



## United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF)

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Dear delegates,

Welcome to the United Nations Children's Fund within the framework of SIMUN 2025. We, Naima, Valentina, and Rafael, have the honor and pleasure of performing as the academic chair for this committee, and so we will do our best to guide you effectively throughout the debate.

We assure you that participating in this Model is a unique experience. It not only drives us to give our best but also provides us with the opportunity to create community. We are fortunate to be part of this forum, as not everyone has the privilege to engage in it, and we hope you feel the same way.

Throughout the working sessions, you will be expected to defend a position, speak up with pride and determination, and demonstrate a willingness to collaborate in achieving the committee's goals for the benefit of children and adolescents globally, particularly those in vulnerable situations, according to UNICEF's mandate.

Although the world faces numerous challenges, we as young people have the agency to transform and positively impact reality. Let us strive to reach our full potential, discover new skills, continue building our own character, and make a difference. We must seek viable solutions to address the issues presented in the debate and face adversities with resilience. We believe your ideas can change the world into a better one.

With this in mind, we warmly welcome you to the Model. We acknowledge that your efforts and preparation have earned you the opportunity to participate in this project. Therefore, we hope you are ready to contribute to the discussion. Be yourself, persevere, and enjoy the experience. If you have made it to this point, we are confident that you can achieve even more, and we are here to support you at all times.

Sincerely,

The Academic Chair of the United Nations Children's Fund

