

# CONFERENCE GUIDE

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## ZuMUN 2025

April 11 – 13



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Dear delegates, chairs, guests, and friends of ZuMUN,

It is our great pleasure to welcome you to The Zurich Conference 2025, taking place from the 11th to the 13th of April. This year's conference theme is Sustainability and Technology: Shaping Tomorrow. In a world facing rapid technological advances and pressing environmental challenges, it is more important than ever to explore how innovation can be harnessed to create a sustainable future for all. We must understand how technological progress interacts with political systems, global cooperation and society as well as how we can use this relation to find effective, future-oriented solutions.



As Co-Secretary-Generals, we believe that this conference offers a unique platform for young leaders from around the world to come together, engage in constructive dialogue, and collaborate on finding answers to one of the most urgent challenges of our time. Over the next few days, you will have the opportunity to participate in simulations of different UN committees, where you will take on the roles of diplomats and decision-makers, representing the perspectives and interests of diverse nations.

We encourage you to embrace this experience fully. Exchange ideas, engage in meaningful debate, and listen to a wide range of viewpoints as you work together to address issues at the intersection of sustainability, innovation, and governance. We hope the knowledge and skills you gain here enrich your academic and personal perspectives, and empower you to actively contribute to building a resilient, equitable, and forward-thinking world.

On behalf of the entire organizing team, we wish you an inspiring, instructive, and unforgettable stay in Zurich and in Switzerland. We are confident that your participation in this conference will not only be a memorable step in your personal academical or professional life but also a testament to your dedication to shaping a better tomorrow.

The Co-Secretary-Generals of ZuMUN 2025:

Eleah Paetsch

Theodor Babusiaux

# A Word of Welcome by the President of the University of Zurich



Welcome to the University of Zurich and to the 2025 Zurich Model United Nations (MUN) Conference!



**University of  
Zurich<sup>UZH</sup>**

The University of Zurich deeply values the international exchange of knowledge. We are delighted to see young people from around the globe coming together to connect, share experiences, and build networks under the aegis of MUN teams of UZH and ETH Zurich.

This year's ZuMUN Conference focuses on the topics of sustainability and technology, contributing to an ongoing and essential global conversation. Sustainability and technology are key issues when it comes to laying the foundations for a future worth living. Both the international economy and science are facing the challenge of how technological progress can be reconciled or even combined with the principles of sustainable development.

Over the coming days, you will have the opportunity to analyze these pressing challenges and propose solutions that are as diverse as the issues themselves. The Zurich Model United Nations Conference offers an outstanding platform for engaging in meaningful debate while further developing your skills in rhetoric, leadership and intercultural understanding.

Dear participants, it is a true pleasure to have you here. I hope this conference proves to be both inspiring and rewarding for each and everyone of you!

