

DELEGATE GUIDE

AMERICAN MOCK
WORLD HEALTH
ORGANIZATION

**ONE-DAY
SUMMIT 2018**

IMPACTING HEALTH
THROUGH EDUCATION: A
GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE



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A LETTER FROM OUR CO-DIRECTORS

Delegates,

We are honored to host and would like to welcome you to our first annual American Mock World Health Organization One-Day Summit. Founded in the Spring of 2017, we are a young chapter with high hopes of engaging students in global public health issues, policy-making, and international diplomacy. The goals of this conference is to not only simulate the World Health Assembly experience but also to build a professional network of like-minded peers and public health experts. As Conference co-directors, we aim to provide everyone involved an educationally enriching experience and more knowledge on the factors which influence international public health.

Furthermore, this conference is to strengthen your ability to think critically about global health issues. This then gives you the tools to deal with the problems that you come across given the political, social, and economic differences in a body of people with such diversity in opinions. As a unified body, you will be working together to create what is called a resolution, in which you will outline the specific and feasible solutions to the problems that you face. In order to write these resolutions and engage in debate, we will be providing you with all necessary materials, guidance, and instruction to take your knowledge about public health topics and transition it into the position that you will be taking for the entirety of the conference as the nation that you will advocate for. We hope that by developing the skills of effective communication and critical thinking in a platform such as a mock-WHO conference that you can carry these skills over into your future learning environments and careers, no matter what they may be.

We are incredibly excited to announce our theme for this Conference: “Impacting Health through Education: A Global Perspective.” With such an assortment of socio-economic well-being across each region and the entirety of the World Health Organization, disparity and a lack of access to basic necessities such as clean water, medicines, and education are incredibly prevalent issues. It is crucial solutions are sustainable rather than short-term. Considering the varied relationship between ‘Education’ and ‘Health’ provides an insightful view on the foundation of a healthy society. Our two sub-themes under this topic are (1) Diffusion of Health Knowledge and (2) Implementation of a Sustainable Health Workforce. The sub-theme that you choose to focus on in your committee will guide the writing of your resolutions and the discussions ahead.

As the conversation surrounding public health and the growth of nations socio-economic standing continues to change, we are confident that each individual who is participating in this conference can be a beacon of change on an international scale. We hope you see the experience you have engaging with other individuals as being an opportunity to use your drive and passion to expand conversations surrounding Health and Education. At the core of the purpose of this simulation is carrying your knowledge forward to be the change that you would like to see in this world.

Additionally, our incredible executive board will be guiding you through the entire learning curve that is being able to conduct a simulation of this scale. With their passion for this organization and many diverse backgrounds, we hope you have an unforgettable experience and enjoy your development as an individual throughout the summit.

Sincerely,

Kody Oliver and Elizabeth Kosco, Executive Co-Directors

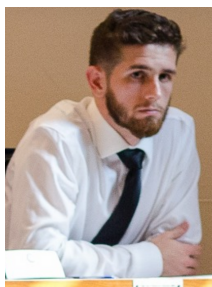


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IMPACTING HEALTH THROUGH EDUCATION: A GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE

CONFERENCE LOGISTICS

OUR EXECUTIVE TEAM



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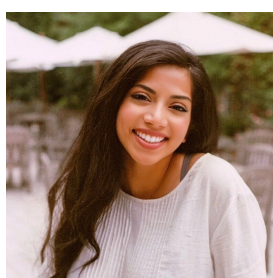
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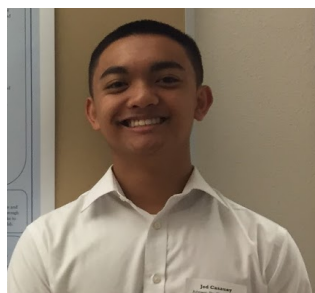
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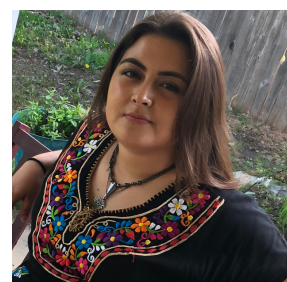
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Freshman Liaison



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SPEAKER PANEL

Our Faculty Advisor: Dr. Gary Raskob



Gary Raskob is Dean of the Hudson College of Public Health, and Regents Professor of Epidemiology and Medicine, at the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. His research and scholarly interests are in the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of deep-vein thrombosis and pulmonary embolism; clinical trials; prevention research; evidence-based medicine and public health; and the translation of research evidence into practice and health policy.

