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Delegate Guide

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# Letter from the Secretaries-General

#### Dear Delegates,

On behalf of the Brown Model United Nations program, we are honored to welcome you to the Twenty-Sixth Annual Session of the Brown University Simulation of the United Nations (BUSUN XXVI), which will be held on the Brown University campus from November 11-13, 2022. While BUSUN continues to evolve each year, we are excited to continue some of the traditions that we believe make our conference special, especially after a long hiatus from our usual format.

Delegations continue to return to the conference because of our engaging committees and wonderful chairs and staff even as we had to move to an online format. Now in our 26th year, BUSUN has become well-known in the North American Model UN circuit for providing intimate committees, a focus on collaboration, and an enriching learning experience for delegates with the backdrop of Brown's campus on College Hill in Providence. As a Secretariat and staff, we value diplomacy and collaboration and will work to bring this spirit into the committee rooms this year.

We are thrilled to announce that our theme this year is "Taking Flight." We decided on this theme because we strive to provide our delegates with the tools and skills they need to soar through life with an open mind, a sense of direction, and an affinity for new beginnings. Individual committees will seek to elevate delegates' understanding of global affairs and enhance their abilities to work together. We hope to foster a dedication and passion for engagement that will continue well past their experiences at this conference. We are confident that delegates at BUSUN this year, like those who have attended BUSUN in the past, will participate in engaging debates that challenge their understanding of current events and historical topics.

This guide contains information on logistics, preparing for the conference, and what to expect during conference weekend. On behalf of the BUSUN Secretariat and our entire staff, welcome to Providence, welcome to Brown, welcome to BUSUN XXVI!

Sincerely,

Shalin Patel and Keely Thompson Secretaries-General, BUSUN XXVI sg@busun.org

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# Theme + Erinn Phelan Award

### Conference Theme

The theme for BUSUN XXVI is "Taking Flight." As the world is learning how to approach the challenges of the second decade of the 21<sup>st</sup> century, we as an international community and as individual global citizens are embarking on a new journey. Many institutions, organizations and countries are using this time to reimagine the way they operate, while young people globally are increasingly taking ownership and charge of their future stemming in part from widespread discontent with the status quo. This theme is intended to provide you, the delegates, an opportunity to capture the zeitgeist of our time, and think bigger, more creatively, and be open-minded as you take flight to innovate solutions to some of the most challenging issues of our time.

We encourage you to make use of the unique environments you will find yourselves in; your committees are filled with aspiring change makers from a diverse range of backgrounds. Leverage this by collaborating and compromising with one another and take this to be an opportune learning experience. We hope that regardless of the nation or individual you are representing, you will leave BUSUN this year with heightened motivation to affect positive change not just in the world, but in the communities you are a part of.

#### Erinn Phelan Award

We are proud to continue this special award instituted in 2011 in honor of Erinn Phelan, to be given to the delegate at who demonstrates the greatest commitment to women's empowerment. Erinn Phelan, a former BUSUN Secretary-General, was working as a coordinator for Mayor Bloomberg's NYC Civic Corps when she was involved in a hit-and run accident in Brooklyn, NY. She was accompanied by Alma Guerrero, her close friend and another former BUSUN Secretary-General.

Sadly, Erinn recently passed away on April 16, 2022, after a long struggle with her injuries from the accident. BUSUN XXVI is the first time we will be awarding the Erinn Phelan Award since her death, and we are honored that both Alma and Erinn's mother plan to attend the Closing Ceremonies to share some words about Erinn before presenting the award. We at BUSUN hope that this award and Erinn's incredible example and memory will serve to motivate all delegates to deepen their awareness of and commitment to women's empowerment.

This award is presented to a delegate that best embodies the following qualities: visionary leadership, dedication, and unwavering commitment to service. All shortlisted candidates for the Erinn Phelan Award will be notified by Saturday, November 11<sup>th</sup> and invited to a short interview with the Secretaries-General. Based on the candidates' applications, interviews, and committee performance, a recipient will be chosen and announced during Closing Ceremonies. Please visit our website for more information about this prestigious award.

