

COURSE DETAIL

MODEL UNITED NATIONS SEMINAR

Country

Switzerland

Host Institution

University of Geneva

Program(s)

Global Studies, Geneva

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Political Science International Studies

UCEAP Course Number

104

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

MODEL UNITED NATIONS SEMINAR

UCEAP Transcript Title

MODEL UN SEMINAR

UCEAP Quarter Units

5.00

UCEAP Semester Units

3.30

Course Description

The Model United Nations (MUN) seminar is an interactive course developed by Geneva International Model United Nations (GIMUN). MUN is the simulation of a United Nations committee or agency, where each participant represents a State or organization and advances their policies as they debate contemporary global issues. The course is divided in two parts: theoretical and practical. In the first part of the semester, a new theoretical element of MUN is studied every week in the form of a traditional lesson with obligatory readings. In the second part of the semester, a contemporary global issue is debated every week in mini-simulations led by groups of four students. The course covers a variety of subject matter including international law, environment, and development. Students learn about the United Nation (UN) system and government foreign policy, while training in public speaking, research, negotiation, and diplomacy.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

J2M049

Host Institution Course Title

MODEL UNITED NATIONS SEMINAR

Host Institution Campus

University of Geneva

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Global Studies Institute

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