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MARIANNA CAPODISTRIA PRESS PRODUCTION

DRAMA,

SCANDAL

, just standard procedure for this conference.



What does the press
have to say about the
conference?

Handwritten symbols and text, possibly representing a press statement or a list of topics.

Read about the Youth
Assembly, and em,
something.

The conference is in full swing, but will the delegates manage to bridge divides, forge bold resolutions, and rise to the challenges ahead? As debate intensifies and alliances shift, every speech and motion carries weight. CGSMUN stands at a critical moment, where diplomacy, leadership, and decisive action will shape the outcomes yet to unfold. If you like I can also make it even more consice and diplomatic.

Time for our volunteers and press members to speak out....

*“I am indispenasble, it’s my sole weakness”
-Marianna Capodistria, sick*



*“Honesty is a brand
and I'm wearing it”
-Orfeas Mavros, Press*



*“Respect bro”
- Tsakiris, floor manager*

*“Is it better to mun or
to die?”
-Athina Papadimitriou,
Press*



*“I’d go if I were you.”
-Marios,
reffering to CGSMUN,
Former Press member,
in private communication.*

HEAD OF HEAD OF PRESS

*"The truth is only
what you present it to be"
Orfeas Mavros, Press*



*“UN Women should be for the performative
males too.”
-Nick Trimandylis, Head of Press, Woke.*

*“This empire belongs to me, leave it with me”
-Taylor Swift, CGSMUN alumni*

But what is actually happening in CGSMUN committees? (part 2)

GA6:

Excuse my legalese. GA6 is pondering the abstract yet important and the practical yet vague realities of restrictive economic movements from the United States, regarding Iran. Iran is a political territory. A piece of land which is defined by borders and that is not empty but contains at least a certain number of citizens. A citizenry, if you will. And the US has instated sanctions on Iran. That is to say, an embargo. A boycott. In other news, legal frameworks exist and are in place. And they exist and are in place in order to regulate political immunity and/or political impunity. However, the legal frameworks which exist and are in place in order to prevent illegal migration appear not to have been implemented as was hoped. As such, GA6 will be enhancing their implementation.

UN Women:

Delegates of the UN Women committee are discussing the ways in which inequalities between genders can be expressed in the global sociopolitical context. Specifically, they are addressing the full spectrum of injustice towards the women, from their social standing, to the way their financial and personal freedom gets silently and slyly undermined due to the gender pay gap. What is more, they are deliberating on how it appears that the medical field has significantly ignored the existence of women, since they are perpetually underrepresented in medical research and there still is a great lack of reproductive healthcare. The reason this committee exists is to look at those issues through a unique and specific perspective, that of understanding the challenges each woman faces. Unfortunately, not a single man cared to take part in the UN Women committee.

Economic and Social Council:

One of the most interesting committees of the MUN, which fosters some of the most wide-ranging conversations, ECOSOC, is ready for another year of heavy deliberating. In this year's conference, its topics include everything from poverty to intellectual property, as well as a plethora of motions on emerging technologies, Artificial Intelligence, and their negative impact on the planet. The delegates fighting for the sanitation of your drinking water are the very same ones defending your intellectual property from being assimilated into the ever-growing mass of mismanaged content, which is being fed into Generative Artificial Intelligence. Oh, and they're also trying to bridge the divide between Less Economically Developed Countries and More Economically Developed Countries. Amazing job, guys.

Human Rights Council:

"War crimes? Bad. We do not like war crimes." said the HRC chairs when asked. "We got a lot of 6-7", they added, with an equally serious tone. Their despondent tone could simply be understood as a product of exhaustion and constant interaction with the darkest side of human nature. The topics of the HRC are not simply serious, they're near depressing, and certainly offensive to human dignity. Here are the delegates who aren't afraid to talk about forced labour, about the use of human shields in combat and about a Big Sibling overlooking and reporting on your every move.

International Court of Justice:

The ICJ is one of the most fundamental pieces of the MUN puzzle. It pinpoints, discusses and, after all, tries what it deems worthy of international attention. For some, it is the epitome of international law, the place where no crime, no matter how powerful its perpetrators, goes unnoticed and unpunished – the ICJ sees and judges all. It sees you, and is judging you. Well, hopefully not you. Hopefully you are not accused of committing a Genocide in Ukraine. Because, this year, the ICJ is talking about Genocide (proving, once and for all, they're much braver than Thom Yorke, despite not having written "Creep").

