

USA ELECTIONS

SPECIAL COMMISSION

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"Courage is the resistance to fear, the mastery of fear, not the absence of fear."
– Mark Twain

Dear delegates,

It is an honor to welcome you to TOLMUN 2024, a particularly significant model as we celebrate its 30th anniversary, which for three decades has encouraged thousands of students to use their full potential for the well-being of the world in which we live. On behalf of the Tecnológico de Monterrey and the Organizing Committee, we extend our greetings and our gratitude for being part of this important history.

For 30 years, TOLMUN has been a place where bold and committed young people become the leaders of tomorrow to dialogue, debate, and above all, to transform the world. This model has witnessed countless ideas that have challenged the status quo, brave voices that have raised their hands in favor of justice, and the construction of a better future.

This year, more than ever, we find ourselves at a moment where you, the delegates, have the opportunity to continue the story. It is not just about representing different nations, but about expressing your way of thinking and coming together as one to solve problems.

The heart of this model is you, the delegates, who motivate us year after year with your enthusiasm, talent and commitment that allows you to continue writing the history of TOLMUN and without realizing it you are already doing something that many others do not do; raising your voice and facing the challenges of the world.

Never stop participating, debating, and above all, daring. You are already changing the world. Let's celebrate 30 years of doing it together!

On behalf of the entire organizing committee, thank you very much for your participation in TOLMUN 2024, good luck delegates, we wish you much success.

Sincerely:

Valeria Tapia Morales
Secretaria General

Maria Fernanda Zenil Cruz
Subsecretaria General



WELCOME LETTER:

Fellow representatives and candidates,

We feel flabbergasted to get to share this year's debate space with you all. You have chosen this committee because you have a genuine interest in the modern international political scenario and in making a change, in this case, focusing on the United States of America.

We feel flattered that you chose this committee, and we can proudly say that you made the best choice. In this new commission, we, your chair, will make sure that you have an incredible time realistically simulating the primary and general elections. An exhaustive preparation has been held by the chair and the honorable secretariat for you to have an almost professional space to share your points of view, your knowledge and debate about the past, present, and most importantly the future not only of the American society but also of the whole globe.

Toluca Model United Nations (TOLMUN) seeks to be a space so that agents of change like you can learn about and discuss what is happening on our planet. Three days of interesting sessions will lead us to be able to decide the future of the American and international society strictly respecting the Honorable Constitution of the United States of America.

The Model United Nations generates a total revolution in our thinking, encouraging us to be tolerant and analytical with respect to other people's points of view. In addition, they are an excellent opportunity to establish relationships that will last a lifetime.

We are extremely excited and intrigued to hear each and every one of your proposals, which can guarantee both a fair and prosperous future for our society and quality care for the American families.

From our part, we reiterate the desire to have a fruitful debate, full of different opinions and points of view, which together will lead us to make the United States a dream country for all the world.

Sincerely,
Emilio Moguel
Fernanda Flores
Arturo Hernández.



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ABOUT THE COMMISSION:

The specialized commission on USA elections has as its primary objective to hold the primary and general elections, through party, presidential and vice presidential debates.

ABOUT THE PRIMARY ELECTIONS:

As a commission, we will hold primary elections. At first, the commission will be divided in two sides: the house Republicans and the ticket-running Republicans, plus the house Democrats and the ticket-running Democrats.

At first, our commission will divide in two different spaces to host the Democratic and Republican National Conventions. These conventions must be opened by a motion of procedure.

Once the DNC/RNC is open, the speakers list must start so every representative and candidates can declare their statement in front of the Democrat or Republican delegates. After the Speakers List, the primary debates must be opened by a motion of procedure presented by any representative. In these debates, only the candidates to the partisan ticket will be able to speak. This debate will last 20 minutes and will have as objective for the representatives to be easier to compare both profiles and designate an official ticket. The questions asked to the candidates will be predetermined by the chair.

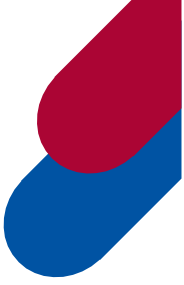
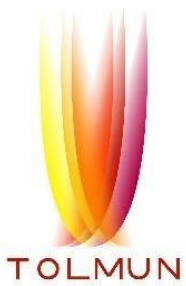
Just after the debate time finishes, the voting will be conducted by the chair and every representative must cast their vote.

