

FLAME MUN CLUB

CHARTER 2020

Article I: Club Principles

This Club

Aims to contribute towards the enrichment of the lives of all members of FLAME University. It shall not discriminate with regard to race, religion, age, ethnic or national origin, gender, physical ability, or sexual orientation.

Will respect that differing viewpoints exist, and will work towards understanding these viewpoints, and giving all members the right to voice their concerns as long as they are within the bounds of acceptable behavior within the FLAME Community.

Will work towards strengthening, not fragmenting the FLAME Community. It will use its influence to impact positively, all of its members - and by extension, the FLAME Community.

Article II: Name

This Club shall be known as the FLAME MUN Club.

Article III: Purpose

The purpose of the FLAME MUN Club shall be to promote and sustain a culture of Model United Nations among students at FLAME University.

● Article IV: Club Leadership (Executive Committee)

The **President** of this club would be Mr. Ansh Chordiya of Batch 2019 (UG 2).

The **Vice-President** of this club would be Mr. Kapish Agrawal of Batch 2018 (UG 3).

The **Secretary** of this club would be Miss Aahana Nair of Batch 2019 (UG 2).

The **Treasurer** of this club would be Miss Manvika Gopathi of Batch 2018 (UG 3).

The **Faculty/Staff Advisor** of this club would be Mr. /Ms. _____(To be decided)_____.(Can be updated in September 2020)

I am Ansh Chordiya, and I will be serving as the President for the FLAME MUN club for the year 2020-2021. I hope to foster a healthy culture of debate and deliberations during my tenure as President of the FLAME MUN club. In order to do so, my objectives are as follows:

- Objective 1: Primary Objective of the FLAME MUN Club will be to actively encourage and promote students to participate in Model United Nations conferences in various capacities such as Diplomat of a country, member of the Executive Board, member of the International Press, member of the Secretariat or as an Organising Committee member.
- Objective 2: Secondary Objectives include to make people acquainted with the intricacies of Model United Nations. Details such as Rules of Procedure, Proceedings of debate, Conduct of a diplomat/ Executive Board member/ International Press member will be discussed with students. (In addition to this, training sessions and various other research material required that will be consistent with UNA-USA Rules of Procedure or any other Procedure upon request will be provided for.)
- Objective 3: Making students acquainted with the idea of foreign policy, global affairs, and hosting discussions on various subjects that are of relevance to the international community at large. The nature of these meetings will be formal for students to air their views on various subjects while maintaining decorum and diplomacy.
- Objective 4: Developing a culture of debate within the FLAME community revolving around global affairs and foreign policy. The nature of these debates may / may not be formal as the primary aim is to stimulate discussions and encourage students to form and back up their opinions regarding a certain issue.

I think these aims will have a positive impact on society because these skills enhance individuals in a multi-dimensional manner. The ability to reason, argue for the same, and exercise diplomacy while doing so are crucial to almost every individual. As I see it, they are one of the most integral components of gaining

success. Moreover, the skillsets that the aims intend to fulfill to a large extent are, to make students acquainted with the idea of foreign policy and encourage them to debate about the same while keeping their country's interests at hand. While doing so, the art of knowing what to compromise and what not to is also being laid emphasis upon and that in my opinion is essential for a well- rounded individual.

Article V: Membership (Can be updated in September 2020)- To be decided when the club begins formal proceedings.

Membership shall be open to all Students of FLAME University.

Article VI: Club Plan for the Academic year 2020-21 (Bearing in mind the academic calendar sent by FLAME due to the ongoing pandemic)

September-

2nd Week- Induction of the FLAME MUN Club through Email and Whatsapp.

4th Week- Formation of the FLAME MUN Club with prospective members. Sharing the concrete plan for the entire year with all the members

Introduction of Office Bearers in the First Meeting with the members and introduction about FLAME MUN 2021 and other prospective conferences in the following months.

Introduction of incentives for participating in MUN's for the college and possible Letters of Recommendation from the club for students for active participation in and out of FLAME.

October-

2nd Week- 1st Panel discussion and an interactive session on a specific agenda related to the global situation at the time, with all the club members.

4th Week- Introduction to the FLAME MUN Conference in 2021 and its portfolios. Invitation for the FLAME Community for applications through a Google Form.

November-

2nd Week- Secretariat interviews for the FLAME MUN Conference 2021.

4th Week- Formal Secretariat announcement and the first meeting to commence preparations for the conference.

December-

2nd Week- 2nd Panel Discussion with a FLAME faculty member, ideally a professor from the Public Policy or International Relations department.

3rd Week- Announcement for the FLAME Intra-MUN.

January-

3rd Week- FLAME Intra MUN conference.

February-

2nd Week- 3rd Panel Discussion with a visiting professor/expert keeping in mind the situation around Covid-19.

March-

FLAME MUN Conference

April-

Discussion with new prospective heads about FLAME MUN 2022. Assigning the new Secretary General.

Formation of the New Senior Secretariat for FLAME MUN 2022.

Article VII: FLAME Support

In order to foster a healthy MUN culture at FLAME, support can be offered in the following ways:

- 1) Involvement from International Studies and Public Policy faculty.
- 2) Encouraging students during classroom sessions to take part in Model-UN.
- 3) Expect Support and cooperation from the DTS workers and other staff members for the organization of FLAME MUN 2020.

Article IX: Expected Budget/Sponsorship-Raising Plans

Expected Budget: The profits earned from hosting the last conference during February-March. (Edit: Estimate of 5,000)

Plan for Sponsorship: Possible affiliations with companies that actively engage in hosting MUN's and other conferences. (Companies such as MUN-Café will be one of our options)

Annexure 2. Club Candidacy Form

FLAME MUN Club

Name of Nominee	Ansh Chordiya
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Skills & Experience

Please give details below of your skills & experience and indicate why you wish to be the President of the Club. (No more than 200 words.)

Bestowed with the opportunity of being the President of the MUN club, I intend to inculcate a “MUN” culture that sustains at FLAME. The reason behind why I would want to do so is because of the qualities conferences such as MUN’s help each of us master. Better networking, communicating effectively, leadership, debating with precision, and persuasion are skills that matter to me a great deal. I can say with confidence that Model UN has played a significant role in polishing these skills for me. Although I have attended just 2 MUNs and organized 2 MUNs, I have had the opportunity to develop and polish these skills. A combination of skill sets and expertise in a particular domain is certain to give you an extra edge and these are the values I wish the MUN club helps foster at FLAME. While I am heading this club with my colleagues, we look forward to promoting these ideas to the best of our abilities.

**Please note that this nomination will be invalid
unless this form has been fully completed**

I, Ansh Chordiya, the President of the FLAME MUN Club have read and clearly understood the roles and responsibilities of the various office bearers.

Name and Signature



Ansh Chordiya