Model UN Club Constitution September 4 2007

Article I Name and Purpose	
Section 1	
This organization shall be known as the Model United Nations Club Section 2	
The MUN club engages in an authentic simulation of the United Nations system by learning about the	
UN system, the skills of debate, compromise, conflict resolution and negotiation. MUN team members have fun learning about the workings of world diplomacy through the lens of current events	
Article II Membership	
Section 1 Membership shall be open to all regularly enrolled students who are interested in the United Nations, and possibly competing at a conference as a part of a delegation, however this is not necessary.	
Section 2	
This Club is open to all who wish to join, however there are additional qualifications necessary in order to compete as a part of a delegation, please see Article IV.	
Article III Officers	
Section 1	
The elective officers for this club shall be the President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Event Organizer, and the Fundraising Chair.	
Section A	
The President shall run meetings.	i i i
Section B	
The Vice President shall run meetings in the event the President is not present. Section C	
The Secretary shall try to ensure proper communication among the group. Section D	
The Treasurer shall be in charge of dealing with the money for the club. Section E	
The Event Organizer shall be in charge of the logistics of the conferences, including lodging and transportation. Section F	
he Fundraising Chair will be in charge of raising the funds necessary to attend conferences. Section 2	Deleted:
The officers shall be elected by the club members to serve a term of one year, beginning in	Deleted:
April.	Deleted:
The club will have a faculty advisor.	Formatted: Indent: First line: 0.49

Article IV Conferences

In Order to attend a conference, a member of the club must: 1. Have a signed recommendation from a Political Science Department Tenured or Tenure Track

Professor.

- 2. Have a GPA of 3.0.
- Be nominated to participate in a delegation by the Club President or Vice President and have met with the Faculty Advisor and attained their approval to attend.
- 4. Attended at least, monthly meetings with the other members of their delegation, and assisted, to the satisfaction of the club officers and the faculty advisor, in both the Fundraising and the writing of position papers for the conference that they plan on attending.

Article V Dues

In Order to continue in the spirit of the United Nations, the Club is free to everyone, however there may be a cost to participate in Conferences as part of a delegation.

Article VI Amending the Constitution and by-laws

Amendments to the constitution or by-laws shall be presented by members of the club in writing and read at a regular meeting but shall not be voted upon until the next regular meeting, and then only after informing each member of the proposed amendments. A majority of 3/4 of the members present and voting shall be required in order to change the constitution. Amendments will not take effect until approved by the faculty advisor.

Article VII Meetings

The club shall meet bi-monthly -or- The club shall meet as determined by the club membership each semester. However delegation teams will meet more frequently.

Article VIII Committees

The club shall make provision for any standing committees needed and/or for forming any special committees when needed.

CONSTITUTION of the Model United Nations

Ratified in Full 29 April 1999

"We must seek, above all, a world of peace; a world in which peoples dwell together in mutual respect and work together in mutual regard." -- John F. Kennedy

Article I

Name

The name of this corporation shall be the North Carolina State University Model United Nations, hereafter referred to by full name as above, the Model United Nations, the MUN, or the corporation.

Article II

Mission

It is the mission of the Model United Nations to promote knowledge and understanding of the United Nations and its functions, incite interest in world affairs and activities, and encourage understanding of various governments and peoples through study and interaction with students from other collegiate institutions. It is the further mission of the Model United Nations to serve the North Carolina State University Student Body and University community through any public works it deems to be beneficial.

Article III Purposes

The purposes of the Model United Nations shall be as follows:

- Provide information with regard to the United Nations and its functions, foreign governments, nationalities, and cultures; and,
- Promote United Nations education and understanding of such governments, nationalities, and cultures through study, interaction with students from other collegiate institutions, and any other events designated to achieve these purposes; and,
- Incite interest in world events and activities, notably with regard to the United Nations; and,
- Attend Model United Nations conferences throughout the academic year at locations throughout the world; and,
- e) Serve the Student Body through various public works and services; and,
- Actively recruit students who possess an interest in fulfilling the stated mission and principles of the Model United Nations.

Article IV Officers and Official Responsibilities

Section A – Offices Defined

The Model United Nations shall maintain the offices of President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and other such offices as the Board of Directors prescribes. Not more than one office may be held simultaneously by the same person. Guidelines regarding election, term of office, removal, and filling of vacancies are found in the corporate Bylaws, Article IV.

