

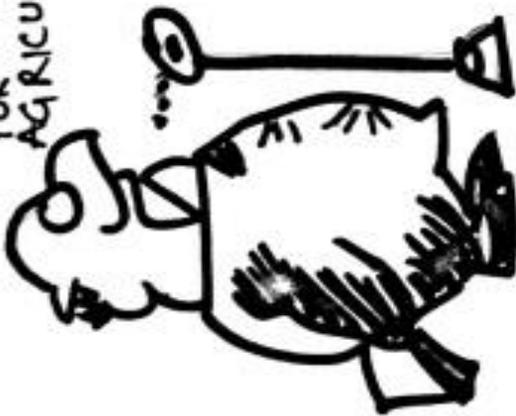
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Bubble Reputation

BELOVED COUNTRYMEN!
I'M YOUR NEW MINISTER
FOR AGRICULTURE!



...HARBAGE!

ROTTEN
TOMATOES! BANANAS!



...THANK HEAVENS, I DON'T
HOLD THE IRON-STEEL OR
THE HEAVY INDUSTRIES PORTFOLIO!



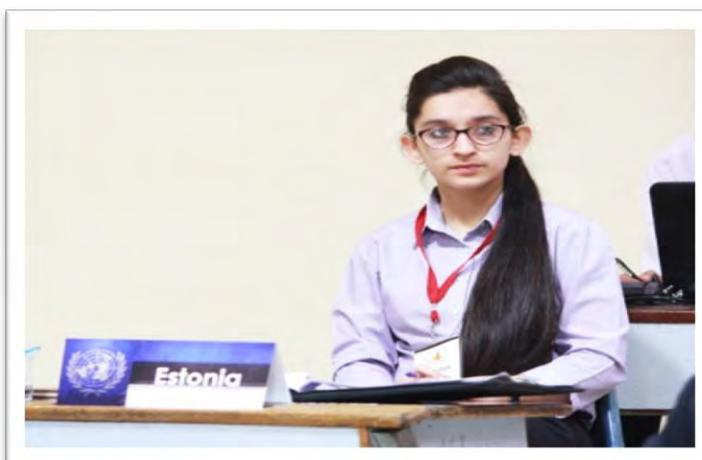
...OTUMPS
ROTTEN
EGGS

EUROPEAN UNION

The press conference was supervised by Head of International press and the Editor-in-chief

The first question was put forward to the delegate of Sweden, wherein he was asked to explain the validity of the Dublin Regulation in a time of a global crisis. He was further asked for his expert opinion on the need for an exclusive asylum registration process as an attempt to smoothen the entire asylum seeking procedure. The delegate first tried to evade the press' questioning by attempting to draw attention toward the magnitude of the problem in the Middle East and expressing hope for better intervention in future. On being further pressed the delegate acknowledged the need for such a mechanism at the global level but was very hopeful in the Union's current crisis management system's ability to handle crisis of any magnitude.

The press then questioned the delegate of Greece- asking for her suggestion for rerouting the bailout package into refugee infrastructure. The Greek diplomat was quite obstinate in her refusal to do so, she stressed on her government's welfare programs and reinforced her country's commitment to go ahead with the social welfare schemes.



UNITED NATIONS HUMAN RIGHTS

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The International Press questioned the delegate of the Republic of India on the reservation policy of the country and wondered over the ends achieved via this medium. An emphatic delegate of India claimed the reservation policy to be a success, crediting it for alleviating poverty in the world's largest democracy. It was pointed out to via several interjections from the committee members who questioned the policy that was created as a social equality mechanism. International Press also expressed concern over the apparent divide it has created in the Indian social strata and wondered if the reservation policy itself was responsible for the alleged divide.

The press then questioned the delegate of France over the recent and much opposed ban on face covering for women. The delegate reiterating the state's responsibility stated, "We have to protect people and not their interests", implying a division between state responsibility to maintain human life and the ironically French concept of liberty and free will. The delegate was met with support from certain other liberal democracies while several others criticized the delegate for a lack of empathy toward human values. The substantive inputs by the press gave a new dimension to the committee debate- and this has opened several avenues for the delegates.



