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HSINMUN XVIII

INTRODUCTORY PACKET

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TORCH: MEANINGFUL
CHANGE THROUGH
CROSS-GENERATIONAL
DISCOURSE



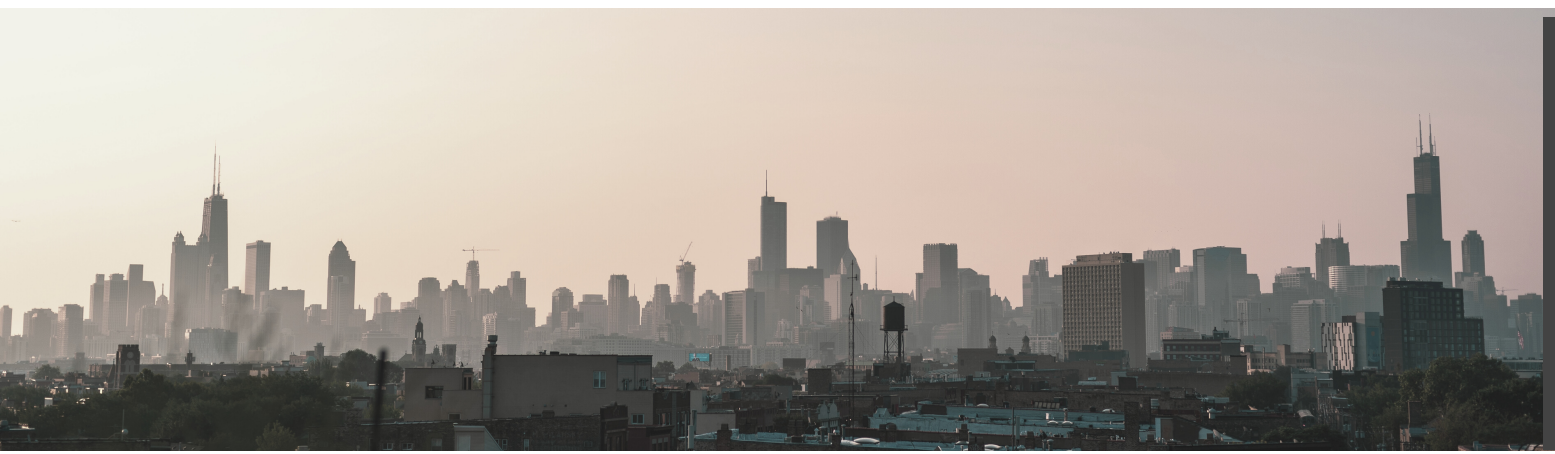


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MUN

Model United Nations (MUN) is an educational simulation of the United Nations that aims to educate all participants about current events, topics in international relations, diplomacy, and the United Nations agenda. The participants, or delegates, serve as diplomats



representing a nation in a simulated session of a committee of the United Nations, such as the Security Council or the General Assembly. Participants research a country, take on roles as diplomats, investigate international issues, debate, consult, and then develop solutions to current world issues.

HSINMUN

Hsinchu Model United Nations (HSINMUN) was originally a small local conference organized by the Administration Office of IBSH for schools around Hsinchu City in the early 2000s. In a few years, the popularity of Model United Nations soared, which brought many new schools with MUN programs all around the island to join HSINMUN. 2016 was an eventful year: HSINMUN was extended from being a two day conference to a three day conference, and expanded from being a national MUN conference to an international MUN conference (with schools outside of Asia participating). Most important of all, HSINMUN has gained prestigious THIMUN affiliation. Considering that THIMUN affiliation statuses are only granted to conferences that hold the highest quality and the standards recognized by the THIMUN Foundation, it is our honor to be able to fully represent the organization in the East Asian region and to provide the participants a higher caliber of debate and a greater understanding of global issues.



Parliamentarian:

Welcome to HSINMUN XVIII! I am James Lee, a senior at the International Bilingual School at Hsinchu Science Park, and it is an honor to be serving as the Parliamentarian of this year's HSINMUN. Since starting my MUN journey at HSINMUN as an admin, I have been able to interact with people from different walks of life and pursue my interest in international relations and politics. MUN has played an integral role in my high school experience and has shaped my perspective on the issues that people face around the world. Living in a mainly homogeneous society, we often don't actively seek opinions that differ from our own, so I would encourage all participants to utilize HSINMUN as a way to discuss multifaceted issues and interact with people from different backgrounds. Other than MUN, I also enjoy hanging out with my friends, binge-watching TV shows, and dyeing my hair. I, along with the Secretariat Team, sincerely welcome you to join us at this year's HSINMUN!



