# DELEGATE HANDBOOK



# Canadian Youth Debate Council MODEL UNITED NATIONS

March 31 | Douglas College (Coquitlam)

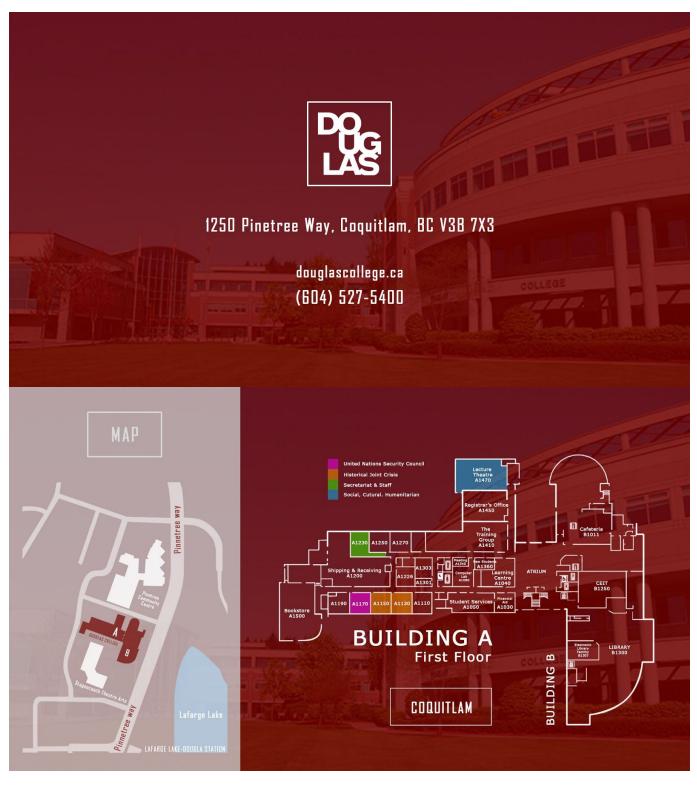


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# **Conference Venue**





#### **Letter from the Secretary General**

Dear Delegates,

As the Secretary General of the conference, it is such an honor to serve the passionate and energetic delegates and staff for 2018 CYDC Model United Nation. CYDCMUN is the first Model United Conference that operates under the Canadian Youth Debate Council (CYDC). CYDC is the first Canadian youth organization that educates and proposes the ideas of debate, MUN, mock trial, and business case, which is a debate organization entailing towards students wishing to enhance their public speaking and debate skills. Ever since its inception in August 2017, CYDC has been providing student resources for schools and students alike. Our staff team believes it is our initiative to help students find a voice in MUN, to enjoy and learn about our global society and the international system. As the SG of the first iteration, it is our priority to expand MUN into different communities and to open up more opportunities to returning members of staff and secretariat teams.

Model United Nations, also known as MUN, is a mock United Nations, where students represent delegates of the country and debate through various types of international conflicts to resolve the problem in many different committees. Such conference requires and will provide many different types of skill and experience to delegates, including confidence speech skill, higher quality of research skill, and problem-solving at the same time. Our conference looks forward to seeing more fresh and fruitful students to be involved in MUN communities and further explore ideas in such event.

Our staff team and I look forward to welcoming you to Coquitlam in March.

**Brian Son** 

Secretary-General / CYDCMUN 2018



## **Secretariat Team**

Brian Son | Secretary-General
Helen Huang | Director General
Alex Oh | Chief of Staff
Jenny Jung | Director of Operations
Ryan Choi | Delegate Affairs
Hoony Oh | Under Secretary-General of Committees
Jae Wu Chun | Under Secretary-General of IT





# **Conference Schedule**

8:15 - 9:00 AM	REGISTRATION
9:00 - 9:30 AM	OPENING CEREMONY
9:45 - 12:00 PM	COMMITTEE SESSION #1
12:00 - 1:00 PM	LUNCH
1:10 - 3:30 PM	COMMITTEE SESSION #2
3:30 - 3:45 PM	BREAK
3:45 - 5:30 PM	COMMITTEE SESSION #3
5:30 - 6:00 PM	CLOSING CEREMONY