Special Conference:

This year's SPECON is challenging what we think we know. The delegates are saying NO to the accumulation of Big Data, in more ways than just declining internet cookies. They are reducing censorship in all online spaces and protecting the accurate diffusion of information, whether that is from internet users, from news broadcasting channels, or even from official state sources. It is not always easy to understand where personal viewpoint ends and where the truth begins. That is why there is a need for structural change, discussed and defined by the Special Conference, to holistically support the modern citizen in the process of reaching the truth.

Historical Security Council

Our past is important, because our past shapes our perception of our identity, and our identity can and does shape our actions. Historical events are not simply to be read in a book and discussed by grumpy academics with greying hair. History is alive in every moment of our daily lives. With that exact idea in mind, the HSC makes sure that different nations, with entirely different perceptions of historical truth can find common ground in some of the most important events that have definitively shaped their sociopolitical identity. This weekend, the HSC is trying to figure out where exactly the global community stands regarding the Falklands war, the fall of Yugoslavia and the dissolution of the Soviet Union.

UNESCO:

Most delegates will agree: our culture, our education, and our relationship with science are some of the most important defining characteristics of our identity. That is why any self-respecting delegate will also hold great respect for UNESCO. This agency ensures that the immaterial intellectual wealth of our planet stays safe and ever-growing. It is not a simple mission, by any means. This year, they approached it by tackling the commodification of Protected Archaeological Sites, by addressing the gentrification of various indigenous languages, such as that of the Mexican languages by Spanish, by trying to ensure holistic access to quality education and investigating the impacts of withdrawing Foreign Aid.

THE LONG AWAITED YOUTH ASSEMBLY ARTICLE

The younglings! The yunguns! The youth! What on Earth could they possibly be talking about at a conference designed to train you for diplomacy all while promoting sadism!!? Could it be about their daily lives? What would that conversation entail? And again, what on earth would they talk about? They certainly live in a world centered around social media, the need for approval and, quite frankly, illiteracy.

Well, lucky for me writing this article, because that's exactly what they're talking about! Little children, who just hatched from their eggs, are debating about eating disorders in relation to social media. Does social media have an impact on eating disorders, or is it the opposite? So many unanswered questions, that our youth is called to answer. The influence of the media on people's behaviour is clearly evident, more and more each day, so it'd make sense that they'd also have an impact on eating habits. In relation to that, they're also dealing with the elimination of fake news and disinformation. It is most certainly needed and tragically relevant. Since their subjects are complex and mature, the younglings are separated into two committees. They both argue about similar topics, fighting for one sole cause: Education. The children who will be holding our world together in a couple of years, are now trying to agree - even if it's just a simulation- on how their futures will be managed.

This deep dive into subjects like the accessibility and the subjectiveness of education, will truly with its turn open the children's minds toward a new path of not just knowing what they learn, but truly understanding it. It is immensely important that children find themselves face to face with these types of issues, as it sets the groundwork for future stability, if not improvemen

THE GA5 TAKEOVER OVERVIEW

Sure! Here's an article about the GA5 takeover in CGSMUN. This phenomenon occurred in the 20th MUN conference at Kato Viglas pallini, from the 12th to the 14th of December. This situation has perplexed a lot of people, especially delegates who are very deeply confused about why they all have the same committee name. The founder of this movement is Suyu and the abolisher of it is Greece's one and only, true and real, unfathomable yet approachable Fragkos. He is our saviour, your saviour. He is one of us, all the while making us into what we truly are. We are GA5 and GA5 is us. It thrums through our veins and provokes sentiments of patriotism that only one other thing has succeeded to in such a level.

You already guessed it: Fragkos. Hail to the thief of sadness, someone might say, but it is our duty to open that umbrella and save him. For he is the one that truly cares and floats to the surface, whenever things get difficult.

Once Suyu succeeded in killing all the other agendas, he finally found what he truly deeply wanted: power. From the moment he seized that, he was unstoppable. This is why, with their turn, the delegates started to join the movement, standing against all of which the MUN institution stands for: GROWTH. They wanted regression, they wanted stillness. They didn't want to move, they just wanted Suyu. Every committee was brainwashed, molded into the same uniform shape that Suyu instructed them to be: Brainwashed. Their agendas became similar, their objectives all the same. Representing the same values, the values of- you guessed it again- GA5.

Their faces blurred into one, lopsided, terrifying, concerning yet tranquilising stare. Their eyes were blank, their thoughts blanker.