Dr. Raskob serves as Chair of the Steering Committee for World Thrombosis Day, on behalf of the International Society of Thrombosis and Haemostasis (ISTH). He has participated

extensively in clinical practice guideline development for several specialty organizations including the American Society of Hematology (ASH), the American College of Chest Physicians (ACCP), the American Thoracic Society (ATS), and the American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO). Dr. Raskob also serves as a member of the external advisory panel on thrombosis and hemostasis for the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute (NHLBI), and as an advisor on blood disorders to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). He is author or co-author of more than 200 publications on the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of thromboembolic disease, including 19 articles in the New England Journal of Medicine.

Dr. Raskob is the immediate past Chair of the Board of Directors for the Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health, the organization which represents more than 100 universities in the US and globally with accredited schools and programs in public health. Dr. Raskob is active in public health service in his community, and serves as Chair of the Oklahoma City-County Board of Health, which has oversight responsibility for the health department serving the 1.3 million residents of Oklahoma City-County.

Dr. Raskob received his PhD in pharmaceutical sciences from the University of Oklahoma, a Master of Science (MSc) degree in clinical epidemiology and health research methodology from McMaster University in Hamilton, Canada, and a Bachelor of Science degree in pharmacology from the University of Toronto, Canada.



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SPEAKER PANEL

Dr. Valarie Blue Bird Jernigan

Valarie Blue Bird Jernigan is a community-based participatory researcher, trained in intervention science, with the goal of combining research with action for social change. Dr. Jernigan received her doctorate in public health from the University of California, Berkeley, and completed a postdoctoral fellowship in cardiovascular disease prevention at Stanford University, where she also completed a degree in documentary filmmaking. Valarie is the Principal Investigator of four National Institute of Health (NIH) -funded R01 studies aimed to improve indigenous food environments through policy and system interventions including "THRIVE," a randomized trial of healthy makeovers in tribally owned convenience stores and "FRESH," a food sovereignty and community gardening intervention with Osage Nation. Dr. Jernigan is a standing member of the Community Level Health Promotion Study Section for the NIH and member of the Canadian Institutes of Health Research College of Reviewers. Dr. Jernigan is an Associate Professor of Health Promotion Sciences in the College of Public Health, the George Kaiser Family Foundation Chair of Community Medicine and the Assistant Dean of Research at the School of Community Medicine, University of Oklahoma.



Susan Wegrzynski

Susan holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology from Eastern Illinois University; a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing from the University of Central Oklahoma; and earned a Master of Science degree in Nursing from the University of Central Oklahoma in 2016 where she was awarded the Distinguished Graduate Nursing Student Award. She possesses ten years of experience in public health nursing including SoonerStart, Children First, the Oklahoma Birth Defects Registry and the Newborn Metabolic Screening program for the Oklahoma State Department of Health. Additional experience includes inpatient and home-based adolescent and adult psychiatric nursing. In 2014, Susan was awarded a fellowship to attend the Oklahoma Public Health Leadership Institute (OPHLI).

Her OPHLI group project to encourage the consumption of water and to reduce the use of sugary drinks in the Oklahoma population became the Shape Your Future: Rethink Your Drink statewide media campaign. Susan is currently employed as the Program Coordinator for the OU Physicians Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery Program at the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center. Her interest in bariatric surgery lies specifically in the life changing results for women of childbearing age.

Susan believes women should be as healthy as possible before pregnancy thus reducing the risk of serious health issues in mom and baby.