James Lee

Secretary General:



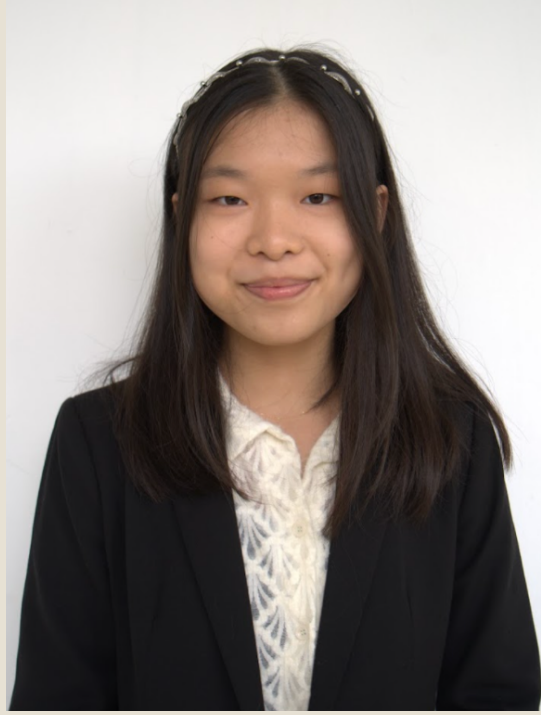
Sophia Zuo

Welcome to HSINMUN XVIII! I am Sophia Zuo, a senior at the International Bilingual School at Hsinchu Science Park, and I am honored to serve as your Secretary-General for this year's HSINMUN. To me, MUN has served as a place for growth, not only in the committee room but as an individual as a whole. Not only are we placed in positions and countries that are quite literally foreign to us, but we are also tasked with immense questions that have no easy solution. While things like making a speech, executing your first point, or passing a resolution may seem marginal, they really represent how you are finding your voice, something that stays with you even after the conference ends. At HSINMUN XVIII, we hope that you both are able to grow as a debater and as a person, broadening not only your own perspectives but also others.

Besides MUN, I like listening to music, reading, writing, and annoying my friends. Once again, we wholeheartedly welcome you to HSINMUN XVIII!

Deputy Secretary General:

We're so excited to have you at HSINMUN XVIII! I am Sheena Chiang, a senior at the International Bilingual School at Hsinchu Science Park, and I'm thrilled to be a part of making this conference a reality this year. MUN has been a constant throughout my middle and high school journey that has connected me to events across the globe and students across the island. It was not an easy process learning to assert myself in front of a crowd, and it continues to be a struggle at times, but I hope that no one is discouraged from making the most of this opportunity to speak up and speak loud. As time goes on, the world only proceeds to grow more complex, and the gaps and differences in generations and biases only grow wider- as students and as the youth, we need to cultivate the ability



Sheena Chiang

to find compromise and compassion despite everything. All that said, please make the most of your time here by finding new friends and enjoying the food! I, along with the Secretariat Team, am so glad to have you be a part of HSINMUN XVIII.

Deputy Secretary General:



Anderson Liew

Welcome to HSINMUN XVIII! I am Anderson Liew, a senior at the International Bilingual School at Hsinchu Science Park. It is my utmost honor to be serving as your Deputy Secretary-General at this year's conference. Ever since I joined MUN in middle school, the activity taught me essential public speaking and interaction skills with many different people from diverse backgrounds. Not only do I believe MUN to be a great way to familiarize yourself with current events, but I also think it's a great way to meet new people and make new friends. I hope that everyone else can see it as not just an extracurricular activity but as an exciting hobby as I do. With many prevailing issues yet to be solved, and countless ones being created by the second, our generation needs to come together now more than ever. By immersing yourself in a simulation of the UN, you're preparing for both your's and the world's future. With that said, I look

forward to seeing everyone soon, and best of luck to you all! Welcome to HSINMUN XVIII.

meet the secretariat team.