# **Conference Schedule**

### Friday, November 11th

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2:00 PM – 5:00 PM Registration, Petteruti Lounge in Stephen Robert '62 Campus Center
3:30 PM – 4:30 PM Parliamentary Procedure Training, Salomon 001
3:30 PM – 4:30 PM Crisis Committee Workshop, Friedman 102
5:30 PM – 6:30 PM Opening Ceremony, Salomon DECI (Simulcast in Sayles Hall)
6:45 PM – 9:45 PM Committee Session I
8:45 PM – 9:45 PM Advisor Feedback Session I, 85 Waterman 130
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# Saturday, November 12th

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9:00 AM – 12:30 PM Committee Session II
11:30 AM – 12:30 PM Advisor Feedback Session II, 85 Waterman 130
12:30 PM – 2:30 PM Lunch Break
2:30 PM – 6:00 PM Committee Session I
5:00 PM – 6:00 PM Advisor Feedback Session III, 85 Waterman 130
6:00 PM – 8:00 PM Dinner Break
8:00 PM – 10:00 PM Delegate Social, Sayles Hall
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# Sunday, November 13th

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM Committee Session IV 12:15 PM – 1:30 PM Closing Ceremony, Salomon DECI (Simulcast in Sayles Hall)

# **Logistical Information**

## Hotel Information

BUSUN has made arrangement for delegates to stay at the following area hotels:

*Omni Providence* (401) 598-8000

*Graduate Providence* (401) 421-0700

*Hilton Providence* (401) 831-3900

### Taxi Information

Ubers and Lyfts are easily available throughout Providence and surrounding areas. Taxis can be found at the airport, train station, and Kennedy Plaza, or at the following numbers:

East Side Taxi (401) 521-4200

*Checker Cab* (401) 272-1222

**College Cab Service** (401) 943-3636

Economy Cab (401) 944-6700

### **ATMs**

Santander 291 Thayer St. (CVS)

**Bank of America**Faunce House Basement (Withdrawals Only)

176 Angell Street (Brown Bookstore) 271 Thayer St.

Citizens Bank
120 Waterman St.

Chase Bank 234 Thayer St.

#### **Pharmacies**

*CVS* (*no in-store pharmacy*) 291 Thayer St. Store Hours: 7:00 AM – 12:00 AM (401) 331-1970

#### **CVS**

481 Angell St. Store Hours: 7:00 AM – 10:00 PM Pharmacy Hours: 9:00 AM – 6:00 PM (401) 521-4340

### Walgreen's

135 Pitman St. Store Hours: 8:00 AM – 10:00 PM Daily Pharmacy Hours: 9:00 AM – 7:00 PM (6:00 PM SAT), Closed on Sunday (401) 861-484

### Shuttle Service

BUSUN provides a shuttle service between campus and the Omni Hotel, a less than five-minute walk from our other partner hotels. Shuttles, for all those who signed up for the service, will run on Friday night after the committee session, before the first committee session on Saturday morning, after the second committee session on Saturday evening, before and after the delegate social on Saturday night,

and before the first committee session on Sunday morning.

Please note that shuttle services will not be provided at the end of Closing Ceremonies. We will, however, provide a locked luggage room for any delegations wishing to store luggage on the Sunday of conference weekend. If you requested shuttle service, please refer to the attached handout for more specifics.

# Getting Around Campus

All conference venues are within a walking distance between each other. All committees are located in accessible buildings, and if any issues arise please notify a member of BUSUN staff or your faculty advisor.

# **Code of Conduct**

### Diversity & Inclusion

BUSUN is committed to fostering an inclusive, anti-discriminatory environment in which all individuals are treated with respect and dignity, regardless of any identities they may hold. BUSUN does not tolerate discrimination or harassment of any kind that is based upon a person's race, color, religion, sex, age, national or ethnic origin, disability, veteran status, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or any other characteristic protected under applicable law. BUSUN prohibits harassment and retaliation by conference attendees and leadership alike.

