

## MEMO

FROM:	Bettina Hausmann, President & CEO   Sebastian Sarria, Chair Adult MUN
то:	Delegates to 3 <sup>rd</sup> Annual Security Council Simulation
RE:	AMUN   U.N. Security Council Simulation   28 May 2016

Dear Delegates,

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the UNA-USA San Diego, we welcome you to our **3**<sup>rd</sup> **Annual Simulation of the U.N. Security Council on May 28**<sup>th</sup>, **2016**. We are excited you chose to participate in our simulation. By representing a country of your choice you will tackle multilateral international security concerns by seeking diplomatic solutions first.

In a world increasingly challenged by Climate Change, migration and evolving national identities, we are faced with unprecedented global security concerns initiated by non-state actors utilizing unconventional means to induce terror worldwide. The recent attacks in Belgium, Pakistan, Paris and Turkey are a few examples of their reach and determination to create public fear and upheaval in the pursuit of their goals.

As a delegate of the U.N. Security Council, it will be your task to work closely with all fifteen member states to address and contain the threat of the establishment of an Islamic State in the Middle East. During your preparation for the one-day Security Council Meeting, you will be paired with a student with prior extensive experience in Model United Nations to advise you on how to research your country's position on the issue and other helpful information.

We hope you will find our simulation exciting and intellectually stimulating while at the same time obtaining a better understanding of the workings, as well as constraints, of international diplomacy and the United Nations in general.

We look forward seeing you!

Warm regards,

Bettina & Sebastian

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