



# AMUN Conference News

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## Monday, 25 November 2024 – Your Day at a Glance

Good morning from the AMUN Secretariat. We hope you're ready for Monday's sessions. As always, the full conference program can be [found online](#). Please find today's Day at a Glance:

- 8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. – Simulations convene.
- 9:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. – Graduate School and Career Expo
- 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. – Permanent Representative & Faculty Advisor Meeting III
- 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. – 2025 Delegation Lottery
- 1:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. – Free Afternoon in Chicago
- 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. – Security Council & the Historical Security Council of 1961 reconvene.
- 6:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. – All other simulations reconvene
- 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. – Special Sessions for Faculty Advisors II
- 10:00 p.m. – 2:00 a.m. – AMUN's Representative Dance. Happy Halloween!
- 11:00 p.m. – 3:30 a.m. – Security Council Emergency Sessions convene

## AMUN's Graduate School & Career Expo

AMUN's annual Graduate School and Career Expo will be held today from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on the Ballroom Promenade. Please encourage all of your students to attend; we have a diverse and excellent group of exhibitors who've come a long way to meet with your students and offer opportunities for their futures. This year's list of Expo exhibitors includes:

- Baylor University School of Law
- Case Western Reserve University School of Law
- Chicago – Kent College of Law
- Columbia University: School of International and Public Affairs
- Columbia University – School of Professional Studies
- DePaul University
- George Mason University – Schar School of Policy and Government
- George Washington University Elliott School of International Affairs
- Georgetown University

- Georgetown University School of Foreign Service
- Indiana State University
- Loyola University Chicago
- Marquette University
- Marquette University Law School
- Mitchell Hamline School of Law
- Penn State University
- School of International Service, American University
- Texas A&M University – Bush School of Government & Public Service
- University of California San Diego
- University of Chicago – Harris School of Public Policy
- University of East Anglia
- University of Iowa College of Law
- University of Michigan
- University of Minnesota – Humphrey School of Public Affairs
- Washington University in St. Louis – Brown School

## **Permanent Representatives & Faculty Advisors Meeting III**

The final Permanent Representative and FA Meeting is today. Like the previous two meetings you attended, this will be held in the Sheraton II Ballroom on the Ballroom Level. The meeting will run from 10:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. CT. This meeting will cover all conference subjects not covered by the rules meeting and the hotel issues meeting. This meeting will be run by the AMUN Executive Director, Shannon L. Dunn, and the Secretary-General of the 2024 Conference, Madeline Glass.

## **2025 Delegation Lottery**

The 2025 conference starts today with AMUN's Country Lottery. The lottery will be held from 11:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. in the Sheraton Ballroom II on the Ballroom Level. AMUN recommends groups consider the following questions when filling out the lottery application and making a country selection:

- How many people does your group typically bring? Look at the minimum and maximum number of students for each country and choose one that you'll be able to comfortably fill.
- How experienced will your group be next year? Will your group be able to handle a Security Council country or one with a complex approach to international relations?
- Is there a specific region of the world your group would like to focus on? Do you or your students have a particular interest or expertise in a region or issue?
- Are there particular simulations that you want the opportunity to participate in?
- If you will be selecting more than one country, consider the combination of countries that you might select—for example, do you want to aim for countries that might

naturally work together, or ones that will allow your students to explore very different parts of the world?

## Free Afternoon in Chicago

No Chicago conference events will be held from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. CT. We encourage you to explore the great city of Chicago and discover the delights of the city.

From the glamorous storefronts of the [Magnificent Mile](#) to the everyday fun of [Navy Pier](#), the Windy City has it all. Have you been to Chicago's famous [Christmas Market](#)? AMUN loves Chicago, and with the Conference centered in [Chicago's Loop](#) there's plenty to do just a short walk away.

## Special Sessions for Faculty Advisors II

AMUN's second and final Special Session for Faculty Advisors will be held from 6:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. in the Sheraton II Ballroom on the Ballroom Level. This faculty roundtable discussion will be led by Dr. Alexandra Middlewood, AMUN's Associate Executive Director. They'll be discussing *Building Diversity and Inclusiveness in Model UN*.

## AMUN's Representative Dance: The Night is Dark and Full of Terrors

This year's Dance theme is **Halloween!** After the votes are cast, and the diplomacy is done, break out your costumes! Enjoy a night hiding from the horrors of the world by dancing all night long.

While we encourage you to dress to the theme and wear your favorite Halloween costume, it is not required. AMUN's Representative Dance will occur on Monday, 20 November from 10:00 p.m. until 2:00 a.m. in Riverwalk B.

For entry to the Representative Dance, the following rules must be followed:

- Credentials must be worn at all times.
- Baggy coats and backpacks are not allowed.
- No glassware, water bottles or drinks are allowed at the dance.

## Security Council Emergency Sessions

The Historical Security Council of 1961 and the Security Council will both have emergency sessions in their assigned meeting spaces from 11:00 p.m. until the early morning of Tuesday, 26 November (3:30 a.m.). These sessions are the narrative climax of the events that both councils have been managing throughout the Conference. All Security Council members should be reminded that their attendance at these

emergency sessions is expected. If your normal Security Council representatives are unable to attend, we kindly ask that you send another member of your team as a replacement. While the Crisis will be announced at the Representative Dance, students can come directly to the Council rooms at 11:00 p.m.

## Questions, Comments or Concerns?

If you have any questions about this email, please contact us directly at [mail@amun.org](mailto:mail@amun.org) and we will be happy to help. As always, if you are no longer the primary contact for your school's Model UN club or class, please contact us at [mail@amun.org](mailto:mail@amun.org) with updated contact information or fill out our [Change of Address/Contact](#) form online.

Have an Exceptional Day,

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