

Our Day of Arrival to New York and Preparations for CSW67

On March 6th - 8th, Utah Valley University (UVU) Rotaractors traveled to the United Nations 67th Commission on the Status of Women to present in a parallel event. Rotaract is a student club that works with Rotary International to provide students service opportunities in their community.



UVU Rotaractors just arrived to New York

As a student club Rotaract provides opportunities for students like me to be involved in different activities through a Student Engaged Learning (SEL) model. SEL places focus on providing students hands-on experience in their field of study, and makes my education feel more practical since I can see how I may apply it after graduating. UVU Rotaract is a member of the Utah International Mountain Forum (UIMF), a coalition of student clubs at UVU which advocates for sustainable mountain development in the State of Utah and globally.



Delegation members received ground passes

Today, I had the pleasure to receive my ground pass for the CSW event. I am very excited to officially be a part of this impressive experience. We will be attending many meetings, participating in a parallel event, and get to take part in a side event. I don't completely understand much of what is going on but that's what is interesting about the SEL model, we are thrown in the deep end to get real world experience. I am excited to see how the United Nations functions and what types of plans of actions are going to be talked about or put into place at this Commission on the Status of Women.

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