



Committee on Cyberbullying

Global Youth designing solutions to confront Cyberbullying

In this committee, students will represent their schools and local communities in identifying solutions for when electronic devices are used to threaten or intimidate others. Young people around the world often have valuable insight into needed solutions, and we believe they will be passionate about proposing changes because many have had first hand exposure to this type of issue.

The committee will have a limit of 12 school groups. Each school group will be asked to bring a delegation of four students who will focus on the perspective of each of these constituent groups, to bring an enlarged view in confronting Cyberbullying at home and in the world.



1.
Schools

2.
On-line
Platforms

3.
Local
Government

4.
Community
Involvement

The delegates will represent themselves and their ideas based on their inquiry into the issues, as well as interviews with representatives from local constituent groups.

Each delegation will conduct research, develop a resource inventory and diagnose the problem prior to arriving at the conference. The delegation will also submit a display board on the status of the issue in their school and local area (as a substitute for the country display board) and will submit position papers.



At the conference the committee session will have two phases:

Phase 1: Creating a resolution on Prevention and Mitigation of the effects of Cyberbullying that addresses all four constituent groups.

Phase 2: Each School group will create an implementation plan to address Cyberbullying in their local community.

The Cyberbullying Committee will follow the UN Rules of Procedure culminating in resolutions for each constituent group and implementation plans for each participant.

For the first phase the Cyberbullying committee will follow the MMUN rules of procedure. The second phase the school groups will work to create an individual plan to address Cyberbullying locally.

This committee will showcase that students are uniquely equipped to prevent and mitigate cyberbullying, creating more opportunities for meaningful change, for their generation.

Committee Preparation: Expert Webinars



In order to assist participants in understanding the topic, both teacher coordinators and students will have access to three dedicated webinars. Webinars were held with cyberbullying experts sourced from **Peace One Day**.



Topics for the webinars:

**The Government's role in Preventing Cyberbullying:
Regulation & Innovation**

**Tech Company Strategies from Design to Moderation:
Challenges and Opportunities**

**Mitigating Cyberbullying: Psychologists Reflect on School
Best Practices**

Check on MMUN website webinar date



Each webinar will last for approximately 90 minutes, with a standard format of a presentation by the expert (60 mins) outlining the current landscape, opportunities, challenges and best practice solutions followed by a recorded question & answer session to assist with conference preparation.

Webinars will be held under Chatham House rules, and recordings will not be shared on open social media platforms. Delegates will receive secure access and recordings sent to teacher coordinators with the request they do not share outside of the preparation process.

Our goal is that this new committee serves as a demonstration of the creativity and potential of youth to identify solutions for world problems in a domain which affects them close to home. The resolutions will form the basis for follow-up initiatives at the local level and provide channels for uniting youth around the world.

We expect to document the committee process and to share output and outcomes via PR, social media and regular media outlets.



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