



## BRIEF SHEET OF THE STANDARDIZED UNIVERSAL DEBATE PROTOCOL (SUDP) WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF GRAND INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES



### *Explanatory notes:*

- 1) *When the Regulation refers to a figure of the male gender, it shall be understood to also refer to a person of the gender feminine, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise.*
- 2) *The Standardized Universal Debate Protocol, hereinafter “DUP”, will differentiate between two categories of debate:  
A) Contemporary Committees and B) Historical Committees.*
- 3) *All motions must be indicated as: Motion of Procedure for...or Point of...*

Procedure	Who initiates the action?		Does it support?	Debate	Voting
<b>Attendance list</b>	<b>Vice Presidency</b>	Roll call of Delegations, each delegate will introduce themselves by indicating “delegate of” + representation + “name and surname”, commission status (Present or Present and Voting).	No	No	No
<b>Extraordinary Opening by Decree</b>	<b>Delegates</b>	If there is no quorum, the president will determine whether to open the committee, requesting that this motion be proposed.	No	No	No
<b>Motion to Open the Debate</b>	<b>Delegates</b>	It is recommended that the Opening Ceremony begin with the debate sessions of all committees.	Yes	No	Simple majority
<b>Motion to Set the Agenda</b>	<b>Delegates</b>	It allows delegates to vote on the topic that has been previously established to verify that the delegates agree to discuss it.	Yes	Yes	Simple majority

<p><b>Motion to open the speakers' list</b></p>	<p><b>Delegates</b></p>	<p>It allows delegates to set the Opening of the Speakers' List and sign up for it.</p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>No</b></p>	<p><b>Simple majority</b></p>
<p><b>Motion to Establish Speaking Time on the Speakers' List.</b></p>	<p><b>Delegates</b></p>	<p>This motion allows setting speaking times in the list of speakers. If there is at least one vote against, two delegates must be asked to speak in favor and only in favor, and against and only against the times, alternating one for each position.</p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Yes, 2 in favor and 2 against if there are votes against.</b></p>	<p><b>Simple majority</b></p>
<p><b>To give up the remaining time of a speech</b></p>	<p><b>Delegates</b></p>	<p>If there is time left on the clock after the delegate has finished presenting their position, they may give it to the table, ask questions, or continue presenting their ideas during the remaining time.</p>	<p><b>No</b></p>	<p><b>No</b></p>	<p><b>No</b></p>
<p><b>Motion to Establish a Moderated Debate</b></p>	<p><b>Delegates</b></p>	<p>Any delegate may propose this motion when the forum is open, for which they must indicate: the duration, the purpose and the suggested duration of each intervention.</p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Simple majority</b></p>
<p><b>Motion to Establish an Unmoderated Debate</b></p>	<p><b>Delegates</b></p>	<p>When proposing a motion, the duration, purpose, and suggested speaking time should be indicated. This motion is recommended for: drafting preliminary resolutions, creating working groups, and forging alliances.</p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Simple majority</b></p>

<p><b>Motion to open Collaborative Work Session to work on the Minutes of Resolution</b></p>	<p><b>Delegates</b></p>	<p>After a series of moderated and unmoderated debates, when the Board considers that it is prepared to work on a "Preliminary Resolution Act", this protocol will be activated, which although established by the Board, must be agreed upon by all and therefore must be supported and voted on to obtain the qualified majority.</p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Simple majority</b></p>
<p><b>Motion to present to the table a Preliminary Minutes of Resolution</b></p>	<p><b>Delegates</b></p>	<p>Once this preliminary session has concluded, the delegates may propose this motion. It must be seconded, voted on, and, if it obtains a qualified majority, it will be reviewed by the Steering Committee and sent to the Organizing Committee for review.</p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Qualified majority</b></p>
<p><b>Request to make an amendment on...</b></p>	<p><b>Delegates</b></p>	<p>If, for any reason, a delegate or group of delegates disagrees with any point in the Resolution, they must present their objection during the final vote (indicating the proposal, its number, and the reason). This objection must be seconded and, if appropriate, voted on.</p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Qualified majority</b></p>
<p><b>Motion to Vote on the Resolution</b></p>	<p><b>Delegates</b></p>	<p>Once the Preliminary Resolution Act is approved by the Board and the Academy, a roll-call vote will be taken to obtain a Resolution Act.</p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Qualified Majority / Roll Call</b></p>
<p><b>Motion to Open/Close the [...] Work Session</b></p>	<p><b>Delegates</b></p>	<p>Each time a session ends or begins, a delegation must propose to open or close it.</p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Simple Majority</b></p>

<p><b>Point of order</b></p>	<p><b>Delegates</b></p>	<p>This point, which is seconded and voted on, is used to bring to the attention of the presiding officer or delegate an error they have made regarding protocol, not content. It is limited to 5 times per session. It interrupts the proceedings.</p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>
<p><b>Point of Parliamentary Doubt</b></p>	<p><b>Delegates</b></p>	<p>This point allows the delegate, during their speech, to consult information about the Protocol that they need to know in order to continue with their speech, intervention, or motion. They only interrupt themselves.</p>	<p><b>No</b></p>	<p><b>No</b></p>	<p><b>No</b></p>
<p><b>Point of Personal Privilege</b></p>	<p><b>Delegates</b></p>	<p>This Point, which does not interrupt, is used when the forum is open, for a personal request related to the welfare of the delegate during the committee, it can also be communicated by Diplomatic Note to the Board of Directors.</p>	<p><b>No</b></p>	<p><b>No</b></p>	<p><b>No</b></p>
<p><b>Motion to End the Debate and Adjourn the Sessions Until the Next Grand International Event by the MUNYCH Association</b></p>	<p><b>Delegates</b></p>	<p>It is the last motion of the debates, it is used when the event is closed, and it must be proposed by a delegate, seconded and voted on.</p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Simple Majority</b></p>