Section B – President

The President shall be the chief executive officer of the Model United Nations and, in general, shall supervise and control all of the business and affairs of the corporation. He/she may sign, with the Secretary or any other proper Officer of the corporation

authorized by the Board of Directors, any deeds, mortgages, bonds, contracts, or other instruments or documents which the Board of Directors has authorized to be executed; inform each prospective member of his/her final status in the application process; and he/she shall perform all such other duties as may be prescribed by the Board of Directors on occasion.

Section C - Vice-President

In the event of death, resignation, or removal of the President, the person who serves as Vice-President shall assume the office of President until the General Membership elects a successor to the President and shall perform all such other duties as on occasion may be prescribed by the President or by the Board of Directors.

Section D – Secretary

The Secretary shall keep the minutes of the meetings of the Board of Directors and General Membership; see that all notices are duly given in accordance with the provisions of the Bylaws or as required by law; be custodian of the corporate records and seal; and perform such other duties as on occasion may be assigned to him/her by the President or by the Board of Directors.

Section E – Treasurer

The Treasurer shall be responsible for all funds and securities of the corporation; receive and give receipts for monies due and payable to the corporation and deposit all such monies in the name of the Model United Nations in such banks, trust companies, or other depositories as shall be selected in accordance with the provisions of the Bylaws; and perform such other duties as on occasion may be assigned to him/her by the President or by the Board of Directors. If required by the Board of Directors, the Treasurer shall give a bond for the faithful discharge of his duties in such sum and with such surety or sureties as the Board of Directors shall determine.

Section F – Other Responsibilities

The duties as assigned above shall be executed without fail. As such, any shortcoming of any Officer shall be rectified by the Board of Directors, other Officers, and the General Membership. In addition, any assistance requested by an Officer shall be provided. Furthermore, should necessary duties arise that are not designated to any specific individual(s), such duties are considered the responsibility of each Director, Officer, and general member of the Model United Nations.

Article V General Membership

Section A – Eligibility for Membership

No qualifications shall be established for the purpose of admittance into the Model United Nations. This clause may not be repealed, nor the Constitution amended in such manner as would contradict this section.

Section B – Procedure for Candidate Selection

Members of the Model United Nations shall actively approach various individuals with regard to the stated mission, purposes, and activities undertaken by the corporation. If such individuals appear to possess an interest in joining the corporation, the member shall provide to him/her an application for admittance established by the Board of Directors, as well as any supporting documentation regarding the corporation available. Upon completion of the application, the prospective member shall return the application to the member who proposed his/her admittance, who shall then forward the completed application to a Director of the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors shall consider completed applications, and at such point whereupon deliberation is completed, the Board of Directors may choose to reject the application or interview the prospective member at a time and place convenient to the prospective member. Upon interviewing the prospective member, the Board of Directors shall deliberate upon his/her admittance and, at such point whereupon deliberation is completed to his/her admittance and, at such point or accept them into the General Membership of the Model

United Nations. The President shall notify each prospective member of his/her final status in the selection process.

Section C – Annual and Regular Meetings

The General Membership shall hold an annual meeting at such time and place as the Board of Directors shall by resolution prescribe. The Board of Directors or General Membership may by resolution prescribe the time and place of such other regular meetings.

Section D - Special Meetings

Special meetings of the General Membership may be called by or at the request of the President or any Director. The person or persons authorized to call special meetings of the General Membership may fix any reasonable date, hour, and place, either within or without North Carolina, as the date, hour, and place for holding any special meeting of the General Membership called by them.

Section E – Notice

Notice of any special meeting of the General Membership shall be given at least fifteen (15) days previously thereto by written notice delivered personally or sent by mail, telegram, facsimile, or other means of electronic transmission to each Director and Officer at his/her address as shown in the records of the Model United Nations. If mailed, such notice shall be deemed to be delivered when deposited in the United States mail in a sealed envelope so addressed, with postage prepaid. If notice be given by telegram, such notice shall be deemed to be delivered when the telegram is delivered to the telegraph company. Any Director or Officer may waive notice of any meeting. The attendance of a Director or Officer at any meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting, except where a Director or Officer attends a meeting for the express purpose of objecting to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened. The business to be transacted at, and the purpose of, any special meeting of the General Membership need not be specified in the notice or waiver of notice of such meeting.