Deputy Secretary General:

Greetings! My name is Cheng-Yuan Li, a junior at the International Bilingual School at Hsinchu Science Park, and I'm thrilled to be a Deputy Secretary-General at HSINMUN XVIII. Ever since my introduction to Model United Nations in middle school, I've been enamored with the process of conflict resolution and debates that allowed me to gain a much better understanding of the world around me. I can easily recall the apprehension that I felt during my first MUN conference, not just towards public speaking, but also towards the complicated nature of MUN. However, throughout the conferences I attended, I picked up confidence in tackling the above issues, as well as an appreciation for the way that Model United Nations allows everyone involved to gain a more nuanced global perspective. Throughout this year's HSINMUN, no matter what country you represent, remember to delegate it to your full ability, advocating for its interests even if your personal views conflict with that of the country's; additionally, I hope everyone is able to see MUN as something more than an extracurricular, instead of seeing it as a way to monitor global trends and gain a much better overall understanding of the workings of the world. Welcome to HSINMUN XVIII!



Cheng-Yuan Li

Deputy Secretary General:



Ethan Skonicki

Greetings! I am Ethan Robert Skonicki, a junior at the International Bilingual School in Hsinchu Park. It is my utmost honor to be serving as Deputy Secretary General at HSINMUN XVIII this year. Over the few years I've been involved with MUN, I have discovered that it is a really dynamic and intensive activity that is incredibly rewarding for those who participate. From meeting new people to immersing yourself in global affairs, it truly has lots to offer. Although some may find MUN comes easily to them, others may have difficulty adjusting to the heavy emphasis on public speaking or the research portion of MUN. It's okay if you find yourself reluctant to participate in debate. However, everything has a learning curve, and I hope delegates utilize HSINMUN to flourish and grow to become avid public debaters. All that said, I'm extremely excited to welcome you to HSINMUN XVIII, and I hope to see all of you there in October.

COMMITTEES

General Assembly 1

Human Rights Council

General Assembly 2

Advisory Panel

General Assembly 3

UN Environment

General Assembly 4

UNDP (UN4MUN)

General Assembly 6

Security Council

International Court of Justice (ICJ)

Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC)

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

March

- Invitational Letter Sent To Advisor

April

- Committees, Issues, and Themes Released
- Form I, Student Officer Applications, and ICJ Applications Released

May

- Student Officer and ICJ Results Released

August

- Chair Training

September

- Form II Due
- Training Conference

October

- HSINMUN XVIII

Social Event: -BUFFET-

THE MENU FOR HSINMUN XVIII WILL BE SIMILAR TO
THE MENU ATTACHED BELOW.

COLD BUFFET

ASSORTED COLD CUTS 什錦冷肉盤 尼斯沙拉
WALDORF SALAD 華爾道夫沙拉
JAPAN ASSORTED SUSHI 日式綜合壽司
PASTA SALAD WITH SALAMI 沙拉米義大利麵沙拉
CAESAR SALAD 凱撒沙拉
GARDEN GREEN SALAD 田園生菜沙拉
THOUSAND ISLAND DRESSING 千島醬、和風醬 JAPANESE
DRESSING、義大利汁 ITALIAN DRESSING、BLACK OLIVE 黑橄欖、
GARLIC CROUTONS 麵包丁、CRISPY BACON BITS 香酥培根、GRATED
PARMESAN CHEESE 芝士粉、PUMPKIN SEED 南瓜子、RAISINS 葡萄乾

HOT BUFFET

STEWED BEEF WITH RED WINE SAUCE 紅酒燴牛肉
BACON CHICKEN ROLL 法式培根雞肉卷
ROASTED PORK WITH DIJON MUSTARD SAUCE 香烤豬里肌佐法式
芥菜籽醬
BAKED FISH WITH ROASTED GARLIC MAYONNAISE 巴塞隆納蒜味
奶油烤魚
SPAGHETTI 蕃茄肉醬義大利麵
KIMCHI FRIED RICE 雞丁泡菜炒飯
VEGGIE CHOP SUEY WITH TOFU 八珍豆腐
SEASONAL VEGETABLES 季節時蔬
CORN CHOWDER SOUP WITH HAM 火腿玉米巧達湯 枸杞燉雞湯
ASSORTED BREAD BASKET 歐風綜合麵包

DESERTS

HAND-MADE COOKIES 綜合手工餅乾
SEASONAL FRESH FRUITS 新鮮水果
ORANGE JUICE 柳橙汁
COFFEE AND TEA 咖啡及茶
FRENCH PUFFS 法式泡芙
FORMOSA CHEESE CAKE 芝士蛋糕
BROWNIES 美式布朗尼

ACCOMMODATION

1.

