

Dear delegates and faculty advisors,

It is our great pleasure to invite you to **PEAMUN VIII**, our annual Model United Nations conference, which will be held on **Sunday, October 30th**.

Last year over 400 delegates from 28 schools participated in our conference and with the impressive feedback we received last year, we are planning on expanding even further for this year's conference. With the help of over thirty staff members, delegates will experience a day filled with exciting international diplomacy by assuming the roles of UN representatives and various corporations. Together, delegates will learn to make challenging decisions and in the process, become better decision-makers themselves through debate and discussion.

This year, we will be debuting three new committees in order to give more individual feedback and attention to our delegates. Our committees include three General Assemblies that cover the topics of border conflicts, child labor, and women's reproductive rights; two specialized committees which cover sexual exploitation and abuse by UN personnel, and US prison reform; one Joint Crisis Committee on Egypt's Nationalization of Suez Canal; one Security Council addressing cyber security, and finally, one Historical Crisis Committee set during the post-Boshin war in the Meiji Cabinet.

We are excited to announce that this year's PEAMUN will be held in newly constructed locations across the Phillips Exeter Academy Campus, including a contemporary concert hall in the Forestal Bowl building. Lunch will be served between committee sessions. For any schools wishing to stay overnight, an easily accessible accommodation, The Exeter Inn, is available within the campus vicinity.

While our staff and faculty are constantly trying to improve PEAMUN, one thing that will remain the same is our devotion to each and every delegate's improvement throughout the conference. PEAMUN is a great conference for delegates of all levels and we encourage students who are new to Model UN to take up the challenge of a one-of-a-kind conference. Please refer to the attached pages for deadlines and registration logistics. More information will be updated and posted on our website: www.peamun.org. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to email peamun@gmail.com.

It has been an absolute pleasure working with the fellow PEAMUN staff and faculty thus far and we are certain that this year's conference will not disappoint. On behalf of the entire PEAMUN VIII staff, we look forward to having you this fall!

Sincerely, Bokyoung Kim and Kaitlyn Kang '17

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Registration Information

The earlier a school or delegate registers, the more likely they will be given priority in committee selection and/or country selection.

Priority Registration (By August 15th):

Delegate Fee: \$25 School Fee: \$40

Regular Registration (By September 1st):

Delegate Fee: \$25 School Fee: \$55

Late Registration (By October 1st):

Delegate Fee: \$25 School Fee: \$75

Individual Registration (Delegates Unaffiliated with School Delegation, By October 1st):

Delegate Fee: \$45

Refund Policy

Schools or individuals which register delegates and then cancel some or all of their delegate registrations will be refunded according to the following schedule:n

- Schools/individuals who cancel registrations before September 1st will be refunded 100% of their corresponding fees.
- Schools/individuals who cancel registrations after September 1st but on or before October 1st will be refunded 50% of their corresponding fees.
- Schools/individuals who cancel registrations after October 1st must pay the full original fees.

Schedule

7:45 AM - 9:00 AM: Check-in (see following pages for details)
9:15 AM - 10:00 AM: Opening ceremonies (Assembly Hall)
10:00 AM Delegates follow chairs to committee rooms

10:15 AM- 1:15 PM: Committee Session I

1:15-PM- 2:15 PM: Lunch (Phelps Academy Center Agora)

2:30 PM- 4:30 PM: Committee Session II

4:45 PM-5:30 PM: Closing Ceremonies/Awards