Their POI'S consisted of asking where Suyu was and what he was doing. That's when Fragkos decided it was time for change. Time to understand and truly know the delegates and their psychosynthesis. With resilience and perseverance, our saviour powered through, breaking the bond between Suyu and the naive delegates. Thus, came the closing of MUN, where Fragkos stood proudly, holding the weight of world safety and peace. By screaming negative phrases in order to motivate the "incompetent" -as he would call them- delegates ; by being generally kind, he managed to obliterate the GA5 movement once and for all.



A RATHER AKWARD INTERVIEW

The CGSMUN Press Team abducted a random passer by and kept them hostage for the duration of the conference. Then, we interviewed them

Press Team: "Hi, hello, welcome, how did you find the opening ceremony?"

Random Guy: "Well, it surely was pleasant. The choir was okay and I was moved by some of the speakers. It got confusing at some point, though. I'm not quite sure why people started talking about chairs? The way I understand it, CGSMUN is about discussing important things with intelligent people for no practical reason at all. In this context, what does a chair have to do with anything?"

PT: "Ok, dude. How did your first day at the conference go?"

RG: "I mostly wandered aimlessly. At some point, I think I got lost, but then I went down a flight of stairs, and found myself just outside a 'GA1' Committee, right as they were being dismissed for lunch. It seemed curious to me that their committee was being held basically below ground, but what was even stranger yet was how it seemed to be affecting the delegates. Well, first of all, the moment each of them exited the classroom, they started to rub their eyes and exclaim in pain. I struck up a conversation with two of them and they told me how sunlight doesn't reach the depths of their room. They compared it to a cave, where everything is deep, damp and just... Not visible."

PT: "What did you think about the general theme of the MUN conference?"

RG: "I'm not sure, actually, I haven't really thought about it up until now.."

PT: "Well..? What about now?"

RG: "Now that you ask, I find the subject rather.. Superficial. Knowledge and understanding? I mean come on. That's just a bunch of poppycock. People don't know, they never will! Never have! And some random organiser thought that this subject would suddenly awaken our learning spirit and need for spiritual growth? Boo-freaking-hoo. Go cry about it. That's what I've been doing the last four minutes since you grabbed me. And now I'm here forced to speak about a random conference that I don't know ANYTHING about.

Unless it's what its name suggests, meaning it's a bunch of models uniting nations. That'd be cool.." "PT: "Okay okay, I think we're getting a bit side-tracked here.. Uh, how about another question hm?

So.. Why do you think someone would join an MUN?"

RG: "Well, as I stated earlier, I have absolutely no idea. I do not understand why someone would do that. I'm betting on masochistic tendencies and a penchant for all things dead."

PT: "Right, well, this was certainly.. Interesting..! Any last comments before we move on?"

RG: "Before you move onto your next victim? I don't think so. Oh wait yeah, now that I think about it: DON'T DO MUN, if I'm judging from this guy, then you most certainly do not want to get involved."

PT: " Wonderful, have a pleasant evening!"

RG: "@#%& *!% &%#@^# \$"

Pt: "That concludes it."

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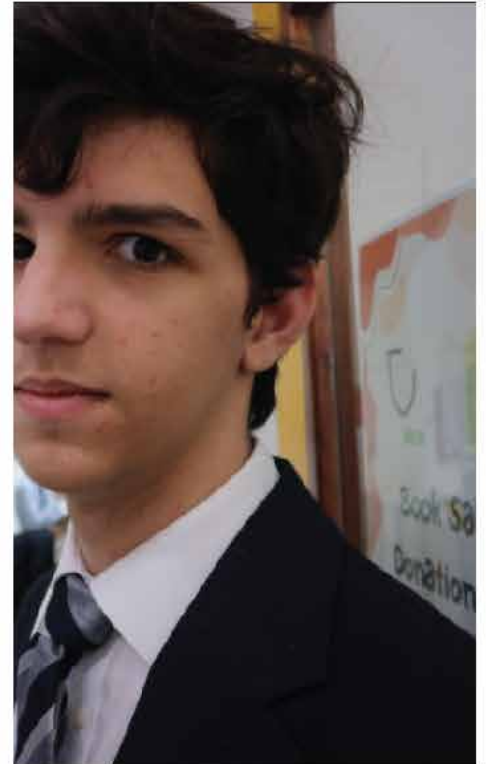








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Best couple:



Best Volunteers



Special Mention to Mr Mark Waldron!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