ABOUT THE GENERAL ELECTIONS:

Following the primary elections, we will proceed with the official general elections. At first, the candidate speaker's list will be opened by a representative through a motion of procedure.

All four candidates (POTUS and VP) will be required to expose their proposals and general points of view one by one, by hierarchical order. Each one of the candidates must conclude between a three minute mark.

The final voting will work exactly the same as the primary elections. The conference officer will ask every representative and observer to cast their vote, following standard Model UN procedure. The results will be announced by the president. Once the results are public, the commission will be automatically dissolved.



PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE:

Having concluded the speakers list, the presidential debate must start. Just as the previous points, the debate will be proposed by a representative through a motion of procedure.

Questions will be allowed by any representative or observer, and should be asked by raising placards when the chair verbally allows it. The questions must be concrete, and general (so that every candidate can answer them). There will be a time limit per answer (three minutes) to ensure every question is properly answered. In addition, the chair will have a predetermined question bank so the debate fluctuates correctly.

ABOUT RESOLUTIONS:

Each problem must be solved in the time the chair indicates, and a formal resolution (with the normal MUN format) must be presented, voted, and authorized by both the chair and the secretariat. Every representative, candidate, and observer will be required to vote the resolutions following predetermined Toluca Model United Nations protocol.





The USA Elections Special Commission electoral protocol, explained:

Primary elections:

1

Division of parties

The commission will divide in two separate debate spaces according to each Representative/Candidate's party. (Democrats and Republicans)

2

Party National Convention

The Dem/Rep National Convention will be opened by a motion of procedure. The speakers list will be opened the same way so Representatives can make their initial statements.

3

Primary Debates

Debates will be opened by a motion of procedure. Only candidates will participate. It will last 20 minutes. Questions will be predetermined by the chair.

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Final Primary Voting

Just as the debate finishes, the chair will hold the Primary Voting and every Representative must cast their vote.



General elections:

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Candidates' Speakers List

All four candidates (POTUS and VP) will be required to expose their proposals and general POV by hierarchical order. Three minute limit. Opened by a representative through a motion of procedure.

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Presidential Debate

Questions will be allowed for any representative or observer. These questions must be concrete and directed to both candidates. Three minutes allowed per answer. There will be a question bank so the chair can ensure the debate conserves its dynamic.

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Election Day (Final Voting)

Works exactly the same as the primary voting. Every representative and observer (key voters) must cast their vote, by basic Model UN voting protocol. The president will announce the results.



REPRESENTATIVES, CANDIDATES, AND OBSERVERS LISTS:

DEMOCRAT LIST


STATE	CITY	DISC TRIC T	NAME
New York	New York	12	Jerrold NADLER
California	Los Angeles	34	Jimmy GOMEZ
Illinois	Chicago	1	Jonathan L. JACKSON
Georgia	Atlanta	5	Nikema WILLIAMS
Arizona	Phoenix	3	Ruben GALLEGO
Pennsylvania	Philadelphia	2	Brendan F. BOYLE
North Carolina	Charlotte	14	Jeff JACKSON
Indiana	Indianapolis	7	Andre CARSON
Wisconsin	Milwaukee	4	Gwen MOORE
Michigan	Detroit	11	Haley STEVENS
CANDIDATE	VP	-	Kamala HARRIS
CANDIDATE	Sec. of Transportation	-	Pete BUTTIGIEG



REPUBLICAN LIST



STATE	CITY	DISTRICT	NAME
Texas	Houston	38	Wesley HUNT
Arizona	Tucson	6	Juan CISCOMANI
Georgia	Savannah	1	Buddy CARTER
Pennsylvania	Philadelphia	1	Brian FITZPATRICK
Florida	Miami	27	Maria Elvira SALAZAR
South Carolina	Charleston	1	Nancy MACE
Ohio	Cincinnati	2	Brad WENSTRUP
Michigan	Detroit	10	John JAMES
California	Los Angeles	40	Young KIM
New York	Long Island	2	Andrew GARBARINO
CANDIDATE	former POTUS	-	Donald J. Trump
CANDIDATE	former UN Ambassador	-	Nikki Haley





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Note: Search in the following drive for the committee you belong to and upload your position sheet there. Deadline: October 1st

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