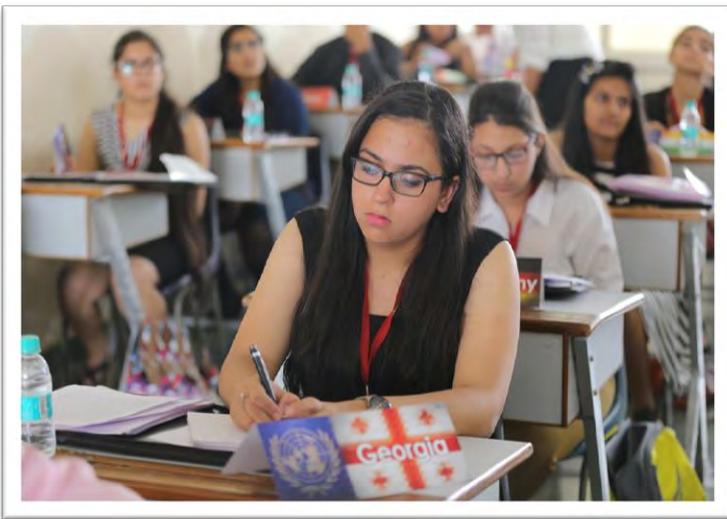
UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL

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The press conference held exciting and gripping questions for the budding delegates. Among these questions one was questioned to the United States of America asking on what legal basis does the US has to conduct drone strikes in the conflict area without the approval of the Syrian government. To this question the delegate of United States of America stressed on the responsibility to protect with the Doctrine of pre-emptive self-defense. Another interesting question asked to the delegation of United Kingdom was to elaborate on the idea of start-up, post conflict in Syria. The delegate answered the question with confidence saying that it will improve the economic situation of Syria as the major population has lost their source of livelihood and the start-up will provide new jobs for people affected by the war. The third question the International Press asked was meant for Russia to elaborate on their statement about bombing the petroleum refinery. They also asked Russia to say something on human casualties. Russia's final answer was that intelligence and espionage operations should be used to determine the complexity of human casualties. The answer given by the delegate of Russia was appreciated, on this note the International Press conference ended.



I don't always go to MUN. But when I do it.....



ALL INDIA POLITICAL PARTY'S MEET

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The members of All India Political Party's Meet discussed the agenda given to them on Day 1. First question was put up by the journalist to Mr. Rahul Gandhi to give a brief descriptive about the proceedings of the committee. Rahul Gandhi didn't shy away from calling Bhartiya Janta Party as a group of people who do not take interest and also blamed them for not proposing solutions in the committee. To which in the interjections, Mr. Arun Jaitely pointed out the blame game played by Mr. Gandhi in a manner that defended him and the party. Mayawati stood up and wrecked BJP for having internal conflicts which affects the consensus in the committee. Mr. Modi firmly advocated for his party by assuring there were no clashes and the consensus building is still the prioritized purpose. The session attended few more interjections for both Congress and BJP with Mr. Kejriwal pointing out the vague hypocrisy in the statements of the members during the session.



UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY :- DISEC

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The second day of SPMUN had arrived and DISEC was enthusiastic as ever. It was opened by the delegation of Palestine who stressed on the threats of nuclear and chemical warfare by terrorist groups. On the request of the press member another delegate gave a synopsis of what had transpired in the committee so far. After seeing no interjections to his statement the committee then proceeded on a motion of entertainment that passed with clear majority. The motion was kept informative but had an element of fun to break the ice that had hardened between the delegates. Venezuela, Indonesia, Egypt, Netherlands and some other countries actively participated in the debate which brought out a very significant point about the NSA's. The delegate of Pakistan and Democratic People's Republic of China were found over engaging and DPRK also enjoyed popularity amongst fellow delegates due to this reason.