BUSUN is actively engaged in creating a diverse and inclusive environment in which delegates not only feel safe, but also feel comfortable sharing their ideas without fear that they will be judged on any facet of the work beyond the ideas themselves.

We urge all delegates to keep in mind the sensitive nature of the topics they are discussing, and the impact that their rhetoric can have on the students around them. In light of this, regardless of the delegate's assigned position, delegates are not permitted to propose the following actions: use of nuclear weapons, genocide, war crimes, crimes against humanity, ethnic cleansing and any other actions of a similar nature. In the event that a delegate has questions regarding whether or not a statement is appropriate to make in committee, we urge them to ask the chair for clarification.

If at any point during BUSUN a delegate feels uncomfortable or unsafe as a result of the words or actions of another delegate or staff member, we hope they will reach out to a secretariat or staff member or have their advisor reach out for them.

All staff members have been trained on how to handle a number of situations relating to issues of inclusivity and will do their utmost to resolve the situation and ensure similar issues are avoided in the future.

#### Sexual Harassment

BUSUN has a zero-tolerance policy for sexual harassment. If you observe or experience any form of harassment while at BUSUN, please contact the nearest staff member. All committee chairs, directors, crisis staff, and secretariat members have been briefed on protocols for these situations and will do everything in their power to resolve the situation. It is our utmost priority to make sure that BUSUN is a safe and comfortable environment for all delegates to participate in.

#### Dress Code

Delegates are expected to dress in Western business attire (WBA) for all committee sessions. Western business attire includes collared shirts, ties, slacks, dresses, business suits, professional pants, and appropriate blouses. Sneakers, jeans, and t-shirts are unacceptable for committee sessions, but appropriate informal attire is acceptable for evening social events.

### Badges (Credentials)

Delegates must wear their badges (credentials) in a visible manner at all times during the conference and related events. The badges serve as the primary form of identification recognized by BUSUN staff and campus officials. Lost badges must be promptly reported to BUSUN via email at decorum@busun.org with BADGE in the subject line.

# Delegate Dance

Our delegate social this year will be hosted on campus in Sayles Hall. There will be opportunities for dancing as well as other activities. Shuttles, for all those who signed up for the service, will be departing from campus to the Omni Hotel at the end of committee session on Saturday evening and from hotels back to campus before the dance. Refreshments (pizza, water, and soda) will be provided. Please email dg@busun.org with any questions or concerns about the delegate dance event.

# **Committees and Rooms**

## General Assembly Committees

#### Security Council

Paige-Robinson 503
securitycouncil@busun.org
Chair: Ahmed Mohamed
Co-Chair: Logan Rabe

#### Economic and Social Council

85 Waterman 015 ecosoc@busun.org Chair: Haotian Luo

Co-Chair: Ksenia Dolgopolova

#### GA1: Disarmament and International Security

Barus & Holley 141 disec@busun.org Chair: Fatima Yousaf Co-Chair: Swaraj Agarwal

#### GA2: Economic and Financial

Barus & Holley 166 ecofin@busun.org Chair: Mingyue Liu

Co-Chair: Dre Boyd-Weatherly

#### GA3: Social, Humanitarian, and Cultural

Barus & Holley 168 sochum@busun.org Chair: Zhou Yang Co-Chair: Joohun Kim

#### GA4: Special, Political and Decolonization

Friedman 102 specpol@busun.org

Chair: Tania Gutierrez Espinosa

Co-Chair: Harshil Garg

#### Human Rights Council

Smith-Buonano Hall 106

hrc@busun.org

Chair: Alexandra Lehman Co-Chair: Fiametta Boffey

#### Commission on the Status of Women

Salomon Hall 003 sdc@busun.org

Chair: Jolene Mathena Co-Chair: Haley Joyce

#### World Health Assembly

Macmillan 115 wha@busun.org

Chair: Hamid Torabzadeh Co-Chair: Molly Woodfin

#### Commission on Sustainable Development

Kassar Fox House Auditorium (151 Thayer St.)

