



PREPMUN 2019 DELEGATE HANDBOOK

WELCOME LETTER

BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Dear Delegates,

It is my pleasure to welcome you to the 9th edition of the Model United Nations Preparatory Conference (PREPMUN). This year, PREPMUN has the pleasure of hosting over 900 student participants from 80 different schools. Being a preparatory conference, PREPMUN is much more than a 'regular' MUN Conference – we seek to equip our participants with the core competencies required to participate effectively in MUN Conferences.

In this vein, PREPMUN places a significant emphasis on its MUN Training Programmes where delegates – irrespective of their MUN experience level – can seek to gain key insights on MUN and their council-specific topics. Over the next few days, delegates can expect intellectually stimulating training and debate sessions.

With strong importance placed on academic rigour, as well as endless opportunities for delegates to improve on public speaking, negotiation, and leadership abilities, PREPMUN is the ideal platform for students to hone their hard and soft skills while discussing pressing current affairs.

Another key feature of PREPMUN is its keen focus on Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). This year, we seek to continue to increase awareness of the SDGs and Singapore's role in fulfilling them. Our councils and topics are aligned with the various SDGs to foster constructive debate on possible real-life approaches and solutions.

Ultimately, we hope to nurture youth into engaged global citizens of tomorrow, and we are deeply honoured to host you at the Singapore Institute of Management for the next 4 days.

Sincerely,
Akshath Malik
Secretary-General, PREPMUN

ABOUT PREPMUN

Held over 4 days in December, the Model United Nations Preparatory Conference (PREPMUN) is focused on students who have little to no prior MUN experience, but is open to all. Participants will be guided through MUN simulations, listen to guest speakers from civil society, and ultimately gain more knowledge about the UN and Singapore.

Founded in 2011, the Model United Nations Preparatory Conference (PREPMUN) is one of the biggest simulation conferences in Singapore. Having started off as a 100-delegate conference, it has grown by leaps and bounds both in terms of our size and mission fulfilment. In our 2018 conference, over 900 individuals of various schools nationwide participated in our four-day conference, including student-delegates, administrative team, academic team, and the Secretariat.

Through the years, we have collectively reached out to over 2,500 individuals from over 90 schools through our conference and training programmes.

In its ninth edition this year, PREPMUN has grown to become one of Singapore's most prestigious and well-attended conferences.

ABOUT SIM

The Singapore Institute of Management (SIM Group) is a leading private education and lifelong learning institution in Singapore. We offer a diverse range of education pathways and professional training and are known for the rigour and quality of our programmes.

Founded in 1964 on the initiative of the Economic Development Board to support Singapore's industrialisation, SIM is a professional society with over 35,000 individual and corporate members who have access to a wide range of learning courses, published resources and networking events.

Today, the SIM Group is a diverse and vibrant organisation that caters to different segments of learners through the following brands: SIM Global Education, SIM International Academy, Singapore (Cambodia) International Academy, SIM Professional Development and Platform E.

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

DAY 1

TUESDAY, 17 DEC

09:30 - Registration
10:30 - Opening Ceremony
12:00 - Lunch
13:00 - Council Session 1
18:00 - Dismissal

DAY 2

WEDNESDAY, 18 DEC

09:00 - Council Session 2
12:00 - Lunch
13:00 - Council Session 3 &
Guest Speaker Lectures
18:00 - Dismissal

DAY 3

THURSDAY, 19 DEC

09:00 - Council Session 4
12:00 - Lunch
13:00 - Council Session 5
18:00 - Dismissal

DAY 4

FRIDAY, 20 DEC

09:00 - Council Session 6
12:00 - Lunch
13:00 - Council Session 7
16:30 - Awards and Closing
Ceremony
18:00 - Dinner and Dance
20:00 - End of Dinner and
Dance



COMMITTEES

CATEGORY A

World Health Organisation (WHO)	SR A.1.11
United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF)	SR A.1.14
Special Political and Decolonisation Committee (SPECPOL)	SR A.1.15
United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)	SR A.3.12
Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (SOCHUM)	SR A.3.15
United Nations Human Rights Council (UNHRC)	SR A.3.17C
Disarmament and International Security Committee (DISEC)	SR A.3.11
United Nations High Commission for Refugees (UNHCR)	SR A.4.06
United Nations Commission on the Status of Women (UNSCW)	SR A.4.07B
Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC)	SR A.4.09A
	SR A.3.14 on Dec 19
United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC)	SR A.4.18



COMMITTEES

CATEGORY B

Group of Twenty (G20)	SR A.2.14
United States Senate (US Senate)	SR A.2.15
African Union (AU)	SR A.4.11
Organisation for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE)	SR A.4.12
Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO)	SR A.4.14
Organisation of American States (OAS)	SR A.4.15
North Atlantic Treaty Organisation (NATO)	SR A.4.17C
Pacific Islands Forum (PIF)	SR B.5.10

CATEGORY C

United Nations Security Council (UNSC)	SR B.5.08
House of Commons of the United Kingdom (HOC)	SR B.5.09
Crisis: Jos Plateau Herders Council	SR B.4.08
Crisis: Jos Plateau Farmers Council	SR B.4.09
Crisis: Plateau State Government	SR B.4.10

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