

GDMUN'25

Truth Requires Inquisition

Conference Guidelines and Code of Conduct

Overview & Purpose

GDMUN'25 wants to promote a culture of professional learning and meaningful discussions. Therefore, all participants, delegates, faculty, guests, staff, and board members must practice professionalism in their speech, conduct, and appearance. In this case, professionalism refers to speaking, acting respectfully, and dressing appropriately. These guidelines have been put in place so that the environment will be conducive to productive engagement, respect for each other, and enriching experiences for everyone.

General Guidelines

1. All participants must treat others with the utmost respect and professionalism at all times, including on social media and in digital communication.
2. Any actions that interfere with committee proceedings or cause disturbances within the conference premises will not be tolerated.
3. Delegates must maintain a respectful and professional tone in all interactions with fellow delegates, chairs, and staff. The use of offensive language, abusive behavior, or mockery will result in strict disciplinary action.

4. The consumption of alcohol and smoking is strictly forbidden during GDMUN'25. Any delegate found violating this rule will face immediate expulsion along with their school delegation.
5. The conference strongly condemns any form of harassment or discrimination based on caste, race, gender, sexual orientation, religion, or nationality. Any participant who experiences or witnesses such misconduct, particularly of a sexual or malicious nature, must report it to the faculty-in-charge or the secretariat for appropriate action.
6. All participants must ensure the proper use of all conference facilities and materials. Any damage to property will be the responsibility of the individual involved.

Delegate Guidelines

1. Delegates must ensure that their speeches are completed within the time limit set by the committee to maintain efficiency and engagement.
2. The use of the internet during committee sessions is strictly prohibited to ensure focused participation and adherence to conference protocols.
3. All delegates are expected to have a fundamental understanding of the Rules of Procedure (ROP) to facilitate smooth and effective debate.
4. Delegates must wear formal business attire at all times to uphold the professional standards of the conference.

5. Delegates must consistently advocate for their assigned country's policies and interests in an informed and diplomatic manner.
6. Delegates are required to meet all submission deadlines for position papers (if necessary) and arrive on time for all committee sessions.
7. Delegates must wear their ID cards at all times during the conference. Failure to comply with this rule may result in exclusion from committee proceedings.
8. Any concerns, inquiries, or requests during the conference must be communicated through appropriate channels such as the Executive Board or Secretariat. Personal discussions unrelated to committee work should be kept outside of sessions.

Dress Code

DATES	DRESS CODE
24 APRIL 2025, Thursday	Indian Formals
25 APRIL 2025, Friday	Western Formals
26 APRIL 2025, Saturday	Indian Formals

1. Delegates must be dressed in Indian Formal attire on the 1st and 3rd day of the conference.
 - For Boys: Kurta and pyjama, and half jacket (if required)
 - For Girls: A decent and comfortable salwar-kameez, optionally paired with a dupatta.

2. Delegates must wear professional business attire, including suits, blazers, and dress shirts.
 - For Boys: Suits and blazers must be properly buttoned, and shirts should be neatly tucked in to maintain a formal appearance.
 - For Girls: Suits and blazers must be properly buttoned, and shirts should maintain a formal, professional look.
3. Clothing such as jeans, athletic wear, shorts, crop tops, sundresses, off-shoulder tops or dresses, sleeveless outfits, skirts, or any overly revealing attire is strictly prohibited.
4. Any delegate failing to adhere to the dress code will not be permitted to enter conference sessions and may face further disciplinary action if necessary.

Faculty-In-Charge Roles

1. Faculty advisors must ensure that their students uphold a professional and respectful demeanor throughout the conference, adhering to all rules and regulations.
2. Advisors are responsible for providing accurate and complete details of all participants representing their institution at the conference.
3. Faculty advisors should ensure that their delegates arrive on time for all sessions and adhere to conference schedules.
4. During committee sessions, faculty advisors must remain present within the conference premises to assist and supervise their delegation when required.

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1. No participating school may release or publish any materials related to committee sessions without obtaining prior approval from the conference administration.
2. The conference proceedings may be documented and shared through digital platforms and print media. By participating, all delegates acknowledge and consent to being photographed during committee sessions and other conference activities.
3. As previously stated, the use of the internet during committee sessions is strictly prohibited unless explicitly permitted by the Executive Board.
4. Delegates are not allowed to use headphones or any audio devices during committee sessions to maintain focus and engagement in the proceedings.

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