KINGDOM HOTEL 金頓國際大飯店

The Kingdom Hotel is located right across from Hotel Royal and is also within 5 - 10 min walking distance from our school. The Kingdom Hotel offers clean and spacious rooms for a more inexpensive price.

No 238. Guangfu Rd. Sec. 1,
Hsinchu City 300

Tel : + 886 - 3 - 564 - 6655

Fax : +886 - 3 - 563 - 1155

Website: <http://www.kingdom-hotel.com.tw/index.phplanguage=en>

HOTEL ROYAL HSINCHU 老爺酒店

Hotel Royal Hsinchu is a five-star premier business hotel within 5-10 min

walking distance from our school.

The hotel will also be catering our lunch banquet.

No 227. Guangfu Rd. Sec. 1, Hsinchu City 300

Tel : + 886 - 3 - 563 - 1122

Fax : +886 - 3 - 563 - 1899

Website:

<http://www.hotelroyal.com.tw/hsinchu/EN/>

2.

GRAND CRYSTAL HOTEL 晶悅精品旅館

The Grand Crystal Hotel is located in a residential area within 15 - 20 min walking distance from our school. It is around 5 min away from the light rail train station that links the science park with downtown Hsinchu.

No 49. Guangfu Rd. Sec. 2, Hsinchu City 300

Tel : + 886 - 3 - 666 - 7567

Fax : +886 - 3 - 666 - 7569

Website:

<http://www.grandcrystalhotel.com/>

3.

TRANSPORT- ATION



The Taiwan High-Speed Rail (THSR) links all of the major cities in Taiwan together, so delegates can hop on the HSR near the airport and arrive in Hsinchu in just 20 minutes. For international schools attending HSINMUN, other options when touring Hsinchu include the light rail train, which is approximately 20 -30 min walking distance from our school. The train can take you to downtown Hsinchu and the HSR station in around 10 min. Shuttle buses are also available. All three hotels working with HSINMUN are within walking distance from our school.

Feel free to contact us anytime for more information regarding modes of transportation and transfer.

PLACES TO VISIT IN

Hsinchu

2. DOWNTOWN HSINCHU

Hsinchu's unique vibrant community is a balanced mix between the high-tech industrial science park, and our well-preserved cultural and traditional "downtown." With our "East Gate" as our downtown centerpiece, shops, vendors, restaurants, and malls have sprung into development around it. One can truly experience the wide array of shops lined up in every street and corner surrounding the East Gate and the 1913 Hsinchu Railway Station - a vital Taiwanese experience for all visitors.

1. CHENG HUANG TEMPLE

Cheng Huang Temple is one of Hsinchu's three main temples. Including stone and wood sculptures, dragon columns, guardian lions, door gods, plaques, and couplets, the temple is rich in culture and custom. It also holds the biggest prayer ritual of all deity temples in the country. However, perhaps more significantly, it is surrounded by countless food stands that provide you with the most authentic street food you can find in Hsinchu.



3. BIG CITY

What's traveling without a little bit of shopping? The Big City is a brand outlet-style mall located right beside the Hsinchu Railway Station. This mall includes a shopping space, parent-child entertainment, food, and even escape rooms. Downtown Hsinchu offers not only a great place to have a shopping spree but is also an excellent place for friends to hangout.



4. SCIENCE PARK

IBSH is located within the Hsinchu Science Park. Hsinchu is a high-tech community established by the Taiwanese government as a center of technology, industries, and manufacturing; sometimes dubbed as "Taiwan's Silicon Valley." Many of Taiwan's new innovations and technological advances are developed in this hub, where many high-tech computer companies set up their headquarters, altogether earning many international awards and merits.



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