

ALL SECONDARY PRINCIPALS/APs: Social Sciences- Model United Nations Training and Conference Registration

**Category: For Your Information**

**Audience:** Principals/APs (Middle), Principals/APs (Senior High), All Teachers  
**Due Date:** n/a  
**Meeting Date:** n/a

To announce an upcoming training session to participate in the District's Model United Nations Conference and provide registration information for the conference.

- The Department of Social Sciences is pleased to announce a one-day training for interested Middle and Senior High School Social Science teachers on how to train their students to participate in a Model United Nations (MUN) Conference.
- This training will take place on **Friday, October 10, 2014** at **Southwood Middle School** - 16301 SW 80<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Palmetto Bay, Florida 32157.
- Participants should report to the **Media Center**.
- The training will commence at 8:00 a.m. and conclude at 3:00 p.m. with an hour break for lunch (not included).
- Substitute coverage will be provided once the registration process for the training is completed.
- To register for this professional development opportunity, please log into the Professional Development Menu and Registration System, search for the course by instructor, *Brazofsky, Robert*, and find the course titled: "Social Studies Best Practices-Model UN."
- **2015 Model United Nations Conference Information**
  - The District's Model United Nations Conference will take place on Saturday, February 21, 2015 at Miami-Dade College North Campus, 11380 NW 27<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Miami, Florida 33167.
  - The District's Department of Social Science is pleased to announce its new partner, Foundations for Leadership, in providing and promoting the Model United Nations Conference.
  - Teachers interested in bringing a team to this year's conference can access the registration website below:  
<http://www.foundationsforleadership.org/#%21Miami%20Model%20UN%202015/cknm>
  - Additional information that can be accessed by the above link is:  
 Committee topics for both Middle and High School Committees;  
 Schedule of Events; Country Assignments and Background Guides; and  
 Position Paper Due Date Information.
  - **Please note the following specifics regarding the registration process:**  
 Due to increased costs to host a MUN Conference, the following fees are required to be paid to participate in this year's District MUN Conference:  
 School Fee: \$125.00  
 Per Student (delegate) fee: \$15.00  
**Conference Fees (School Fee and Student Fees) can be submitted to the Department of Social Sciences, checks made payable to the National Bicentennial Competition and must be received by January 15, 2015.**
- Transportation to and from the MUN Conference will be provided free of charge by the Department of Social Sciences.
- Should you have questions or need additional information, please contact Mr. Robert C. Brazofsky, Executive Director, Department of Social Sciences, [rbrazofsky@dadeschools.net](mailto:rbrazofsky@dadeschools.net) or see the contact information listed below.

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