

Dear WHO Delegates,

My name is Jason Jubas and I am the chair of the World Health Organization for YUNMUN XXXI. I grew up in Detroit, Michigan where I attended Farber Hebrew Day School. Following high school, I spent a year in Israel at Yeshivat Shaarei Mevaseret Zion. I am currently a senior at Yeshiva University, double majoring in finance and data analytics. I am the president of YAS (Yeshiva Activities Society), a club that promotes fun and free co-ed activities between both campuses such as picnics, Spikeball tournaments, bowling, and treasure hunts. Football and tennis are my two favorite sports and I enjoy playing as well as watching both of them. This will be my fifth YUNMUN conference, two as a delegate on WHO and CSTD, an assistant chair of IMO, and the chair of WHO last year.

The World Health Organization is a specific agency of the United Nations that is focused on improving worldwide public health. The World Health Committee is in charge of coordinating, establishing, maintaining, and strengthening government health services and government health administrations amongst the member nations<sup>1</sup>. Additionally, the World Health Committee is responsible for assisting and providing emergency services to eradicate epidemics, endemics, and other diseases as well as providing funding to research and development ideas to prevent all of those diseases. Lastly, the World Health Organization is responsible for the improvement of nutrition, sanitation, and living conditions for every individual.

All delegates are encouraged to research the topics thoroughly and take into account all factors, which will alter the issues discussed in a multitude of ways in which they manifest themselves. As part of this conference and committee, you are representing a country and therefore, your papers should reflect the positions of the country and not your personal positions. Additionally, it is recommended that you review the delegate handbook (can be found online at yu.edu) in order to be up to date with the latest procedures and guidelines. Lastly, please be aware that all position papers will be submitted to turnitin.com, an online service that identifies plagiarism, to ensure that your work is truly your work.

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<sup>1</sup> <https://www.who.int/about/who-we-are/our-values>

In the course of your research and preparation, should you have any questions, please feel free to reach out at any time and I would be more than happy to help out as best as I can. You can reach me at [jjubas@mail.yu.edu](mailto:jjubas@mail.yu.edu)

I am looking forward to meeting each of you, reading your position papers, and having a fun and comprehensive committee together!

Best of luck,

Jason Jubas

Chair of WHO, YUNMUN XXXI