Section F - Quorum and Proxies

A majority of the total number of Directors and Officers in office shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any meeting of the General Membership; but, if less than a majority of the Directors and Officers are present at said meeting, a majority of the Directors and Officers present may adjourn the meeting on occasion without further notice. Proxies shall not be permitted without exception.

Section G – Manner of Acting

The act of a majority of the Directors and Officers present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the General Membership, unless the act of a greater number is required by law, this Constitution, or the Bylaws.

Section H - Compensation

Members of the General Membership as such shall not receive any stated salaries for their services but may be reimbursed for reasonable expenses. Nothing herein shall be construed to preclude any member of the General Membership from serving the Model United Nations in any other capacity and receiving compensation therefor.

Section I – Resignation; Removal

Subsection 1

Any member of the General Membership may resign from the Model United Nations at any time by giving notice of his/her resignation in writing addressed to the President or Secretary of the Model United Nations or by presenting his written resignation at an annual, regular, or special meeting of the Board of Directors.

Subsection 2

Except as otherwise provided by law, at any meeting of the General Membership called expressly for that purpose, any member may be removed, with explicit

cause stated in writing, by the vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the General Membership.

Article VI

Amendments to Constitution

The Constitution may be altered, amended, or repealed and a new Constitution may be adopted by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Board of Directors present at any annual, regular, or special meeting, and a three-fourths (3/4) vote of the General Membership if at least fifteen (15) days written notice is given of intention to alter, amend, or repeal the Constitution or to adopt a new Constitution at such meeting.

BYLAWS of the Model United Nations

Ratified in Full 29 April 1999

The following bylaws shall apply to the Model United Nations with regard to the composition and operation of its corporate Board of Directors, and any daily operating procedures provided herein. Other provisions regarding the operation of the corporation are found in the corporate Constitution.

Article I

Offices

Section A – Registered Office

The Model United Nations shall at all times maintain in the State of North Carolina a registered agent, whose residence or business office shall be the registered office of the Model United Nations.

Section B – Other Offices

The Model United Nations may also have such other offices within or without the State of North Carolina as the Board of Directors may, on occasion, designate, and as the business and affairs of the Model United Nations may require.

Article II Purposes

Section A – Nature of Corporation

The Model United Nations is a non-profit corporation formed under Section 55A-2-02 of the North Carolina General Statutes, which is organized and shall be operated in

accordance with the meaning and provisions of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and the regulations issued thereunder.

Section B – Primary Purposes

The Model United Nations is organized for the purposes set forth in its Articles of Incorporation which are filed with the State of North Carolina, as well as set forth in its organizational constitution.

Article III

Board of Directors

Section A - General Powers

The Board of Directors shall have the general power to manage and control the affairs and property of the Model United Nations and shall have full power, by majority vote, to adopt rules and regulations governing the action of the Board of Directors.

Section B – Number, Election, and Term of Office

The Board of Directors shall consist of seven (7) members. Directors need not be residents of the State of North Carolina. The Board of Directors shall initially be composed of three (3) members: the incorporator, Thomas Gregory Doucette; the organization advisor, Tricia Inlow; and the assistant to the incorporator, Teresa Jenice Moody-Nichols. Election to the Board of Directors shall be by majority vote of the members of the Board of Directors, which shall occur, except in the case of filling vacancies, at each annual meeting thereof. The remaining four (4) initial vacancies shall be filled in this manner. The initial Directors shall hold office until each chooses to resign, or is physically or mentally incapable of fulfilling his/her duties. All other Directors shall hold office for a term of one (1) year and thereafter until his/her successor is duly elected and qualified.

Section C – Officers

The Board of Directors shall defer to the General Membership for selection of a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and other such officers as it may consider appropriate with such duties as it may prescribe.

Section D – Vacancies

Any vacancy occurring on the Board of Directors prior to the expiration of a term shall be filled by such person as shall be elected by the remaining members of the Board of Directors. A Director so elected to fill a vacancy shall hold office for the unexpired term of his predecessor in office.

Section E – Annual and Regular Meetings

The Board of Directors shall hold an annual meeting at such time and place as the Board of Directors shall by resolution prescribe. The Board of Directors may by resolution prescribe the time and place of such other regular meetings.

Section F – Special Meetings

Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be called by or at the request of the President, the incorporator, or any two Directors. The person or persons authorized to call special meetings of the Board of Directors may fix any reasonable date, hour, and place, either within or without North Carolina, as the date, hour, and place for holding any special meeting of the Board called by them.

