

# Pacific Model United Nations Page Program Legal Terms and Code of Conduct



I, \_\_\_\_\_, agree to the following terms and conditions in order to participate in Pacific Model United Nations:

1. I authorize Pacific Model United Nations ("PACMUN"), PACMUN's agents, successors, assigns and designees to record my name, likeness, voice, other related biographical materials, or otherwise (collectively, "Recording"), edit such Recording, use such Recording in materials related to PACMUN, including but not limited to promotion and advertising materials, and own the copyright therein to use the Recording, or any part thereof, throughout the world in perpetuity, in any markets, manner, formats and media, whether now known or hereafter developed. The Recording shall be used and disposed of, without limitation, at the sole discretion of PACMUN.
2. For the safety and comfort of all participants, PACMUN will be a drug, tobacco and alcohol-free environment. The term "drug" refers to substances including, but not limited to, inhalants, prescription medication used without authorization from a physician, as well as illicit and illegal substances. This does not include over-the-counter drugs used with permission of a physician or legal guardian, or prescription medication being used as directed by a physician. As a delegate, teacher, chaperone, photographer, Staff member, Secretariat, or any associated or registered person at PACMUN, I agree to not be in possession of or be under the influence of drugs or alcohol for the duration of the conference.
3. For the safety of all participants, no horseplay, roughhousing, use of harsh language, possession of weapons, or other acts of physical or verbal abuse, unintentional or intentional will be tolerated for the duration of PACMUN, which includes the Delegate Social and Midnight Crisis. Additionally, sexual misconduct or harassment by any Staff member, Secretariat member, Delegate, Volunteer, Chaperone, Adviser, or Board Member (collectively, "Participant") will not be tolerated and will result in expulsion from the conference. Sexual misconduct and harassment includes, but is not limited to:
  - a. Indecent gestures
  - b. Indecent advances (touching, inappropriate words)
  - c. Forcing another person to dance when they are not willing
4. I agree to abide by the instructions given by the Secretariat and/or Staff. If leaving the hotel, both my parent(s) and I will notify the Secretariat and/or Staff before departing. All conference Participants are required to be in the hotel at all times except during designated meal times as specified by the official conference schedule. I agree to assume responsibility for any damages arising from the negligence of these rules.

5. No Participant will be allowed in the room of someone of the opposite gender without receiving prior permission from his or her designated Chaperone or Adviser or from a Secretariat member. No Page will be allowed in the hotel room of a delegate without supervision by a Secretariat member and/or designated parent/legal guardian.
6. No Page may skip or leave in the middle of a committee session without prior permission of their committee staff. An exception will be made only for illness or other emergency situations. Both my parent/legal guardian and I will notify a Secretariat or Staff member if I need to skip a committee session.
7. I agree to the Technology Policy which is as follows:
  - a. During all committee sessions, cellular phones are required to be turned off or placed in silent mode.
  - b. Use of cellular phones is not permitted committee session.
  - c. Laptops are permitted in committee, as long as they are closed during formal debate. In order to share Resolution Papers among delegates and committee staff members, use of USB drives is encouraged.
  - d. Any use of the internet for social networking, viewing explicit material, or other activity unrelated to the course of debate is a violation of the Delegate Contract.
  - e. Use of cellphones and use of laptops connected to the internet will be permitted outside of committee sessions.
8. I agree to abide by all logistical measures previously agreed upon by Pacific Model United Nations and the Sheraton Grand Seattle. Namely, I understand that the use of any incidentals, including but not limited to, parking, the mini-fridge, room service, and per-pay-view television will incur fees that I am responsible for paying before departing PACMUN. No participant is allowed to use the pool or hot tub. I agree to take full responsibility for any damages to hotel and PACMUN property arising from my actions.
9. Considering many of the terms in this agreement are in line with many school behavior policies, parents, legal guardians, and/or chaperones are ultimately responsible for the behavior of members of their respective delegations. However, PACMUN reserves the right to remove individuals in violation of this agreement from the conference.

**PLEASE SIGN BELOW: FOR STUDENT (PAGE)**

*I agree to assume responsibility, financial or legal, for consequences or damages arising from my negligence of these terms and conditions.*

*I agree to indemnify, hold harmless, and defend Pacific Model United Nations from and against all claims, demands, causes of action, and liabilities arising from my breach of these terms and conditions, which are also accessible at <http://pacificmun.com/registration>.*

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Printed Name (Participant)                      Signature                      Date

**PLEASE SIGN BELOW: FOR PARENTS**

*I, the legal parent or guardian of the aforementioned student, agree to all the above statements and understand that my child is responsible for regulating their behavior and actions at PACMUN. I have reviewed the terms and conditions and have discussed them with my child, and agree to them.*

*I agree to abide by the instructions given by the PACMUN Secretariat/Staff. I will help enforce any requests made of my child by the Secretariat to ensure that the conference runs smoothly.*

*I understand that my child's participation in the program does not include free parking at the Sheraton Grand Seattle, meals, or any other concession(s) for either me or my child.*

*I agree to take full responsibility for any damages, consequences, or bodily injury that may befall me or my child during the course of their participation, and I agree to indemnify, hold harmless, and defend Pacific Model United Nations from any demands, causes of action, or liabilities arising from my lack of supervision of my child.*

*I agree to assume responsibility, financial or legal, for consequences or damages arising from my or my child's negligence of these terms and conditions.*

*I agree to indemnify, hold harmless, and defend Pacific Model United Nations from and against all claims, demands, causes of action, and liabilities arising from my or my child's breach of these terms and conditions, which are also accessible at <http://pacificmun.com/registration>.*

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Printed Name (Parent/Guardian)                      Signature                      Date