sdc@busun.org

Chair: Shayaan Chaudhary Co-Chair: Tanzif Chowdhury

#### International Labor Conference

Friedman 202 ilc@busun.org

Chair: Rami Hamzeh Co-Chair: Saira Amar

# Conference of the Food and Agriculture Organization

Friedman 208 fao@busun.org

Chair: Michelle Oung Co-Chair: Michael Sinclair

### Specialized Committees

#### Bush's Cabinet

Alumnae Hall 212 bush@busun.org

Chair: David Lubawski Co-Chair: Mahir Rahman

#### **DNC 2024**

Barus & Holley 158 dnc2024@busun.org Chair: Noah Rosenfield

Co-Chair: William Loughridge

#### US Senate

Barus & Holley 159 senate@busun.org Chair: Carson Fowler Co-Chair: Kai Blades

#### **COP 26**

Barus & Holley 155 cop26@busun.org

Chair: Naemi Ditiatkovsky Co-Chair: Abigail Nelkin

#### Treaty of the Seventh Coalition

Barus & Holley 157

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Chair: Elsa Lehrer

Co-Chair: Taleena Chandaria

#### NATO

Barus & Holley 160 nato@busun.org Chair: Ren Htoo

Co-Chair: Gina Sinclair

#### Bandung Conference

Friedman 003

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Chair: Jesse Ward

Co-Chair: Ruth Ashinne

#### Crisis Committees

#### Gossip Girl

Sayles 005

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Crisis Manager: Yael Berezdivin

Chair: Sophie Jaeger

#### Canada's October Crisis of 1970

Sayles 300 & 305 flq@busun.org trudeau@busun.org Crisis Manager: Alex Lee Chair: Yungeun Kim

#### Sympathy for the Devil: The Concert at Altamont

101 Thayer St. 116B altamont@busun.org

Crisis Manager: Rachel Kamphaus

Chair: Kevin Zhu

### The Battle for Communist Succession

Barus & Holley 161 & 163

mao@busun.org

khruschev@busun.org

Crisis Managers: Julien Cormary & Robayet

Hossein

Chair: Prottoya Chowdhury

#### Standard Oil

Smith-Buonano Hall G12 standardoil@busun.org

Crisis Manager: Naya Melvani

Chair: Jessica Ni

### Opioid Crisis Purdue Pharma Board of Directors

101 Thayer St 116E standardoil@busun.org

Crisis Manager: Francisca Saldivar

Chair: Allyson Cobery

#### Ad Hoc

Smith-Buonano Hall 206

adhoc@busun.org

Crisis Manager: Irene Kwon Chair: Mariana Melzer

# **Committee Rooms by Building**

101 Thayer

116B: Sympathy for the Devil: The Concert at

Altamont

116E: Opioid Crisis Purdue Pharma Board of

Directors

85 Waterman

015: Economic and Social Council

Bush's Cabinet

Alumnae Hall 212

Barus and Holley

141: GA1 Disarmament and International Security

155: COP 26

157: Treaty of the Seventh Coalition

158: DNC 2024

159: US Senate

160: NATO

161 & 163: The Battle for Communist Succession

166: GA2 Economic and Financial

168: GA3 Social, Humanitarian and Cultural

Friedman Hall

003: Bandung Conference

102: GA4 Special, Political and Decolonization

202: International Labor Conference

208: Conference of the Food and Agriculture

Organization

Kassar Fox House (151 Thayer St.)

Auditorium: Commission on Sustainable

Development

**Macmillan Hall** 

115: World Health Assembly

Paige-Robinson Hall

503: Security Council

Salomon Hall

003: Commission on the Status of Women

Sayles Hall

300 & 305: Canada's October Crisis of 1970

005: Gossip Girl

Smith-Buonano Hall

G12: Standard Oil

106: Human Rights Council

206: Ad Hoc

# **Committee Rules & Structure**

#### General Rules

#### 1. Scope of the Rules

Unless otherwise stated by the Secretaries-General, these shall be the rules of procedure for all BUSUN committees and are considered to have been accepted prior to their first meetings.