Section G - Notice

Notice of any special meeting of the Board of Directors shall be given at least fifteen (15) days previously thereto by written notice delivered personally or sent by mail, telegram, facsimile, or other means of electronic transmission to each Director at his/her address as shown in the records of the Model United Nations. If mailed, such notice shall be deemed to be delivered when deposited in the United States mail in a sealed envelope so addressed, with postage prepaid. If notice be given by telegram, such notice shall be deemed to be delivered when the telegram is delivered to the telegraph company. Any

Director may waive notice of any meeting. The attendance of a Director at any meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting, except where a Director attends a meeting for the express purpose of objecting to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened. The business to be transacted at, and the purpose of, any special meeting of the Board of Directors need not be specified in the notice or waiver of notice of such meeting.

Section H – Quorum and Proxies

A majority of the total number of Directors in office shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any meeting of the Board of Directors; but, if less than a majority of the Directors are present at said meeting, a majority of the Directors present may adjourn the meeting on occasion without further notice. Proxies shall not be permitted.

Section I – Manner of Acting

The act of a majority of the Directors present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the Board of Directors, unless the act of a greater number is required by law or by these Bylaws.

Section J – Compensation

Directors as such shall not receive any stated salaries for their services but may be reimbursed for reasonable expenses. Nothing herein shall be construed to preclude any Director from serving the Model United Nations in any other capacity and receiving compensation therefor.

Section K - Informal Action

An action may be taken without a meeting of the Directors if a consent in writing setting forth the action so taken shall be signed by all of the Directors.

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Section L – Resignation; Removal

Subsection 1

A Director may resign from the Board of Directors at any time by giving notice of his/her resignation in writing addressed to the President or Secretary of the Model United Nations or by presenting his written resignation at an annual, regular, or special meeting of the Board of Directors.

Subsection 2

Except as otherwise provided by law, at any meeting of the Board of the Directors called expressly for that purpose, any Director, may be removed, with explicit cause stated in writing, by the vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the Directors then in office. Furthermore, except as otherwise provided by law, at any meeting of the General Membership called expressly for that purpose, any Director may be removed, with explicit cause stated in writing, by the vote of three-fourths (3/4) of the General Membership.

Article IV

Regular/Standing Committees

Section A – Purposes

The Board of Directors may establish such regular committees to assist it in the performance of its duties as it considers appropriate. Each regular committee shall exist until dissolved by resolution of the Board of Directors, approved by the affirmative vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the General Membership.

Section B – Number, Election, and Term of Office

The number of members of each regular committee shall be determined by the Board of Directors. Members of each regular committee shall be elected by the affirmative vote of a majority of the Board of Directors, with approval of the President, and shall serve until resignation or removal by the President or the affirmative vote of a majority of the Board of Directors.

Section C – Officers

The President may designate from among the members of each regular committee a Chairman and Vice Chairman of such committee, and such other officers as the President may determine. The Chairman, Vice Chairman, and any other officers of each such committee shall have such duties as the President prescribes.

Section D – Vacancies

Vacancies in the membership of any regular committee shall be filled by the Board of Directors with approval of the President.

Section E - Quorum

Unless otherwise provided in the resolution of the Board of Directors designating a regular committee, a majority of the whole committee shall constitute a quorum and the act of a majority of the members present at the meeting at which quorum is present shall be the act of the committee.

Section F – Rules

Each regular committee may adopt rules for its own government not inconsistent with the Bylaws or with rules adopted by the Board of Directors.

Section G - Powers

Each regular committee shall have such powers as the Board of Directors may grant it consistent with law, the Articles of Incorporation, the Constitution, and the Bylaws.

Article V

Special/Ad hoc Committees

Section A – Purposes

The Board of Directors may establish such special committees to assist it in the performance of its duties as it considers appropriate. Each special committee shall exist for a time period as provided in the resolution of the Board of Directors designating a committee.

Section B – Number, Election, and Term of Office

The number of members of each special committee shall be determined by the Board of Directors. Members of each special committee shall be elected by the affirmative vote of a majority of the Board of Directors, with approval of the President, and shall serve until resignation, removal by the President or the affirmative vote of a majority of the Board of Directors, or until the designated time period of the special committee expires.