*Prof. Dr. Michael Schaepman, President of UZH*

# SCHEDULE

**Friday,  
April 11, 2025**

**10:30 – 12:30  
Registration  
HAH-E-10**

**12:30 – 13:30  
RoP Workshop  
HAH-E-11**

**14:00 – 15:00  
Opening Ceremony  
HAH-E-11**

**15:00 – 15:30  
Coffee Break**

**15:30 – 17:00  
Session I  
Committee Rooms**

**18:30 – 00:00  
Gala Night  
Belvoirpark**

**Saturday,  
April 12, 2025**

**9:00 – 13:00  
Sessions II & III  
(incl. break)  
Committee Rooms**

**13:00 – 14:00  
Lunch**

**14:00 – 18:30  
Sessions IV & V  
(incl. break)  
Committee Rooms**

**20:00 – 02:00  
Disco Night  
CAB F21**

**Sunday,  
April 13, 2025**

**9:00 – 13:00  
Sessions VI & VII  
(incl. break)  
Committee Rooms**

**13:00 – 14:00  
Lunch**

**14:00 – 15:00  
Session VIII  
Committee Rooms**

**15:15 – 16:15  
Closing Ceremony  
TBA**

## **Dresscode:**

**Western Business Attire**

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# COMMITTEE ROOMS

	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
<b>UNEP</b>	<b>HAH-E-11</b>	<b>SOE-E-1</b>	<b>SOE-E-1</b>
<b>FAO</b>	<b>HAH-F-1</b>	<b>SOE-E-2</b>	<b>SOE-E-2</b>
<b>UNODA</b>	<b>HAH-E-6</b>	<b>SOE-F-7</b>	<b>SOE-F-7</b>
<b>WHO</b>	<b>HAH-E-10</b>	<b>SOE-F-2</b>	<b>SOE-F-2</b>
<b>Crisis</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>SOE-F-8</b>	<b>SOE-F-8</b>
<b>Break Room</b>	<b>HAH-E-12</b>	<b>SOE-E-8</b>	<b>SOE-E-8</b>
<b>Faculty Advisors</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>SOE-F-9</b>	<b>SOE-F-9</b>

# MAPS

## HAH

Häldeliweg 2



## SOE

Schönberggasse 11



## Belvoirpark

Seestrasse 125



## CAB

Universitätstrasse 6



# COMMITTEES

## **World Health Organisation (WHO): Global Strategy for Pandemic Prevention and Management with Technology**



**Francesca Peacy**



**Ansu Marais**



**Sebastián Nuñez**



# **United Nations Office for Disarmament Affairs (UNODA):**

## **Preventing the Illicit Trade and Proliferation of Small Arms and Light Weapons**



**Nandin Kriplaney**



**Eli Kupiec**



**Noele Giacomini**



# **United Nations Environmental Programme (UNEP): Sustainable Urban Development**



**Marc Zabel**



**Ivan Chumakov**



**Tara Berchtold**



# **United Nations Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO): Promoting Sustainable Agricultural Technologies to Combat Climate Change**



**Joselyn Rivera**



**Filippo Soragna**



# SOCIALS

## GALA



**Belvoirpark  
Seestrasse 125  
8002 Zürich**



**Friday, April 11, 6.30 p.m.**



**Black Tie**

**The highlight of this year's ZuMUN conference! You are welcome from 6.30 p.m. on, though the official start is at 7.30 p.m.**



## DISCO NIGHT



**Universitätstrasse 6  
Building CAB, Room F21**



**Saturday, April 12, 8 p.m.**



**Chic and Casual**

# OPENING CEREMONY



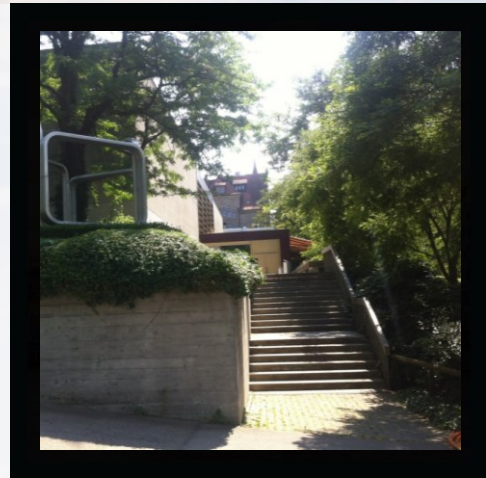
**Building HAH  
Häldeliweg 2  
8044 Zürich**



**Friday, April 11, 2 p.m.**



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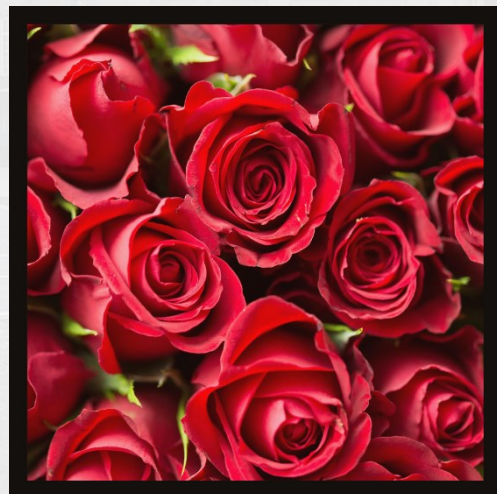
**Guest speaker:**