CONFERENCE LOGISTICS

SUMMIT SCHEDULE

8:15-9:00am Check-in	Delegate will arrive at the entrance to the Hudson College of Public Health and check in directly in front of the auditorium, breakfast will be provided	Front Entrance
9:00-9:30am Opening Remarks	Co-Directors Kody Oliver and Elizabeth Kosco will be introducing the conference and making their opening remarks	Auditorium
9:30-11:00am Committee Session #1	Delegates will disperse to their assigned regional committee rooms, led by their Dias, and enter into debate on sub-theme	Committee Rooms
11:00-11:45am Speaker Panel	Three speakers, Mrs.Susan Wegrynzski, Dr.Gary Raskob and Dr.Valerie Blue Bird Jernigan will be sharing their health experiences	Auditorium
11:45-12:30pm Lunch and Learn	The speakers will be sitting in different areas and delegates are welcome to grab their lunch and go engage with speakers	Auditorium/ Classrooms
12:30-2:30pm Committee Session #2	Delegates will disperse to their assigned regional committee rooms, led by their Dias, and write their resolutions for Plenary	Committee Rooms
2:30-4:00pm Plenary	All regional committees will convene in the auditorium to debate and vote on each resolution that was made in committee session	Auditorium
4:00-4:30-pm Closing Remarks	Handing out of regional delegate awards by Dias as well as Closing Remarks by Conference Co-Directors	Auditorium



PARLIMENTARY PROCEDURE

RULES OF ORDER

The following tables contain the terms and phrases used in facilitating the proceedings during committee sessions in AMWHO conferences. You may be familiar with them if you have prior conference experience, but if not, this table is meant to help guide you during committee sessions. As intimidating as the table may seem, this language is very easy to pick up and get used to.

Addressing the Dais	When speaking to the Chair, use titles of either “Chair” or “Honorable Chair.” Similarly, call the Vice-Chair and Rapporteur by their title.
For and Against Speeches	During debate, this may be used to have speakers represent affirmative and opposing opinions. This typically provides a speaking time of 30 seconds.
Yielding Time	Delegates may allot the remainder of their speaking time to 1) the Chair, discarding the time, 2) other delegates, or 3) for questions. (e.g. “Fiji yields their time to the Chair.”)
Note Passing	Note passing is encouraged as a method of communication between individual delegates, or with the Dais, without using speaking time during committee sessions and plenary.
Warnings	If necessary, the Chair will provide a warning to delegates who speak out of line continuously. After two warnings, the delegate will have no speaking or voting rights for the rest of committee. After three warnings, the delegate will see the AMWHO OU Co-Directors.
Comments	The use of “I” is not permitted; rather, delegates should state, “the country of X...”
Primary Speakers List	A procedural step; a list of delegates wishing to speak at the start of committee hearing will be noted down in alphabetical order by the Chair and Vice-Chair.
General Moderated Caucus	Delegates must motion to set the time, length, and purpose of this caucus, moderated by the Chair. (e.g. “Fiji motions to enter into a 10 minute long general moderated caucus with 1 minute speaking time for the purpose of discussing X.”)
Unmoderated Caucus	Delegates must motion to set the time length, unmoderated by the Chair. (i.e. “Fiji motions to enter into a 30 minute long unmoderated caucus.”)



PARLIMENTARY PROCEDURE

RULES OF ORDER

Points of Order are different phrases or requests that the delegate may ask the chair for anytime during debate between speeches or procedures

Point of Order	Correct an error in procedure Vote: None Debate: None
Point of Personal Privilege	For personal reasons Vote: None Debate: None
Right of Reply	Speaking time if one is personally attacked by another delegate Vote: None Debate: None
Point of Parliamentary Inquiry	To ask questions of the chair regarding topic Vote: None Debate: None
Suspension of the Rules	Suspends the typical procedure to allow informal discussions. Vote: Majority Debate: None
Motion to Adjourn	End committee at the end of the each session. Vote: Majority Debate: None
Motion to enter into Caucus	Must set length, purpose and type of caucus. Vote: Majority Debate: None
Motion to Extend a Caucus	Extend current type of caucus for specified length and purpose. Vote: Majority Debate: None
Amendments and Division of Question	Vote on sections of working paper/draft resolution separately. Vote: 2/3 Majority Debate: 2+/2-
Roll Call Vote	Vote by roll call, as opposed to a show of placards. Vote: Majority Debate: None
Close or Re-open Speakers' List	No additional speakers can be added to the speakers' list/more should be added Vote: Majority Debate: None
Motion to Amend a Resolution	Must be unfriendly; if friendly, automatically a part of the resolution Vote: Majority Debate: Any Type
Motion to Introduce a Resolution	Begin debate on a resolution Vote: None Debate: None



RESOLUTION GUIDELINES

PREAMBULATORY AND OPERATIVE CLAUSES

Perambulatory clauses of a working paper state the reasons for which the committee is addressing the topic, and highlights past international action on the issue. These may reference past UN documents or resolutions, or the overall sentiment for the paper. These are italicized.