Section C – Officers

The President may designate from among the members of each special committee a Chairman and Vice Chairman of such committee, and such other officers as the President may determine. The Chairman, Vice Chairman, and any other officers of each such committee shall have such duties as the President prescribes.

Section D - Vacancies

Vacancies in the membership of any special committee shall be filled by the Board of Directors with approval of the President.

Section E – Quorum

Unless otherwise provided in the resolution of the Board of Directors designating a special committee, a majority of the whole committee shall constitute a quorum and the act of a majority of the members present at the meeting at which quorum is present shall be the act of the committee.

Section F - Rules

Each special committee may adopt rules for its own government not inconsistent with the Bylaws or with rules adopted by the Board of Directors.

Section G - Powers

Each special committee shall have such powers as the Board of Directors may grant it consistent with law, the Articles of Incorporation, the Constitution, and the Bylaws.

Article VI Officers

Section A – Officers

The Officers of the Model United Nations shall be a President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and such other Officers as may be elected in accordance with the provisions of this Article. Not more than one office may be held simultaneously by the same person.

Section B – Election and Term of Office

The Officers of the Model United Nations shall be elected by a majority vote of the General Membership at the organizational meeting and at every annual meeting of the General Membership thereafter, except that new offices may be created and filled at any meeting of the Board of Directors with approval of the President. Each Officer shall hold office for a term of one (1) year and thereafter until his/her successor shall have been duly elected and qualified.

Section C – Removal

Any Officer may be removed upon an affirmative vote of two-thirds of the Board of Directors, whenever in its judgment the best interests of the Model United Nations would be served thereby.

Section D - Vacancies

A vacancy in any office because of death, resignation, removal, disqualification or otherwise, may be filled by the Board of Directors for the unexpired portion of the term with approval of the President. A vacancy in the office of President may be filled by the Board of Directors for the unexpired portion of the term with approval of a majority of the General Membership.

Article VII Contracts, Checks, Deposits and Funds

Section A - Contracts

The Board of Directors may authorize any Officer or Officers, agent or agents of the Model United Nations, in addition to or in place of the Officers so authorized by the Bylaws, to enter into a contract or execute and deliver any instrument or document in the name and on behalf of the Model United Nations, and such authority may be general or confined to specific instances.

Section B – Checks, Drafts, and Similar Documents

All checks, drafts, or orders for the payment of money, notes or other evidences of indebtedness issued in the name of the Model United Nations, shall be signed by such Officer or Officers and/or agent or agents of the Model United Nations and in such manner as shall on occasion be determined by resolution of the Board of Directors.

Section C – Deposits

All funds of the Model United Nations shall be deposited on occasion to the credit of the Model United Nations in such banks, trust companies, or other depositories as the Board of Directors may select.

Section D – Gifts and Contributions

The Board of Directors may accept on behalf of the Model United Nations any contribution, gift, bequest, or device for the general purposes or for any special purpose of the Model United Nations. Such contributions, gifts, bequests, or devices shall be in conformity with the laws of the United States, the State of North Carolina, and any other relevant jurisdiction.

Article VIII Books and Records

The Model United Nations shall keep correct and complete books and records of account and also shall keep minutes of the proceedings of its Board of Directors, general assembly, and committees having any of the authority of the Board of Directors.

Article IX

Fiscal Year

The fiscal year of the Model United Nations shall begin on the first day of May and end on the last day of April in each year.

Article X

Waiver of Notice

Whenever any notice is required to be given under the provisions of the law of North Carolina or under the provisions of the Articles of Incorporation, the Constitution, or the Bylaws of the Model United Nations, a waiver thereof in writing signed by the person or persons entitled to such notice, whether before or after the time stated therein, shall be deemed equivalent to the giving of such notice.

Article XI

Distribution of Assets Upon Dissolution

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation to North Carolina State University, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively within North Carolina State University as the Board of Directors shall determine, or to federal, state, or local governments to be used exclusively for public purposes. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Superior Court of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organizations, such as the court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively within North Carolina State University, or to such governments for such purposes stated above.

Article XII Amendments to Bylaws

The Bylaws may be altered, amended, or repealed and new Bylaws may be adopted by majority vote of the Board of Directors present at any annual, regular, or special meeting, if at least fifteen (15) days written notice is given of intention to alter, amend, or repeal the Bylaws or to adopt new Bylaws at such meeting. Such changes shall take effect upon two-thirds (2/3) approval of the General Membership at its next meeting following the meeting of the Board of Directors where such changes were made.

