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"Words of Wisdom From An Experienced MUN Participant: César Teixeira"



are what you will remember for years to come."

César started off by naming various qualities that all delegates, press members, and staff should keep in mind throughout the debate. First of all, he stressed the importance of talking, compromising, doing your homework by researching, and also dressing professionally. These are key characteristics that every participant of a MUN conference should achieve in order to be successful.

Towards the end of his speech, César also mentioned that delegates should concentrate on becoming excellent researchers and constantly being informed about global events. We should all be encouraged to read as much as possible in order to gain more knowledge about the world, important issues, as well as our surroundings. One of the challenges César spoke about was the ability to make a difference in our world today one step at a time and that it is commitment and passion that will allow for a positive change to happen in the future. He also asserted that, "great solutions for complex problems share a few

Funny Notes



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Opening speeches

Today we had a variety of opening speeches from numerous delegations . Participants introduced ideas such as the willingness to make a difference and contribute to future progress despite their countries' small size. They demonstrated an enormous ability to respect ideological differences and work towards a peaceful and reachable solution. Other countries weren't so eager to make a positive contribution since they were more concerned with their own countries' independence towards the United Nation's interference in foreign policy. We can also say that the ideas presented by César Teixeira greatly influenced the minds of our delegates in a positive way.

These are a few excerpts from our favorite speeches.





Guilherme Reis (Palestine)

Palestine has forgiven. Palestine has compromised. Isn't it time to reward these efforts by recognizing these basic rights of the Palestinian people (...) Let's end the suffering of the Palestinian people.

Carolina Abecasis (Egypt)

"Women have been underdogs for too long; now, the time for change has arrived, and UN Women is eager to seize it. UN Women hopes to successfully and permanently improve the lives of women in the Greater Middle-East region."

João Dias (Turkey)

"My friends, don't you understand? We have the weight of the world on our backs and the power to change in our hands; millions of eyes are observing us, most of them in pain."

Diogo Castro (Kyrgystan)

"You may say that we are dreamers, but we are not the only ones. We hope someday you will join us, and the world will live as one, all together now."

Funny Notes

South Sudan/Congo, DCR:

SUD: "I KNOW WHAT YOU DID LAST SUMMER."

CON: "Yeah, me too. It was nasty. What do you want anyway?

Bangladesh/Kiribati:

KIR: "Hey! Do you know who we are?" BAN: "Yeah, those beautiful ladies xD" KIR: "Our names…" BAN: "Tell me xD"

Jordan/USA:

JOR: "Hey U.S.A. WAZZAUPPP. Wanna know a poem we wrote?"

UK/Venuzuela

UK: "I really liked to talk with you last night as it was a shame that you had to leave, which caused my heart to almost explode in agony.

P.S - can't stop thinking of you

Tiago"(This note was not written by the delegation of the UK)

Norway/Japan

NOR: "If I support your ideas would you give me a Playstation?"

Nigeria/Haiti

NIG: "Wassaaap mofocks"

Jordan/Netherlands

JOR: "Hello, verzameling =D"

Spelletjos, verlichting van toepassinger er is niet ouerige orpegeur in toep.

Hope you understand your own language."



Chaperones'

Q: What is your opinion regarding this year's CICMUN?

CLIP

"The organization has shown a very good level of trouble shooting skills. They have to be praised for all their effort and competence.

CLIB

"The issues chosen for this conference are extremely relevant. They have created a very interesting debate and made us all think carefully about social, political and economic questions that matter to us all. Congratulations CICMUN!"

CAISL

"A very comprehensive morning debate on gender disparities - some excellent points made.

The keynote speaker, a former CICMUN delegate, spoke with great eloquence and conviction – a real role model for all current delegates."

Colégio D. Duarte

"Crucial issues under thorough analysis

Intelligent measures suggested

Call for international commitment

2 the UN true spirit

Of search for happiness

1 more conference? Not really!

2 hundred may take place but each one will always be a unique occasion."

Escola Secundária Arquitecto Oliveira Ferreira

"This is the very first time I attend CICMUN and hopefully not the last.

The resolutions go deep in the issues and some delegates show a considerable knowledge about the issues they are discussing.

I am impressed by the fluency of some delegates. It's an enriching experience for all participants."

Escola Secundária Ferreira Dias

"Well organized!

Defying and relevant issues focused on opening speeches! Excellent advice from keynote speaker to delegates! A MUN ready to open up to internationalization!"

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