



Partnership between SDG Youth Connect and the Discover Model United Nations Foundation (DMUN)

Article I. Nature and Purpose of the Partnership

Section 1.1 Nature

The partnership shall be held between the two organizations of SDG Youth Connect (sdgyouthconnect.org) and the Discover Model United Nations (DMUN) Foundation (dmun.org). The partnership will be active as of September 20th (*replace date with date of agreement*), 2025.

Section 1.2 Purpose

The partnership aims for mutual benefit: SDG Youth Connect will help promote and drive applications to DMUN opportunities for international conferences. In return, the DMUN

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Foundation will provide a percentage of conference passes and accreditations for SDG Youth Connect delegates, with delegates retaining the option to represent either or both organizations.

Article II. Delegate Accreditation and Nomination

Section 2.1 Accreditation Percentages

- For each conference DMUN is accredited to, SDG Youth Connect will receive 50% of the accreditations gained through its own efforts (distinct registration by SDG Youth Connect staff), capped at 25% of the total passes available for that event.
- If SDG Youth Connect nominates a delegation that is primarily (defined as greater than 50%) composed of SDG Youth Connect staff, these individuals will be formally accredited by DMUN as Global Youth Representatives, in accordance with DMUN Foundation policy.
- If the percentage of passes results in a non-whole number, it will be rounded up to the nearest whole number.
- If allocated passes for SDG Youth Connect are not used, remaining passes revert to DMUN.

Section 2.2 Nomination Rights

- a. For events with 10 or fewer DMUN delegate slots, one seat is reserved for a representative of SDG Youth Connect.
- b. For events with more than 10 slots, SDG Youth Connect receives seats equivalent to 10% of total badges, rounded up.
- c. For unlimited-nomination events, SDG Youth Connect may nominate up to 60% of the joint DMUN Foundation and Global Youth Representative quotas. If the nominated delegation consists primarily of SDG Youth Connect staff (see definition in Section 2.1), DMUN reserves

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the right to register those delegates under the Global Youth Representative category in accordance with DMUN's standard procedures.

d. If a Global Youth Representative selected by DMUN cannot attend, SDG Youth Connect may nominate an alternate.

Article III. Representation and Conduct

Section 3.1 Details of Representation and Conduct

- All representatives of SDG Youth Connect participating through DMUN accreditation agree to:
 - a. Seek prior written approval from DMUN and SDG Youth Connect (jointly) for any public statements or interventions, and must always state they represent both organizations when making permitted interventions.
 - b. Explicitly acknowledge DMUN in all official communications, public or written.
 - c. Abide by conference codes of conduct and DMUN procedures, avoiding conduct that risks DMUN's accreditation.
 - d. Violation of these provisions may result in permanent bar from DMUN programs and immediate contract termination in the case of SDG Youth Connect staff.

Article IV. Duration and Renewal

Section 4.1 Duration and Length

This Agreement remains in effect for one (1) year from signature, with renewal possible by mutual written consent.

Article V. Confidentiality and Financial Responsibility

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Section 5.1 Details on Confidentiality

Internal communications, draft statements, and strategic materials under this Agreement are confidential and may not be shared without DMUN's written consent.

Section 5.2 Duration of Confidentiality

All terms of confidential information will be kept fully confidential until two years after the end of the contract.

Section 5.3 Details on Financial Responsibility

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, each party bears its own participation costs (travel, accommodation, etc.).

Article VI. Indemnification

Section 6.1 Details on Indemnification

SDG Youth Connect agrees to indemnify DMUN against any losses, liabilities, or reputational harm resulting from the actions/inactions of its representatives in terms agreed by both parties based on the scenario.

DMUN agrees to indemnify SDG Youth Connect against any losses and/or liabilities caused by miscoordination or disrespectful actions of its representatives in terms agreed by both parties, based on the scenario.

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Article VII. Termination

Section 7.1 Details on Termination

Either party may terminate this Agreement with thirty (30) days' prior written notice. Immediate termination is allowed in cases of serious misconduct per Article III.

Article VIII. Governing Law

Section 8.1 Details on Governing Law

This Agreement is governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Massachusetts, USA, without regard to conflict of law principles.

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