State of North Carolina Department of the Secretary of State

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION NONPROFIT CORPORATION

Pursuant to Section 55A-2-02 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned corporation does hereby submit these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation.

1. The name of the corporation is: North Carolina State University Model United Nations

 (Check only if applicable.) The corporation is a charitable or religious corporation as defined in N.C.G.S. Section 55A-1-40(4).

3. The street address and county of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

Number and Street 3025 Commonwealth Avenue

City, State, Zip Code Charlotte, NC 28205 County Mecklenburg

4. The mailing address *if different from the street address* of the initial registered office is:

5. The name of the initial registered agent is:

Thomas Gregory Doucette

6. The name and address of each incorporator is as follows:

See name in 5 5000 Montrose Drive Virginia Beach, VA 23464

7. (Check either a or b below.)

a. _____The corporation will have members.

- b.____The corporation will not have members.
- 8. Attached are provisions regarding the distribution of the corporation's assets upon its dissolution.
- 9. Any other provisions which the corporation elects to include are attached.
- 10. The street address and county of the principal office of the corporation is:

Number and Street 3025 Commonwealth Avenue

City, State, Zip Code Charlotte, NC 28205 County Mecklenburg

- 11. The mailing address if different from the street address of the principal office is:
- 12. These articles will be effective upon filing, unless a later time and/or date is specified:_

This is the 29^h day of April, 1999.

Signature of Incorporator

Thomas G. Doucette Type or print Incorporator's name and title, if any

NOTES:

1. Filing fee is \$60. This document and one exact or conformed copy of these articles must be filed with the Secretary of State. (Revised October 1997)

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October 2, 1997

Kambriana White President Model United Nations Club Box 8102 NCSU Campus

Dear Ms. White:

NC STATE UNIVERSITY

We have reviewed your organization's constitution and officers list and everything seems to be in proper order. You are now a registered student organization at North Carolina State University entitled to all privileges entailed in that status.

Understand that this registration in no way gives the University or Student Government responsibility for any financial liability which may be incurred by your group. Your status does, however, give you the opportunity to approach the Student Senate with a request for funds, and it gives you certain on-campus solicitation privileges. Also, this status enables you to link your student organization's homepage to the University's Web.

Please be aware that we ask each student organization to update its file whenever there is a change of officers and at the beginning of each school year. Failure to do so will result in a loss of registration.

If the Department of Student Development can be of assistance to your group, please do not hesitate to call on us. Good luck with your new group.

Sincerely,

BL Bryan, Jr. Robert Sl Bryan, Jr. Interim Director Student Development

cc: Chad Meyers, Student Government Dick Parham, Reservations, Student Center Gina Barrow, Registration and Records Harry Nicholos, Computer Center

"Students First"

MODEL UNITED NATIONS CLUB Constitution

Article I	This organization shall be known as the MODEL UNITED NATIONS CLUB (M. U. N.)
	The purpose of this club is to promote Model United Nations education, interest in world events and activities related to the United Nations.
Article II	Membership shall be open to all regularly enrolled student who are interested in learning about and becoming active in world politics and Model United Nations.
	Membership shall be determined by the individual students interest in the club. Each member shall be assessed a semester club due (amount to be voted on by all members of the club).
Article III	The elected officers of this club shall be voted on by the members of the club. Elections shall be conducted by secret ballot and require a majority vote for all officers. The term of each office shall be one academic year. Elections shall take place at the end of the Spring semester for the following academic year (to promote preparation for the academic year and events scheduled early in the Fall semester). Additional elections shall be held as needed.
Article IV	Dues for the club shall be voted on by a majority of the members. Assessments may be made during the year to cover club costs. Assessments must have a two thirds vote with at least half of the members present to vote.
Article V	Amendments to the constitution or by-laws shall be presented by the members of the club in writing and require a two thirds vote with half of the members plus one present to vote.
Article VI	Meetings shall be held no less than once a month with a two thirds vote determining the designated location and meeting time each semester.
Article VII	Committees shall be formed as needed and voted on by the majority of the members present.
Article VIII	The Co-Presidents shall have he power to make necessary decisions, with the approval of the club faculty advisor, in urgent matters where there is not sufficient time to call a meeting to vote on the matter. Both Co- Presidents and the faculty advisor must be in agreement to make any urgent decisions pertaining to the club.