Affirming	Desiring	Noting with deep concern
Alarmed by	Emphasizing	Noting with satisfaction
Approving	Expecting	Noting further
Bearing in mind	Expecting appreciation	Observing
Believing	Expressing its appreciation	Reaffirming
Confident	Fulfilling	Realizing
Contemplating	Fully aware	Recalling
Convinced	Further deploring	Recognizing
Declaring	Further recalling	Referring
Deeply concerned	Guided by	Seeking
Deeply conscious	Having adopted	Taking into consideration
Deeply convinced	Having considered	Taking note
Deeply disturbed by	Having examined	Viewing with appreciation
Deeply regretting	Keeping in mind	Welcoming

Operative clauses of a working paper offer solutions to issues addressed in the perambulatory section. These clauses are action-oriented and should include a verb at the beginning of a sentence, followed by the proposed solution. Each clause should be numbered and punctuated by a semicolon, with the exception of the last operative clause, which should end with a period.

Accepts	Draws the attention	Notes
Affirms	Emphasizes	Proclaims
Approves	Encourages	Reaffirms
Authorizes	Endorses	Recommends
Calls	Expresses its appreciation	Regrets
Calls upon	Expresses its hope	Reminds
Condemns	Further invites	Requests
Confirms	Further proclaims	Solemnly affirms
Congratulates	Further reminds	Strongly condemns
Considers	Further recommends	Supports
Declares accordingly	Further requests	Takes note of
Deplores	Further resolves	Transmits
Designates	Has resolved	Trusts



RESOLUTION GUIDELINES

SAMPLE RESOLUTION

American Mock World Health Organization 2018 One-Day Summit

Regional Block: Western Pacific and Southeast Asian Region

Topic: "Sustained Human Resource Strengthening and Capacity Building Focuses on Disaster Management"

Sponsors: Fiji, The Independent State of Papua New Guinea, People's Republic of China, Philippines, The Republic of Singapore, The Republic of Korea

Humanitarian Index Score: 100%

1 *Concerned* about global shortages of healthcare workers, nurses, and midwives,

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3 *Recognizing* the need for health workforce and their impact on improving health outcomes in
4 vulnerable populations, especially in children and women by increasing immunization,
5 reducing maternal mortality,

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7 *Acknowledging* the need to focus on disaster preparedness before and after conflict,

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9 *Observing* that in times of conflict, human resources are often not able to achieve full capacity,

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11 *Mindful* of the continuing need to work with the full range of partners - governments, NGOs,
12 donors, and international multilateral organizations - whose work impacts health promotion,
13 healthcare, and public health,

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15 The General Assembly,

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17 1. *Urges* member states to focus on human resource strengthening and capacity building as
18 a sustainable means of disaster management and improving health outcomes in times of
19 conflict;
20 2. *Calls* on governments to allocate a minimum of 2% of their nation's GDP to human resource
21 strengthening as means to reach the WHO goals of at least 23 healthcare workers per 10,000
22 population (as per WHO 2006 guideline for health workforce density);
23 3. *Allows* member nation access to additional monetary support in times of conflict contingent
24 upon their compliance with allocation of at least 2% of their nation's GDP as a percentage to
25 human resource in health (HRH) strengthening or meeting HRH indicators as evaluated by
26 measurable indicators;
27 4. *Inform*s the member states that an emergency contingency plan in times of conflict would be
28 available to member nations meeting the WHO HRH indicator criteria or compliance with
29 allocation of 2% of GDP as a percentage towards HRH strengthening;
30 5. *Urges* governments to review, develop, and implement national strategic action plans for
31 training, recruitment, and retention of a motivated healthcare workforce in disaster relief as
32 per conventional Western medicine and WHO guidelines;

