



2023 MMUN COMMITTEES & TOPICS

DISEC

Topic 1: Youth, Disarmament and Non-Proliferation



As leaders of tomorrow, youths have an important role to play when it comes to raising awareness and developing new ways to educate, engage and discuss threats, disarmament and non-proliferation. Delegates will discuss disarmament, non-proliferation and arms control issues.

Topic 2: Role of Science and Technology in the Context of International Security



This topic stresses the importance of reviewing the significant developments that are being made in the fields of science and technology related to international security and disarmament. Delegates will discuss the developments that continue to accelerate, as well as the reporting and regulatory efforts which correspondingly need to increase.

ECOFIN

Topic 1: Convention on Biological Diversity



This topic will explore biodiversity at all levels including ecosystems, species and genetic resources which are fundamental to a healthy planet. The goal of discussions will be to encourage actions which lead to a sustainable future.

Topic 2: Sustainable Development - The Special Situation of Landlocked Developing Countries



This topic will encourage discussion surrounding the variety of challenges to sustainable development that are faced by landlocked developing countries, including structural impediments that limit trade, high transport costs due to limited or no access to the sea, and geographical isolation preventing participation in the world economy.

ECOSOC

Topic 1: Space as a Driver of Sustainable Development



This topic will bring about discussions and planning related to space activities, technologies and innovations in an effort to help to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals. Delegates will create resolutions related to harnessing the potential that space contributions can offer the global effort toward sustainability.

Topic 2: Culture of Peace



Delegates will discuss, debate and negotiate resolutions which promote respect for all human life and as well as sustainable economic and social development. They will look at areas related to education, conflict prevention, gender equality, tolerance, to name a few, in order to come up with actions that promote international peace and security.

HRC

Topic 1: Adequate Housing



The exploration of this topic begins by developing an understanding of basic human rights as adequate housing is well understood universally as a basic need of human beings. As delegates study this topic, they will discuss the significance of a secure place to live as it relates to human dignity, physical and mental health and overall quality of life.

Topic 2: Rights of the Child



The UN General Assembly adopted the Declaration of the Rights of the Child, which identifies children's rights to protection, education, health care, shelter, and good nutrition, yet, around the world, millions of children are denied a fair chance to these rights for no reason other than the country, gender or circumstances into which they are born. Delegates will find ways to promote inclusive economic growth, protect children from inequities, and combat the dangers of disadvantage.

FAO

Topic 1: Impact of the Ukraine-Russia conflict on global food security and related matters



As they study this topic, delegates will explore the critical role that this conflict plays in global agriculture from an international trade perspective. They will discuss the impact on poor countries and vulnerable groups, find creative ways to establish more diverse food supplies, and discuss ways to strengthen the food economy while reducing risk.

Topic 2: Empowerment of Rural Women



Delegates studying this topic will explore the ways in which empowering rural women to become farmers, entrepreneurs and leaders will reduce poverty and increase food security. Solutions will help to shape strategies, policies and educational programs that improve food and nutrition, and improve rural livelihoods.

UNSC

Topic 1: Role of Diamonds in Fueling Conflicts



This topic requires exploration of the ways in which the diamond trade contributes to the economies of many nations, while examining how the international diamond industry can be directly linked to the fuelling of armed conflicts, thus affecting the peace, safety and security of people in affected countries. The committee will create solutions which support the positive benefits of the legitimate diamond trade, and provide international actions to prevent the problem of conflict diamonds negatively affecting the trade of legitimate diamonds.

Topic 2: The Situation in Central America: Progress in Fashioning a Region of Peace, Freedom, Democracy and Development.



This topic will require a review of the ways in which international cooperation in efforts toward establishing order along with the promotion of sustainable development are essential for ensuring a peaceful change in the Central American region. Delegates will examine the peace and reconciliation efforts of various nations to date, as well as actions taken by the UN Security Council in the past in order to encourage a region of peace and promote development.