

HKJIMUNC 2013

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AGENDA

- ❖ Committee Sessions
- ❖ Social Event II: Farewell Party



COMMITTEE: SPECPOL



ABOUT “SPECPOL”

- ❖ “SPECPOL” = Special Political and Decolonization Committee
- ❖ deals with subjects including those related to decolonization, **Palestinian refugees** and human rights, peacekeeping, mine action, outer space, public information, atomic radiation and University for Peace.
- ❖ Topic: **Situation in Palestine**
- ❖ Protection of civilians in times of war (ruled out in Agenda Setting)

DELEGATION OF AFGHANISTAN

- ❖ Country Assigned: **Afghanistan**
- ❖ Partner: Angela Yiu
- ❖ Stance: Both parties should stop armed conflicts, and the UN should take up the role of a “mediator” to facilitate peace talks between Israel and Palestine



OVERVIEW

- ❖ Flow: very very fast
- ❖ Level of Activeness: Extremely High
- ❖ General Speakers List (GSL) never exhaust
- ❖ Countries of dominance: USA, Turkey, Canada, Syria, China, Germany
- ❖ Chairladies were impressed by our progress

OUR RESOLUTION

- ❖ A **step-by-step plan** with several phases
(Pre-Negotiation → Negotiation → Post-Negotiation)
- ❖ **Pre-Negotiation**: Send UN troops to OPT to **eradicate terrorist groups**(i.e. the Hamas) to **facilitate peace talk between the Israel government and Palestinian authority under guaranteed safety**
- ❖ **Negotiation**: **Removal of settlements from the Gaza Strip, define border line clearly** based on the 1967 agreed definition

Post-Negotiation:

- ❖ Suggest **UNSC troops/ UN professionals** to be sent over to the regions to **monitor progress on peacekeeping and efforts made by both sides**
- ❖ Draft Resolution drafted on the 3rd day (5th Committee Session)
- ❖ 3 amendments made (1 by chairs/ 2 by the delegates)
- ❖ Passed by 2/3 of the chamber

PALESTINE & ISRAEL

- ❖ Palestinian delegates from CityU
- ❖ Expectation: an intense and hostile debate between those delegates
- ❖ Israeli delegates only showed up for the 1st session
- ❖ Discussions ran smoothly~~~



FRIENDSHIP!!



FAREWELL PARTY

- ❖ Time: Evening, the 4th Day
- ❖ Venue: A hotel ballroom in Shatin
- ❖ Participants: CUSUMUNC committees and HKJIMUNC delegates













Big Family



IMPORTANCE OF BEING ACTIVE

- ❖ Actively expressing yourself = key to effective communication
- ❖ MUN requires communication → progress
- ❖ Quiet delegates are being neglected...
- ❖ Never be afraid of making mistakes...just talk!!

THERE IS NO “RIGHT” OR “WRONG”

- ❖ All about discussion/ negotiation
- ❖ Facts are just evidences supporting a “stance”
- ❖ Each country has its stance to argue for
- ❖ Moral and subjective judgment involved sometimes