#### **Committees**

#### Social, Cultural, Humanitarian Committee

Director: Nick Young

Chair: Evelyn Gondosiswanto

Assistant Director: Young Do

Topic: The Farmer Suicide Crisis in India

#### **United Nations Security Council**

Director: Tamerlan Nuhiyev

Chair: Jiro Luat

Assistant Director: Hooshang Moghaddam

Topic: Reform of Peacekeeping in Conflict Regions

#### **Historical Joint Crisis Committee**

Crisis Overlord: Kevin Roe

Nazi Party Bloc Director: Jason Fan

Chair: Joanne Chang

Social Union of Germany Bloc Director: Parker Johnston

Chair: Genevieve Dubuc

Topic: The Third Reich



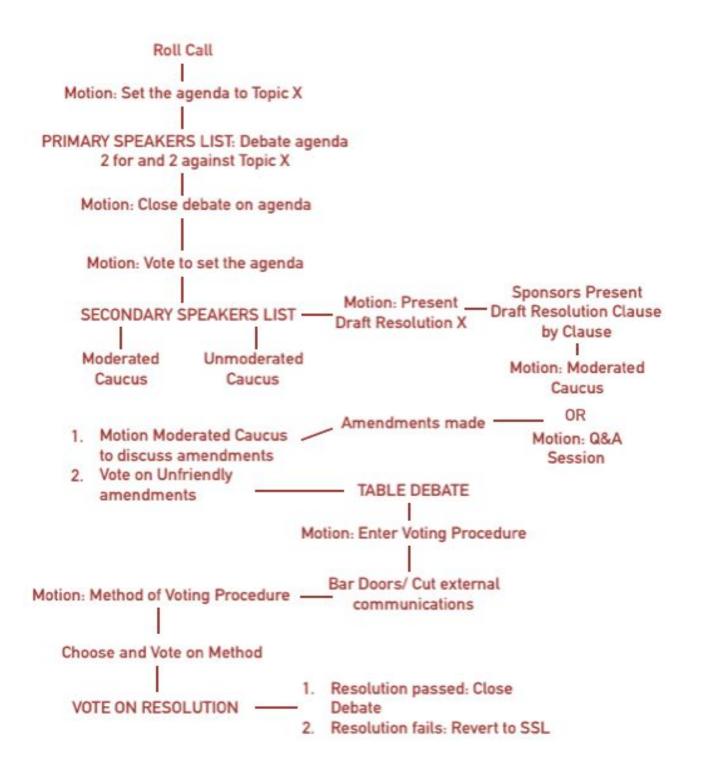
#### **Conference Policies**

#### Douglas College and CYDCMUN 2018 sets down the following terms:

- 1. All delegates and staff members are expected to attend all committee sessions, and ceremonies.
- 2. All individuals attending CYDCMUN are expected to wear conference-issued name tags and indicate their departure during conference hours with the secretariat members for security reasons.
- 3. Delegates may be excused from committee sessions, but their committee staff must be notified prior to session, and notification must include their reason for absence.
- 4. If a delegate has any outstanding medical requirements or limitations that may impact their participation in the conference, they are expected to notify their delegation's primary contact, or their committee staff, in the case of an independent delegate.
- 5. The destruction or damage of property will not be tolerated, and responsibility for all cases of vandalism will be assumed by the conference participant who performed it. "Property" includes, but is not limited to all conference venue, and any property held by the conference.
- 6. CYDCMUN expects delegates to remain courteous and considerate towards all conference participants, including but not limited to staff, sponsor teachers, Secretariat members, and other delegates.
- 7. If an above guideline is violated, the Secretariat of CYDCMUN 2018 reserve the right to eject a delegate from the conference for a specific duration of time.



#### **Rule of Procedure**





### **Resolution Paper Guide**

Working Paper 1.0
Committee Name
Sponsors: 2-5 countries writing the paper

Signatories: 1/5 of the committee wanting to see the Working Paper presented

Committee Name, □

Fully aware that one line should be skipped before and after every clause,

Recalling that preambulatory clauses begin with italicized preambulatory phrases,

Bearing in mind that a comma is used at the end of each preambulatory clause,

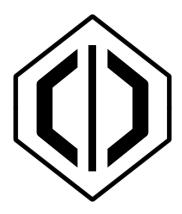
*Noting further that* preambulatory clauses end in a colon before the resolution moves on to the operative clauses:

- 1. Declares that operative clauses address the action that should be taken to combat the issue;
- 2. Invites delegates to underline the operative phrases;
- 3. Calls upon operative clauses to end in semicolons;
- 4. Recommends clear and concise wording through splitting an operative clause into subclauses:
  - a. With a colon to introduce the first sub-clause;
  - b. With a semicolon at the end of each sub-clause;
  - c. With the use of sub-sub clauses if needed:
    - i. Using 'i, ii, iii' etc.
    - ii. Having at least two sub sub clauses;
- 5. Resolves that a resolution always ends with a period.



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Jim Hanson climb the mountain