



At a Crossroads
Intent, Implementation, Impact

Registration Handbook

We live in an increasingly dangerous world and **huge challenges must be tackled** collectively at once.

Peacekeeping is of utmost urgency: we need to prevent the spreading and worsening of conflicts, especially in eastern Europe and Asia. The challenge of peacekeeping, moreover, has become inextricably intertwined with **long-standing issues** that we have taken too long to address. In this regard, the war in Ukraine has highlighted the world's shortcomings in energy policy, compounding the challenge of the long-overdue adoption of environmentally-friendly policies while also sustaining economic growth – with the additional challenge of curbing unusually high inflation rates.

As tensions rise throughout **several hotspots around the globe**, the issue of Human Rights, precisely in such areas, has also become more relevant than ever, especially when taking into account the situation of women in Afghanistan and Iran. In connection with this, the migrant crisis that originated in the past decade has barely subsided, just as receiving countries appear willing to introduce more intense patrolling and further entry restrictions.

Therefore, we undoubtedly stand **at a crossroads** regarding Human Rights, energy policies, peacekeeping and an unstable economy.

We can only address these huge challenges together as a global community – our hope in the United Nations must be **stronger than ever**.

Countdown to Participation

November 2022: All schools' requests to participate ([Form I](#)) and [Student Officer applications](#) must be received by **December 1st, 2022**.

December 2022: Delegations and Student Officer appointments will be published by **15th December 2022** on the [LAMUN website](#).

March 2023: The LAMUN Committee must receive the complete list of participating students (Form II) no later than the **13th of March 2023**.

April 2023: The conference will take place from **27th - 29th April**. All international delegates are invited to attend the in-person conference in Montevideo or the online version. Uruguayan local schools will be participating in the in-person.

The following dates are in Uruguayan Time (UTC - 3). Times may vary.

Provisional Programme of Events

Wednesday 26th April 2023

18:30 - 19:30 Second Student Officer Workshop (mandatory)

Thursday 27th April 2023

08:15- 08:45	Registration
08:45 – 09:00	Student Officer Briefing
09:00 – 09:45	Opening Ceremony
09:50 – 10:45	Roll Call, Rules of Procedure, and Opening Speeches
10:00 - 10:30	Approval Panel Workshop
10:45 – 11:30	Lobbying Issue 1
11:30 – 11:45	Approval Panel / Break
11:45 – 13:30	COMMITTEES, COMMISSIONS and SC in Session
13:30 – 14:30	Lunch Break
14:30 – 15:15	COMMITTEES, COMMISSIONS and SC in Session
15:15- 15:45	Student Officer Debriefing

Friday 28th April 2023

08:45 – 09:00	Student Officer Briefing
09:00– 10:00	Roll Call, Lobbying
10:00 – 11:30	Lobbying
11:30 – 11:45	Approval Panel / Break
11:45 – 13:30	COMMITTEES, COMMISSIONS and SC in Session
13:30 – 14:30	Lunch Break
14:30 – 15:15	COMMITTEES, COMMISSIONS and SC in Session
15:15- 15:45	Student Officer Debriefing

Saturday 29th April 2023

09:40 – 10:00	Student Officer Briefing
10:00 – 10:45	Roll Call, Lobbying
10:45 – 11:00	Approval Panel / Break
11:00 – 13:00	COMMITTEES, COMMISSIONS and SC in Session
13:00 - 13:30	Closing Ceremony
13:30 - 14:30	Hamburguesada

Committees

Security Council (SC)

Disarmament and International Security (GA1/DISEC)

Social, Humanitarian & Cultural Issues (GA3)

Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC)

Human Rights Council (HRC)

Environmental Committee

Youth and Health Committee

United Nations Women

List of Countries LAMUN 2023

Note: Security Council = SC; Disarmament and International Security = GA1; Social, Humanitarian & Cultural Issue = GA3; Youth and Health Committee = YHC Human Rights Council. = HRC; Environmental Committee = ENV; UN Women Committee = UNW; ECOSOC = ECO. (Russia does not go to the HRC)

