

# GIMUN MUN Day

*Dates: 20th to 21st of April*

Model United Nations conference on the topic of:

*"The Implications of the Use and Development of Lethal Autonomous Weapons"*

In collaboration with the **United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research**, GIMUN is organising a conference which will be held over two days at the **Palais des Nations** and will consist of an **MUN-style debate** modelling the **First Committee of the General Assembly on Disarmament and International Security (DISEC)**. Two students will represent a randomly-assigned member state together, and debate with others on the best course of action. It will be open to any interested student, with no discrimination on level or course of studies. We will welcome a maximum number of **70 participants**, with each state being represented by two students.

The objective of the conference is to **bring students together** to discover and discuss the **challenges and opportunities of security** on the topic of **Lethal Autonomous Weapons** in the context of international security in the **educational MUN-style of debate**. The conference aims to:

1. Promote a better understanding of the evolving cybersecurity landscape, including the latest threats and trends, and their implications for international security.
2. Identify different national and regional approaches to the rise of Lethal Autonomous Weapons by contrasting different political stances.
3. Explore the role of international cooperation and diplomacy in addressing cyber threats, including through the UN and other multilateral forums.
4. Encourage networking and collaboration among participants and stakeholders to enhance cybersecurity resilience and promote global stability.

## Timeline

Day 1:

**8.30-10.00:** Delegates retrieve their UNOG Grounds Pass at Villa les Feuillantines

**10.15-11.30:** Opening Ceremony

**11.30-13.00:** Lunch

**13.15-15.00:** Second debate session

**15.00-15.15:** Coffee break

**15.15-17.00:** Third debate session

Day 2:

**9.15-10.30:** Fourth debate session

**10.30-10.45:** Coffee break

**10.45-11.30:** Fifth debate session

**11.30- 13.00:** Lunch

**13.15-15.00:** Sixth debate session

**15.00-15.15:** Coffee break

**15.15-16.00:** Seventh debate session

**16.00-17.00:** Closing ceremony