

## NAIMUN XLIX Delegate Code of Conduct

As a condition of attending NAIMUN XLIX, the Secretariat requires all participants to sign and abide by a Code of Conduct based on the philosophy of creating a respectful environment suitable for the attainment of the Conference's goals of teaching and learning the principles of international diplomacy. All violations will be handled by the NAIMUN XLIX Conference Executives and/or the NAIMUN XLIX Security Staff.

**Each delegate must sign this form to participate in NAIMUN. Please fax the completed *Delegate Code of Conduct* to 240-404-7724 at the attention of NAIMUN XLIX, along with the other completed forms for your delegation. Alternatively, forms may be submitted during Conference Registration.**

### NAIMUN Guidelines

Violations of the guidelines listed below will be handled by the NAIMUN XLIX Conference Executives and the NAIMUN XLIX Security Staff on a case-by-case basis. Failure to abide by these guidelines could result in expulsion from the conference.

1. All delegates must adhere to the dress code, as delineated under the security section of the NAIMUN website. Western Business Attire is required of all participants while committees are in session. NAIMUN staffers reserve the right to request that delegates violating the dress code must change their clothes. Please see the security section of the website for help in determining appropriate dress.
2. Delegates must be in the hotel **30 minutes prior to curfew**, and follow curfew policy set by the Secretariat of NAIMUN XLIX.
3. Delegates are required to be in their assigned rooms by the curfew time designated in the NAIMUN Conference Guide, distributed at Conference Registration.
4. Delegates are not allowed in hotel rooms with members of the opposite sex.
5. Excessive noise will not be allowed.
6. Participants will not harass or disrupt other participants or Hilton guests.
7. All delegates must be in their assigned committee rooms throughout committee sessions.
8. Identification—nametags and wristbands—must be worn visibly at all times while in the Hilton.
9. Participants are expected to comply with instructions of NAIMUN staff, who are charged with enforcement of these codes.
10. Tobacco products of any kind are prohibited.
11. Possession of facsimile weapons (including laser light pens) is not permitted.
12. Delegates are expected to be respectful and mindful of various national cultures.
13. Delegates are expected to be on time to all committee sessions and mandatory events.

### Hotel Guidelines

Any infringement of the guest code of conduct for the Hilton Washington Hotel shall be referred to Hilton staff and for investigation and adjudication. Violations of these regulations may also result in action by the NAIMUN Secretariat.

1. Phones may not be left off the hook.
2. Use of off-limits or staff/service areas (including elevators) is prohibited.
3. Tampering with the mini-bars in the hotel is not allowed unless authorized by a member of the Hilton Staff.
4. No object or device may be attached to Hotel televisions or air conditioners.
5. Service elevators are strictly prohibited to guests.

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### District of Columbia Law

Any suspected violations of District of Columbia Law will be referred to the Metropolitan Police Department for investigation and adjudication. Violations of these regulations may also result in action by the NAIMUN Conference Executives.

1. Throwing objects out hotel windows is prohibited.
2. Propping open of doors that are required to be closed to comply with fire regulations is not permitted.
3. Burning of incense, candles, or other substances on hotel property is not allowed.
4. Theft, assault, battery, or other crimes against persons or property is against DC Law
5. No object may be used in a dangerous manner.
6. **Possession, purchase, storage, sale and/or consumption of alcoholic beverages by any delegate is a violation of DC Law.**
7. **Possession, purchase, storage, sale and/or consumption of any illegal substance by any NAIMUN participant is prohibited.**
8. **Sexual Harassment and Discrimination are not permitted** -NAIMUN will not tolerate any instances of discrimination based on race, color, sex, gender, gender identity, sexual identity, national origin, religion, age and/or handicapped condition. If any delegate or moderator believes they have encountered discrimination, which has resulted in a hostile working environment, they must bring it to the attention of the NAIMUN Conference Executives. The Conference Executives and the NAIMUN Security Staff will investigate the merits of the allegations by interviewing all parties involved. Based on their findings, the Conference Executives will take action as they deem appropriate.

By signing the NAIMUN Code of Conduct, I agree to follow all NAIMUN XLIX rules and regulations. I understand that any violation of this document is grounds for my and/or my school's expulsion from the conference. If expelled from NAIMUN XLIX or the Hotel, I will be sent home at my own expense. **I further understand that the Secretariat reserves the right to discontinue my school's invitation to future Conferences on the basis of any violations of these rules or spirit of these rules by myself or my school during NAIMUN XLIX.**

Delegate Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Delegate: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian (if attendee is under 18 years old): \_\_\_\_\_