EVOLUTION OF A DELEGATE

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9:00 am



11:00 am



1:00 pm



6:30 pm



Types of EB we find in an MUN

Men and women want to be them; it's the people who run the committee (or they're supposed to anyways- but we don't judge!).

Presenting the types of EB you find in a Model UN Conference.

1. The Idealist:

He arrives on time, he runs committees like a clockwork monster, will not meander through the conference, even nature's call has to wait till a session break for this gentleman refuses to leave the committee, until forced by the Secretariat.

2. The Tyrant:

The living embodiment of Kims, the Amines and the Hitlers- this EB member will run the committee like a concentration camp, trains his delegates like the revolutionary army and trace his fellow EB members like the secret police.

PS- we're fairly sure that we saw this particular person planning an overthrow of the government (JNU- wink! wink!)

3. The Shahi Paneer:

Just like the patented dish of Indian weddings, this EB member is obsessed with food and can be seen comparing miscellaneous objects to food items. He has a special affinity toward Shahi Paneer and seems obsessed with its indoctrination into MUN procedure.

4. The NA Guy:

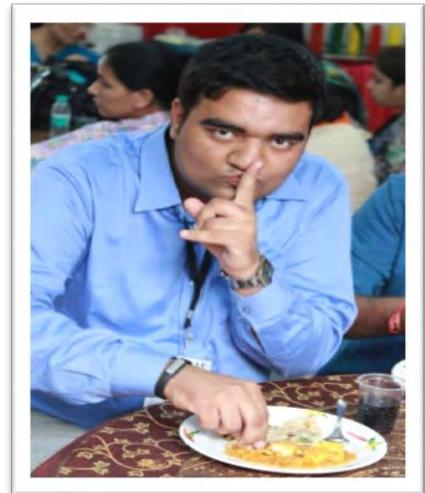
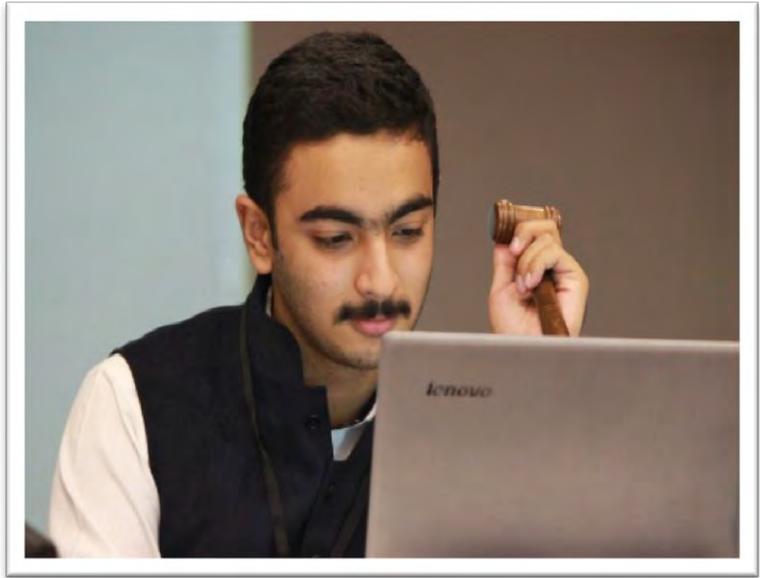
Very fragile! This guy often complains of pains in his back (though more often than not, comes across as a pain in the behind). This member resides in a separate dimension of nausea and is very keen on being handed the mike. The NA stands for – "Not Applicable" (there is another definition but we don't want to take names)

PS- Though we do not believe in numbers, this section cost us 44 MUNs.

5. The Forever Alone Guy:

Bit of a control freak, this guy likes to do all things on his own (pun not intended!). His EB is on a vacation and he complains about it to everybody in sight. Despite his semi sociopath

like attitude, our guy is a softie at heart- and longs for companionship. Most likely to go stag to the delegate dances.



007 BEHIND THE SCENE

YOU DON'T WANT TO MESS UP WITH THEM *EVIL GRINS*

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