Afghanistan (ECOSOC)	Canada (ECOSOC)	Fiji (SD)
Albania (SC)	Cape Verde (ECOSOC)	Finland
Algeria	Central African Republic	France (SC/ECOSOC)
Angola	Chad	Gabon (SC)
Argentina (ECO)	Chile (ECOSOC)	Gambia
Armenia	China (SC/ECOSOC)	Georgia
Australia	Colombia (ECOSOC)	Germany
Austria (ECO)	Congo	Ghana (SC)
Azerbaijan	Costa Rica (ECOSOC)	Greece (ECOSOC)
Bahrain	Côte d'Ivoire (ECOSOC)	Guatemala (ECOSOC)
Bangladesh	Croatia (ECOSOC)	Guinea
Belarus	Cuba (HRC)	Haiti
Belgium (ECOSOC)	Cyprus	Honduras
Belize (ECOSOC)	Czech Republic (ECOSOC)	Hungary
Benin	DPR Korea	Iceland
Bhutan	DR Congo	India (ECOSOC)
Bolivia (ECOSOC)	Denmark (ECOSOC)	Indonesia (ECOSOC)
Bosnia Herzegovina	Ecuador (SC)	Iran
Botswana (ECOSOC)	Egypt	Iraq
Brazil (SC/ECOSOC)	El Salvador	Ireland
Bulgaria (ECOSOC)	Equatorial Guinea (ECOSOC)	Israel (ECOSOC)
Burkina Faso	Eritrea	Italy (ECOSOC)
Burundi	Estonia	Jamaica
Cambodia	Eswatini (ECOSOC)	Japan (SC/ECOSOC)
Cameroon (ECOSOC)	Ethiopia	Jordan

Kazakhstan (ECOSOC)	New Zealand (ECOSOC)	South Sudan
Kenya	Nicaragua	Spain
Kuwait	Nigeria (ECOSOC)	Sri Lanka
Lao PDR (ECOSOC)	Norway	Sudan
Latvia	Oman (ECOSOC)	Sweden (ECOSOC)
Lebanon	Pakistan	Switzerland (SC)
Liberia (ECOSOC)	Palestine (observer State Status)	Syrian Arab Rep.
Libya (ECOSOC)	Panama	Tanzania, United Rep. (ECOSOC)
Liechtenstein (ECOSOC)	Paraguay	Thailand
Lithuania	Peru (ECOSOC)	Togo
Luxembourg	Philippines	Tunisia (ECOSOC)
Madagascar (ECOSOC)	Poland	Turkmenistan
Malaysia	Portugal (ECOSOC)	Türkiye
Malawi	Qatar (ECOSOC)	Uganda
Mali	Republic of Korea (ECOSOC)	Ukraine
Malta (SC)	Romania	United Arab Emirates (SC)
Mauritius (ECOSOC)	Russian Federation (SC)	United Kingdom (SC/ECOSOC)
Mexico (ECOSOC)	Rwanda	United States of America (SC/ECOSOC)
Monaco	Saudi Arabia	Uruguay
Mongolia	Serbia	Uzbekistan
Montenegro	Senegal	Venezuela
Morocco	Singapore	Viet Nam
Mozambique (SC)	Slovakia (ECOSOC)	Yemen
Myanmar	Slovenia (ECOSOC)	Zambia
Namibia	Solomon Islands (ECOSOC)	Zimbabwe (ECOSOC)
Nepal	Somalia	
Netherlands	South Africa	

Delegations

Be reminded that **Security Council delegations must consist of two delegates**. Moreover, all delegations labeled “invited” **will not be allowed to vote or pass resolutions**, but they are expected to participate in debate and propose amendments. Local schools **will be allocated all in-person delegations**.

