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A Student's Guide to Advocating in the United Nations



How to Initialize Advocacy

- Using pre-established connections with Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) in consultative status with the United Nations
 - Russian Academy of Natural Sciences
 - Utah China Friendship Improvement Sharing Hands Development and Commerce
- Connecting UVU's programs and policies to programs and policies within the United Nations
 - Engaged Learning Initiatives
 - Inclusive Student Programs
 - Utah International Mountain Forum
 - UVU Sustainability Program

Activities at the United Nations

- Meeting with Foreign Dignitaries
 - Permanent Ambassador to the U.N. the Republic of Uzbekistan
 - Permanent Ambassador to the U.N. for the Republic of Kyrgyzstan
 - Permanent Ambassador to the U.N. for the Republic of Tajikistan
- Meeting with United Nations Officials
 - Representatives from the Mountain Partnership
 - Director of Public and International Affairs for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints
 - Representatives from the NGO office of the U.N. Secretariat
- Voluntary National Reviews
 - 46 Nations in the HLPF
- Presentation in the ECOSOC Chamber

Future Projects

UVU NGO Conference

October 27th, 2018 9AM-3PM

Science Building SB134

- “Working Together, Making a Difference”
- Focused on UN-NGO relations
- OPEN TO ALL NGOs/Individuals
- Featuring:
 - President Tuminez
 - Chief of UNDP/NGO Relations
 - Mayor Biskupski

68th Annual United Nations DPI Conference

August 26th-28th, 2019

Salt Lake City, Utah

- First ever U.N. Conference in the United States outside of New York
- High-level United Nations officials, various governments, NGOs from all across the world

Utah International Mountain Forum

- 63rd Commission on the Status of Women at the United Nations
- 2019 High-Level Political Forum at the United Nations
- Resolution in the General Assembly

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Be Individually Involved:



To Get Involved:

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Join UIMF Club

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Join the Sustainable Mountain Development Club

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Join Model United Nations

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Join Foreign Affairs Club