



A Message from the Lieutenant Governor



As Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the Canadian Online Model United Nations.

I want to commend all delegates for their participation in the Model United Nations. From this experience, I trust you will gain valuable leadership skills, new knowledge of the work of other nations, and appreciation and understanding of our democracy in Canada. While it is currently not possible to gather in person, the collective challenges you will undertake during this event can help to guide you into meaningful careers that serve to grow and nurture your communities.

In my role as Lieutenant Governor, I feel I have an important part to play in promoting civic engagement and constructive participation in our democracy. I encourage you to take this opportunity to engage in thoughtful discussion and debate and to learn as much as possible. I am proud of your adaptability in the face of COVID-19 and want to thank all delegates for your ongoing commitment to this valuable event.

On behalf of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, Queen of Canada, please accept my wishes for a memorable and meaningful Canadian Online Model United Nations

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Janet Austin".

The Honourable Janet Austin, OBC
Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia