

SDG DESIGNS ONSITE AND ONLINE



ACTIVITY

GOAL

Create an original design for the MMUN Conference Student contestants are asked to create a design for the conference that illustrates Maria Montessori's vision of having children collaborate to find solutions to the world's most pressing problems, the Sustainable Development Goals To learn more: <u>https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org</u>

Please note that for the 2024 Conferences, the Goals selected for the SDG Design are:

NYC February Conference 2024 NYC March Conference 2024

Rome Conference 2024 Online Conference 2024



TIME

Due four-six weeks before the conference.

MATERIALS

US letter or A4 paper. Design must be hand drawn by using paints or colored pencils. Students are requested to hand draw their design. Computer assisted designs will not be considered since the goal is for students to create their own unique representations.

WINNING DESIGN

One design per conference is chosen. The winning design concept (1 per conference) will be developed by a professional designer to create the final image for the conference design (in a digital vector file).

The selection of the design contest winner is based upon a combination of factors, including: the concept expressed, the creativity, and the ability to develop the design concepts. The winning selection must be consistent and supportive of creating solutions to the world's most pressing problems, the Sustainable Development Goals.

The design contest is not a judgment on the technical design abilities of the submission.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE

The last date for design submissions differs by Conference:

December 6TH, 2023 for the 2024 NYC FEBRUARY CONFERENCE

January 10TH, 2024 for the 2024 NYC MARCH CONFERENCE

February 28TH, 2024 for the 2024 ROME CONFERENCE

APRIL 3RD, 2024 for the 2024 ONLINE CONFERENCE

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- 1. The design must be hand-drawn on a blank paper (US letter 8.5" x 11" or A4 paper 8.3" x 11.7").
- 2. Teachers must scan the drawing, save it as a PDF or JPEG, and upload it to the Design Contest Application Form on your school dashboard, within the deadlines for Step 3 (please note that they differ by Conference) one design per delegate.
- 3. Please indicate your school name, name, and age of the student who has created the design.
- 4. Please upload a pdf that contains 2 pages: 1 for the design and 1 for a short description (of 5 lines at least) of what the design symbolizes and the decision to have this image represent the SDG goal in question.

QUESTIONS?

If you have questions, please contact us at info@montessori-mun.org