**Florian Schütz**

**Director of the National Cyber  
Security Centre**

## Roses

**Send a gesture of appreciation with a rose! Delegates can share a personal message by sending a rose to another conference participant. Submit for free until Saturday, 2 p.m.! The roses will then be distributed in the committee sessions on Saturday and Sunday.**



# TRANSPORTATION

## How to get to the UZH/ETH campus?

- From **Zurich Main Station or Central**:  
Take tram **No. 6** (direction Zoo) to **ETH/Universitätsspital** or **Platte** or **No. 10** (direction Zürich Flughafen) to **ETH/Universitätsspital**
- From **Bellevue**:  
Take tram **No. 9** (direction Hirzenbach) to **Kantonsschule** or **ETH/Universitätsspital** or tram **No. 5** (direction Kirche Fluntern) to **Kantonsschule** or **Platte**
- From **Zurich Airport**:  
Take tram **No. 10** (direction Zürich HB) to **ETH/Universitätsspital**

## Public transportation

The easiest way to get from A to B in Zurich is by public transport and by foot. You can find all schedules using the link on the right.

Please make sure to always carry a valid ticket with you as there are regular ticket controls and high fines!



**ZVV**  
**Timetable**

## Getting around at night

Zurich runs the so-called «**Nacht-netz**» from 1 a.m. to 4 a.m. on Friday and Saturday nights. The bus lines are distinct from daytime services, but a regular ticket is sufficient.

Another option are **taxis**:

**Taxi 444:** +41 44 444 44 44

**Taxi 7x7:** +41 44 777 77 77

**Also Consider:** Uber

# PLACES TO EAT

<b>UZH / ETH Mensas</b>	Various locations with cheap food. Closed on weekends.	UZH / ETH Main Buildings
<b>Migros</b>	Swiss supermarket chain with multiple stores in Zurich.	Winterthurerstr. 2 / Toblerstrasse 73
<b>Coop</b>	Another Swiss supermarket chain with several stores in Zurich.	Universitätstr. 73 / Bahnhofbrücke 1
<b>apoTHEKE</b>	An old pharmacy turned into a café/bistro.	Zürichbergstr. 17
<b>Domino's</b>	A short distance from ETH, they serve pizza.	Universitätstr. 11
<b>Hot Pasta</b>	A short distance from ETH, restaurant with Italian food.	Universitätstr. 15
<b>Tannenbar</b>	Located right next to the main building of the ETH.	Tannenstrasse 17
<b>Holy Cow</b>	Fast good restaurant with different types of gourmet burgers.	Zähringerstr. 28
<b>Hiltl</b>	The oldest vegetarian restaurant in the world.	Sihlstrasse 28
<b>Tibits</b>	Another vegetarian restaurant with a «pay-by-weight» buffet.	Falkenstrasse 12

# SAFETY SUPPORT

## Emergency Numbers

<b>Police:</b>	117	<b>Hospital:</b>	+41 44 255 11 11
<b>Fire Department:</b>	118	<b>Emergency Dentist:</b>	+41 800 336 655
<b>Ambulance:</b>	144	<b>«Aerztefon»:</b>	+41 44 421 21 21

## Code of Conduct

The safety and wellbeing of all conference attendees is of utmost importance. ZuMUN 2025 is committed to creating a safe and respectful environment for all attendees regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexual orientation, age, disability, or any other protected characteristics. Throughout the entirety of the conference, the Code of Conduct will be in effect. You can find the Code of Conduct using the link on the right.

### Code of Conduct



## Safe People

At every social event at least two Safe People will be present. They will be marked visibly. You may approach either the safe people or any organisation committee member in case you either experience or witness harassment and/or drink spiking.

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