

# Closing ceremony



Honourable presidency, esteemed delegates, dear student officers, beloved mun-directors, admins, and guests,

These past days have gone by very quickly, and although we are sorry that this year's conference is almost over, we feel incredibly proud of everything we have achieved. We want to thank all of you, our incredible delegates, who have worked very hard to find solutions to all the issues we discussed during this conference. We think you can all be very proud of all the things your committees have accomplished.

have been as successful as it was without your help, so thank you very much.

We talked about embracing differences, and we were glad to see that you all you kept the philosophy of embracing differences in mind while debating on this year's issues. You have not only embraced each other's differences as delegates from different countries and cultures, but also differences between the countries you have represented in the committees; this has enabled you to find solutions to real problems in the world right now and this is something that should be celebrated. Realistically, these resolutions probably will not carry out unto the 'real' world and work out exactly how we planned them.

But, simply because they don't, doesn't mean that our work here was fruitless. Like the writer Margaret J. Wheatley said, "Very great change starts from very small conversations, held among people who care." We are the next generation, and in order to solve and, in the future, prevent the conflicts happening today, we must remember the lessons we learned this week. That nothing can be accomplished working completely alone. That diversity is not something to disregard, ignore, or condemn, but something to be cherished. That we should be smart enough to listen but also courageous enough to speak.

We hope this conference has taught you to remember the power of your own voice.

Our voices might be different from one another, but they all share the same goal.

Together, if we embrace our differences and our voices unite, we can change the world for the better. It all starts here, with you.

Thank you for a wonderful conference.

# Keeping up with the GA'S



## **GA1;**

Almost everyone was late today so we started with a nice group dance, the delegate of the USA rapped for us and the gossip box said that Egypt and Saudi-Arabia kissed at the MUNA-Party.

## **GA2;**

Today yet another resolution of ours has passed. We tried to solve a crisis and everyone gave it their all, but unfortunately we got completely beaten by the terrorists.

## **GA3;**

We had a really nice dance party today. We were also really surprised by the singing skills of Liberia. One of our passed resolutions was used in the plenary session, and we managed to completely bomb Russia.

## **GA4;**

Today the debates went really well. We got a new delegate for the Netherlands who replaced a missing delegate and Egypt showed us a really nice dance. All the gossip was really fun too.

## **International Court of Justice;**

Today the delegation of Russia sang their national anthem for us, we got motion to divide the chairs which was absolutely not in order and there were a lot of dances.

## **Crisis Committee;**

We implemented a Crisis Caucus in which all the delegates could create their own crises which we would use in debates. A lot of countries fought when trying to solve some crises and we had some really fun Gossip.

## **Security Council;**

The SC managed yet again to solve a war but this time it was done through a dance battle. They also made the of a city and they even solved World Hunger.

## **Historical Committee;**

Italy got wiped out in the war in the Mediterranean, Yugoslavia won the entire game and every one double crossed their allies in the final rounds.

## **Future Council;**

The debates went really well today. We lost a delegate for a short period of time but was later reunited with us, we had a lot of fun Gossip and there was a really nice mood overall.

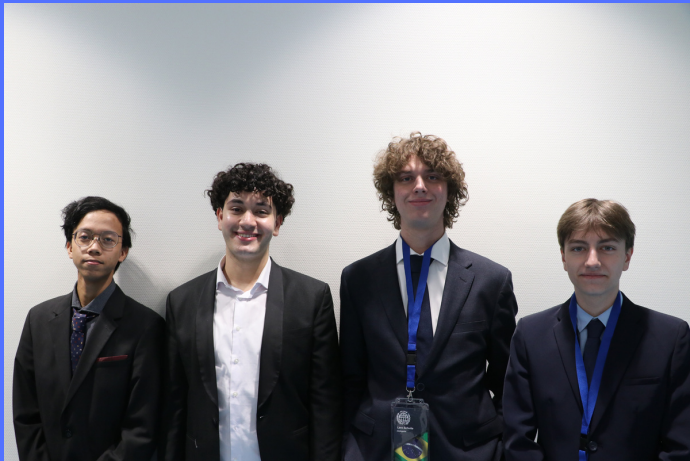
# Superlatives



Most outgoing delegate



Most likely to become president



Best allies



Worst enemies



Best dancer



Best delegate



Best couple that  
never was





# Interview with a Security Council Chair

**What is it like being chair in the security council?**

It's very fun, probably the best committee there is even though I have not visited any others. The people are really committed to representing their country but in an entertaining way. I'm most happy about the freedom I get as a chair.

**How are the delegates doing?**

They are super creative and come up with new ideas. They are really giving the security council a fun twist as everyone is involved, no matter if they knew each other previous to the conference or not.



**Lucas Jansen**

Security council chair

**I heard that a war was started can you tell me something about that?**

Currently we are in our second world war, we tried to have them sign a peace treaty but they could not come to an agreement and we ended up solving the war with a dodgeball contest, for this upcoming one there will be a dance battle.

**How did you prepare to be a chair?**

There was very little to prepare as I was a delegate last year and the general rules were opened on my laptop the whole time.

**Can you describe MUNA in 5 words?**

Creative, well organised, inspiring, fun and connecting



# Plenary Session

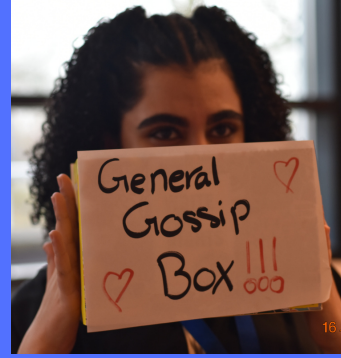
The plenary session was a special event at the end of MUNA. Modeled after the plenary session of the real United Nations, everyone came together in the auditorium to listen and vote on the resolutions which were passed in each of the four General Assemblies. All resolutions were shown on a large screen everybody could look at. Instead of being divided by the different Assemblies, all delegates of a country were now seated next to each other. The chairs of each GA were seated at the head of the conference.

The resolution of **GA1** hoped to solve the issue of the violence, armed crime, and inequality of the Northern Triangle in Central America. After a quick procedure with no votes against, the resolution passed. **GA2** proposed a resolution to protect the diversity in national, ethnic, religious, and linguistic minorities. This resolution had some opponents, but there was still a clear victory. **GA3** added a resolution which would improve the situation in the world surrounding sanitised and hygienic cleaning water. This resolution passed as well, receiving only little resistance. **GA4's** resolution concerned the question of territorial sovereignty in Antarctica. Their resolution to protect this land passed as well. All in all, it seemed like the plenary sessions in MUNA go a lot better than in the real world...





Thank you all for the best muna yet!



See you all next year! :)