	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Pre-conference Assignments
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Multi-format, Multi-cultural	2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Advising and Management
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Materials, Software, Layout	3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Coverage Boards
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch	4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Journalism Room Tips

Day 1: Formats in Action

Time	Content	Time	Content
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Video/Videographer Proces	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Social Media Process
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Podcast Process	2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Photo / Cartoon Process
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Newspaper Process	3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Digital Magazine Process
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch	4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Advising tips, Q&A, Certification Ceremony