#### 2. Conduct

Delegates are expected to maintain decorum during all committee sessions and to avoid the use of inappropriate language. BUSUN prioritizes respect for all delegates and will not tolerate disrespectful behavior.

#### 3. Plagiarism

As a college conference, BUSUN takes plagiarism very seriously. Chairs will be randomly checking for plagiarism in the position papers, and any reports or suspicions of plagiarized resolutions will be investigated thoroughly. Delegates caught plagiarizing will be disqualified from receiving awards and evidence will be presented to their advisors who will determine further disciplinary actions. Plagiarism may also impact a delegate's ability to attend future BUSUN conferences. Advisors are expected to take steps to prevent their delegates from plagiarizing. If a pattern of plagiarism is observed by a delegation, the Secretariat reserves the right to reconsider the school's eligibility to attend future BUSUN conferences.

#### 4. Dress Code

During all committee sessions, delegates are expected to wear appropriate Western business attire. BUSUN staff members may ask inappropriately dressed delegates to leave committee sessions.

#### 5. Language

English shall be the working language of all BUSUN committees. Speeches in another language are allowed at the chair's discretion, but the speaker must provide translations in English. The translation time, in addition to the original speaking time, will count towards the total allotment.

#### 6. Delegations

Each member will be represented by one delegate and one vote on each committee.

#### 7. Functions of the Chairperson

Each committee will have a chairperson, appointed by the Secretariat, who has ultimate authority over the committee's proceedings and the maintenance of order therein. The Secretariat may, at its discretion, appoint additional staff to a committee to assist the chairperson with these functions. The chairperson has final say in all procedural matters of the committee.

#### 8. Quorum

One third of the expected membership of a committee must be present for session to begin. The determination of the existence of a quorum will be made either by the chairperson or an appointed official and may not be challenged by the delegates. However, a majority of the expected membership must be present for a substantive vote and any delegate may challenge this determination by requesting a recount.

#### 9. Voting Rights

Each member state will have one vote in all matters, substantive and procedural. A member state may abstain from voting only during a substantive vote and only if they have declared themselves "present" and not "present and voting" during roll call. Member states who abstain from

voting are counted as not voting and do not contribute to the number of votes needed for a majority. Observer states will have one vote in procedural matters only; that is, they may not vote on resolutions. No one may abstain from a procedural vote.

#### 10. Majority

A majority vote is defined as one in which more states are voting in favor than against. A two-thirds majority vote is one in which twice as many states are voting in favor as against. States that have abstained from voting do not count towards the total.

### Rules Governing Debate

#### 11. Roll Call

The first order of business for any BUSUN committee will be to take a roll call to determine which delegations are present. The chairperson will read an alphabetical list of delegations and then ask that all delegations not called raise their placards to make their presence known. Delegates of member states should respond "present and voting," or "present." Member states which respond "present and voting" are obliged to vote either for or against all subsequent substantive motions; these member states may not abstain. Member states that respond "present" are at liberty to abstain on substantive motions. Delegates of non-member states or observers should respond "present."

Chairs may, at their discretion, re-take this count at any time. Delegations arriving after the initial roll call must communicate their presence to the chair via note prior to speaking or voting on any matters.

#### 12. Agenda

Each committee must, prior to opening debate at its first committee session, settle on the agenda.

The chairs will accept proposed orders of the agenda from delegates until they decide that a

sufficient number of orders have been proposed. The chairperson will then proceed through each suggestion in the order it was proposed, recognizing for thirty seconds one speaker in favor of and one speaker against each proposed suggestion. Following both speeches, the agenda order under discussion will be voted upon. The committee will continue to examine and speak on the next agenda order until an agenda order passes with a simple majority vote, at which time debate will begin upon the first agenda item on the passed agenda order.