Position of Student Officers

Student Officers are expected to be acquainted with Parliamentary Procedure and the THIMUN Rules of Procedure. They are required to have knowledge of their designated issue on the agenda and organise their Council or Committee. **It should be noted that those selected will have to write a Research Report and will need to join both Student Officer Workshops and pre-conference briefings, all hosted via Zoom**. During the conference, they are expected to participate in the briefings and debriefings. Briefings will take place every day 15 minutes before the start of the day, while debriefings will begin as soon as delegates are dismissed from their respective forums, and will last for approximately 30 minutes. It is mandatory for all Student Officers as well as any other LAMUN participant to adhere to the dress code.

Issues on the Agenda

Security Council

- Conflict in the South China Sea
- The conflict between Israel and Palestine
- The escalation of violence in DR Congo

ECOSOC

- The humanitarian crisis in Haiti
- The question of exclusion from the labour market on the basis of race, religion or gender
- The challenge of sustainable patterns of production and consumption as a response to the Day of 8 billion people

GA1- DISEC

- Nuclear disarmament in regards to the Russia Ukraine war
- Emerging technologies regarding the arms trade
- The regulation of military drills

GA3 - Social Humanitarian Cultural

- Improving conditions and attitudes towards immigrants and refugees
- Regulation of autonomous technology
- The issue of smuggled and transported art and antiquities to other national states

HRC

- The questions of indigenous rights in Latin America
- The weaponisation of food
- The issue of ethical hacking

Environmental

- The question of Overfishing
- Follow-up on the Sharm el-Sheikh Climate Conference COP 27
- Banning the exports of products that drive deforestation

UN WOMEN Council

- Misdiagnosis in women due to gender inequality
- Improving women adaptation to Climate Change
- Ensuring a safe and inclusive participation for women in the creation of peace and security

Youth and Health

- Equipping young researchers and innovators to work for climate.
- Social media and Mental Health: Regulation of social media for under 18
- HIV and Young People

Conference Fees and Deadlines

Onsite: 3000 Uruguayan Pesos TBC

PAYMENT

BANK DETAILS:

Banco Itaú

Account No. 396852.

Carrasco Branch

The LAMUN administration *strongly recommends* that institutions bringing more than one delegate collect all the individual fees and carry out only one transfer with the total amount of fees for their entire delegation.

Accommodation

Regarding accommodation you can look at Bahamas Hotel, Alquimista and Le Biblo. The area where the conference will be held is called Carrasco.

Hotel Bahamas - <https://www.hotelbahamas.com.uy/es/>

Hotel Alquimista - <https://www.alquimistamontevideo.com/sitio/html/hotel>

Hotel Le Bibló - <https://www.hotelboutiquelebiblo.com/>

These hotels are of a different range of price and category. Hope this helps at this stage.

We do not endorse any specific hotel and arrangements have to be made directly with the hotel.

Photo Authorisation

It is the MUN Directors' responsibility to read and share the Photo and Video release attached below, with the delegates and their families. Those families who do not wish their child to appear must sign the form. This form must be sent by email to contact@lamodelunitednations.org by the MUN Director prior to the commencement of the Conference. Bear in mind that a non-signature corresponds to an authorisation.

PHOTO AUTORISATION
PHOTO & VIDEO RELEASE FORM

The **Latin America Model United Nations** shall count on a photographic data base of the locations of its Conferences and participating delegates to be used for institutional purposes, including any informative or promotional ones. To that effect, LAMUN is authorised to use the delegates' images for the aforementioned purposes both for inclusion on the web page or in any other kind of LAMUN-related publication.

It is the MUN Director's responsibility to understand and share this requirement with students and their parents, since it is up to them to sign and authorise the use of their child's image. In order to make this process a swift one for MUN Directors, we are only requesting the signatures of those parents or guardians who do **not** authorize their child's image to be photographed.

It is therefore understood that a non-signature corresponds to an authorization.

Non-authorisation

I **do not** grant permission to the rights of my child's image, likeness and sound of his/her voice as recorded on audio or video tape for the purposes established above or for any other purpose at all.

Delegate	Parent/Guardian Signature

I have shared this with the delegations and their families and this form provides true and accurate information.

MUN DIRECTOR