

Letter From The WHO Chair

Dear Delegates,

As chair of the World Health Organization (WHO) Committee, I welcome you to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology Model United Nations Conference (MITMUNC) 2010. My name is Nikita Consul, and my assistant chair, Arianna Moshary, will be at the dais with me throughout the conference. As a brief introduction, I am a first-year student, pursuing Biological Engineering along with Mathematics or Brain & Cognitive Sciences. My passions lie with International Relations, and I hope to utilize all of my education to work at an international level to make the world a better place. Arianna is a first-year student interested in studying physics and computer science.

Arianna and I will oversee substantive debate and ensure the accurate use of parliamentary procedure to guarantee a lovely Model United Nations experience for you. Both of us have participated in several Model United Nations conferences throughout high school, and we are excited to provide you with the same opportunity.

The conference's success will depend on whether or not the delegates are comfortable with their policies and can credibly represent their nation diplomatically. Additionally, the delegates must be comfortable with the purpose and extent of authority of the WHO committee. We have prepared background guides on the two topics we chose for you that we hope you will enjoy learning and debating. The intent of the background guides is to help you focus on relevant research and serve as an aid to prepare yourself for possible issues that could arise in committee. We strongly encourage you to research all relevant areas and formulate resolutions according to your nation's stance.

We will be available to guide you before and during the conference, so feel free to ask us questions regarding the committee topics, your national policies, parliamentary procedure, or any other concerns. The conference will be a learning process for everyone, and that will be part of what makes the conference memorable. We look forward to working with all of you in February 2010!

Sincerely,

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