In the event of an international crisis or emergency, the Secretary-General may table the agenda item under discussion and direct the committee to consider a new topic.

**Debate:** One speaker for and one against

Vote: Majority

#### 13. Addressing the Committee

No delegate shall address the committee during formal debate without having been recognized by the chair.

#### 14. Caucusing

A motion to caucus must be accompanied by a suggested time for the caucus to last as well as purpose. Note that a caucus may be moderated or unmoderated. In a moderated caucus, the chairperson will suspend the speakers' list and call on delegates as they indicate their desire to speak with their placards or utilize a round robin procedure where delegates are called in alphabetical or chair order. The speaking time during a moderated caucus must be specified with any motion requesting the caucus as well whether the speakers for the moderated caucus will be round robin or at the chair's discretion.

#### 15. Tabling Debate

This motion suspends debate on a particular topic temporarily. The committee must move to accept this question as the topic of debate again to reopen it. At that time the speakers list that was in use when debate was tabled will come back into use.

**Debate:** One speaker for and one against

Vote: Majority

#### 16. Closure of Debate

At any time a member may move to close debate. If this motion passes, debate on the current topic is closed and the topic is voted upon immediately. No

more resolutions or amendments may be introduced once this motion has been passed.

**Debate:** One speaker for and one against

Vote: Two-thirds majority

### Speeches

#### 17. Speakers List

After the agenda has been determined, one continuously open speakers list will be established. A separate speakers list will be made for each new topic of debate.

Delegates wishing to be placed on the speakers list may send notes up to the chair expressing this desire. In addition, chairs may, at their discretion, add nations to the speakers list based on a show of placards. No delegation may appear on the speakers list more than once at a given time.

Upon exhaustion of the speakers list, the debate is considered closed and the committee will move into voting procedure. No delegation may appear on the speakers list.

#### 18. Speeches

Once recognized, a delegate may speak on any issue he or she feels is relevant to the current debate. The chair may call the delegate to order if the chair feels the speech is not related to the current issues before the committee. Only remarks related to the current agenda item are in order. However, a delegate may discuss any working paper, amendment or resolution that has been

presented to the committee with regard to the current agenda item, in addition to any ideas about it.

#### 19. Time Limits on Speeches

The committee may limit each speech to a specific amount of time. A motion must be made to set or change the speaking time and delegates making this motion must specify what limit they would like.

This motion requires a simple majority vote and the chairperson may rule it out of order if it is felt that the time is unreasonable. The chairperson will set time limits on procedural speeches.

#### 20. Comments on Speeches

The committee may elect to allow comments on speeches immediately following them. Note that no comments are in order if a delegate has yielded to points of information. The addition of comments requires a motion and the delegate making the motion must specify the number of comments and how long they will last. A simple majority is required to pass this motion and the chairperson may rule it out of order if the request is felt to be unreasonable. In addition, the chair may, at any time during the comments, call delegates to order if their comments are not specifically related to the speech that was just given.

#### 21. Yields

Delegates who have been granted the right to speak off the speakers list may yield the balance of their time to the chairperson, points of information, questions, or any other member of the committee. If speakers wish to yield their time to another delegation, they must specify to whom they wish to yield at the end of the speech. Once time has been yielded, no comments will be in order. Multiple yields will not be allowed, and chairs will assume that time has been yielded to them if delegates return to their seat without yielding.

#### 22. Right of Reply

A delegate may request the right of reply if it is felt that the delegate's personal or national integrity has been grievously impugned. This request must be submitted to the chair in writing. Please note that it is an extremely rare occurrence at the United Nations. The chair will rule immediately on this matter and the decision may not be appealed. If the right is granted, the chairperson will then set a time limit on the response. There will be no rights of reply to a right of reply.

#### Amendments and Resolutions

# 23. Presentation of a Resolution or Amendment to the Chairperson

Once the number of sponsors exceeds three or the chairs specified cut-off and signatories reaches one-fifth the attendance of the meeting, the sponsors of an amendment or resolution may present it to the chairperson. At this time, the chair is responsible for approving the format, legibility, and legality of the resolution and forwarding it to the conference staff for duplication and distribution.

