What is Model United Nations?

- Model UN simulates the work of the United Nations.
- We represent a Member State’s policies regarding global issues.
- WSU MUN team travels to NYC for the National Model UN Conference (NMUN) every year.
WSU MUN Team

- Awarded highest honors at NMUN for 32 consecutive years.
- Mentoring system—first-year members paired with returning delegates in working partnerships.
- Model UN Seminar: 4 credit hour class (PLS 486) during Winter Quarter.
- Previous WSU delegations have represented:
  - Japan
  - Germany
  - ICC
  - Russia
  - Canada
Who can participate?

- Any Wright State student who is:
  - Interested in international affairs
  - Looking to improve public speaking, researching, writing, and negotiation skills
  - Seeking an academic challenge
  - Motivated to learn outside of the classroom.

- All majors, ages, and GPAs are welcome to apply.
- No previous experience with MUN or prerequisite classes are required.
PLS 486: Model UN Seminar

- 4 credit hour, upper-level Political Science class:
  - Winter Quarter: MWF 1:30pm-5:00pm.
  - Faculty Advisors are Dr. Schlagheck and Dr. Shannon of PLS department.

- Apply the credit hours to your degree:
  - University elective (All majors)
  - Writing Intensive credit (All majors)
  - College elective (Liberal Arts)
  - Major elective (Political Science, International Studies)
Topics of study for all majors!

- International issues:
  - Peace and Security
  - Human Rights
  - Environment
  - Energy
  - Technology
  - Health
  - Economics

- Visit [www.un.org](http://www.un.org) to learn about the various committees of the United Nations!

Japanese Ambassador Kodama briefing the 2011 WSU delegation. Photo credit: Mission of Japan/CONRAD
Why be a member of the team?

- Develop essential life and work skills for future success.
- Opportunity to meet and work with students from all over the world!
- Full Delegates receive room and travel scholarship to attend National MUN Conference in NYC.
- Work with some of the best and brightest students of WSU.

“Model UN not only improved my writing, speaking, and negotiation abilities, but also provided me with a deepened self-confidence that I will carry into all my future endeavors.”

- Tiffany Carson (3-year member, English major)
WSU MUN Alumni Careers

- Foreign Service Officer
- National Air & Space Intelligence Officer
- Federal Bureau of Investigation
- Congressional Staffer
- Premier Health Partners Senior Staff
- Chamber of Commerce—Public Relations
- College Professor
- Attorney
- Dept. of Homeland Security
- Reynolds & Reynolds Account Manager
- Author
- US Agency for International Development (USAID)
- Kettering Foundation Researcher
Join WSU’s Model UN team!

- Today: Sign our email list to receive important updates about information sessions and interviews.
- Attend information sessions:
  - First weeks of Fall Quarter
  - Meet current members of the team
  - Learn more about MUN
- Complete an application (available in 325 Millett)
- Sign up for an interview: Sept. 26- Oct. 1
Questions?

- Additional questions? Please contact Head Delegates:
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