# 24. Introduction of a Resolution or a Friendly Amendment

Once the chair has notified the sponsors of a resolution or amendment that it is ready for distribution, delegates may move at any time to introduce it. This introduction will consist of, subject to the chair's discretion, a minimum of two sponsors or one third of the sponsors rounding up summarizing the document and a period of questions. The minimum time to be yielded for questions is at the chair's discretion.

**Debate:** Chair's discretion

Vote: Majority

#### 25. Friendly Amendments

An amendment to a resolution is considered friendly and is immediately applied to the text of

the resolution if it is sponsored by all sponsors of the resolution. After receiving approval from the chair, suitably brief friendly amendments (at the chair's discretion) may be presented without additional copies for the rest of the committee.

#### 26. Unfriendly Amendments

An amendment which is not sponsored by all the sponsors of the resolution it amends is considered unfriendly and is therefore only applied to the text of the resolution if it is passed by the committee. After the chair has notified the sponsors of the amendment that it is ready for distribution or presentation, the sponsors may move at any time to introduce it. This introduction will consist of, subject to the chair's discretion, a reading of the document by one or more sponsors and an optional period of informal debate to clarify questions of language. Following the period of informal debate, the motion to introduce the amendment will be voted on, requiring a simple majority to pass. If the motion is approved, general debate will be suspended, and a new speakers list will be established with speakers in favor and against the amendment.

After the committee has heard two speakers in favor and two against the motion, a motion to close debate will be in order. When debate is closed, the committee will immediately vote on whether or not to accept the amendment. If the vote receives a simple majority, the amendment will be considered a part of the resolution. After the vote, debate will resume according to the previous speakers list.

**Debate:** Two speakers for and two against **Vote:** Majority

#### 27. Withdrawal of Resolution or Amendment

If all of the sponsors of a resolution or amendment wish to withdraw the document, the committee shall cease all discussion of it following the notification of the chair.

### Voting

#### 28. Conduct During Voting

Upon entering voting procedure, the committee chamber shall be sealed by a member of the staff. All points and motions except those directly applicable to voting (outlined below) are out of order.

#### 29. Points and Motions of Voting

Only the following motions from normal committee proceedings are in order during voting: appealing the chair, points of personal privilege, order and parliamentary inquiry, questions of competence, and the special voting motions listed below. The order of precedence shall be the same as usual, with the addition of the special motions in the order given below as the least pressing motions.

#### 30. Reordering Resolutions

Normally, the committee will vote on resolutions in the order in which they were presented to the committee. However, any member may move to change the order before any voting has begun. The new order must be specified by the member. This motion is out of order if the committee has begun the process of voting on any particular resolution (including its amendments).

**Debate:** None / none **Vote:** Two-thirds majority

#### 31. Division of the Question

Immediately before a resolution or amendment is to be voted on, a member may move to divide the document into several separate voting units to be voted on, individually. The preambulatory clauses remain with the largest intact portion of the resolution. Each part will then be voted upon individually, and all parts that pass will be voted on together as the final document. If there is more than one division, the chairperson shall have sole discretion over the order in which those divisions are put to vote.

**Debate:** One speaker for and one against

Vote: Majority

#### 32. Roll Call Vote

Only substantive questions can be taken to a roll call vote. In such a vote, the chair calls out each nation in alphabetical order and requests its vote. There are four possible responses: yes, no, abstain, or pass. A nation that passes during the first round will eventually have to vote once all other nations have voted. Once every nation has initially voted, the chair will return to those who passed and ask them for their vote. At this point in time, they may only vote 'yes' or 'no'. You may not pass more than once. Any state voting either 'yes' or 'no' may request the 'right of explanation'. Once the vote has concluded the chair will recognize all states that requested the 'right of explanation' in alphabetical order and provide them with 30 seconds to explain the vote. The passage of this motion is solely up to the chair's discretion.

#### 33. Voting on Resolutions

Unless a resolution has been deemed an important question, only a simple majority is needed so it may to pass.

#### Points and Motions

#### 34. Precedence

The order of precedence of points and motions is as listed in the following enumerated points below, from first to last by number. When a motion is pending, it is in order to move any motion above it, but not any motion below it, in order of precedence. Any points or motions not listed below specifically will be voted on from most disruptive to least disruptive and are lower in precedence than any that are listed.

#### 35. Lack of Speakers

If a point or motion calls for speakers for or against and too few delegates volunteer to speak on either side of the issue, then the side with enough speakers prevails and no vote is necessary. If too few delegates volunteer on both sides of the issue, the point or motion will be ruled dilatory.

#### 36. Acceptable Motions

Only those motions listed below will be permitted. When making a motion, delegates must raise their placard, wait to be recognized by the chairperson, rise, and state their point.

#### 37. Adjournment of the Meeting

Only the last scheduled meeting of a body will be adjourned. This motion is dilatory at any other time.

**Debate:** None / none **Vote:** Majority

#### 38. Appealing the Chairperson's Decision

Any delegate may appeal the most recent ruling of the chairperson if they feel it was incorrect for any reason, except those reasons that are designated in the rules as being exempt from appeal.

**Debate:** None / appellant and chair **Vote:** Two-thirds majority

#### 39. Point of Personal Privilege

If at any time a delegate experiences personal discomfort that impairs ability to participate in the proceedings, the delegate may rise to a point of personal privilege. A point of personal privilege may interrupt a speaker only if the delegate cannot hear the speech. Note: BUSUN's policy is to allow delegates to use the bathroom without motioning for a point of personal privilege. Delegates should also note that if they are found loitering in the hallways by BUSUN staff will be reported to their respective advisors.

#### 40. Point of Order

A delegate should use this point to bring any procedural errors to the attention of the committee and staff. This point must be made at the time of the error and is dilatory once any other actions have taken place. A point of order may interrupt a speech only if the speech is out of order.

#### 41. Point of Parliamentary Procedure

Delegates may rise to this point if they wish for the chairperson to clarify a procedural question for the body. Note: points of parliamentary procedure should refer to a specifically numbered rule in this guide or a section of the background guide. Excessive spurious points of parliamentary procedure will be frowned upon.

#### 42. Point of Information

This is a question to the speaker. It is only in order if the delegate has yielded to points of information or the chair has asked to open the floor to points of information to address a particular question. Once recognized by the chairperson, the member shall rise and present the question. Only the response time shall count against the speaker's allotted time. No cross debate is allowed. The only exception is when the chair feels cross debate is needed for the purposes of clarification of language.

#### 43. Adoption of an Agenda Item

Prior to the setting of an agenda (or between items), the committee will debate which topic to discuss next. Any delegate may move to set the agenda at any time when the agenda has not been set (or if it has just been suspended) to adopt a particular agenda item.

**Debate:** Two speakers for and two against

**Vote:** Majority

#### 44. Reconsideration

A motion to reconsider a substantive motion must be made during the same session as the original motion and must be made by a member of the prevailing side. The chair may rule this motion out of order if no new substantive information has become available to warrant the reconsideration.

**Debate:** None

**Vote:** Two-thirds majority

# **Rules of Procedure Conference Chart**

Motion	Second Required	Debatable	Interrupt Speaker	Special Notes
Establishment of agenda	Yes	1 For 1 Against	No	Used to set the order in which topics will be addressed.
Point of Order	No	No	Yes	Addresses a procedural matter. Doesn't allow delegate to speak on topic of debate.
Point of Personal Privilege	No	No	Yes	Raised when a delegate experiences personal discomfort(e.g. can't hear, can't see).
Point of Information	No	No	No	Directed at other delegates for the purpose of asking questions in relation to speeches and draft resolutions.
Yields	No	No	No	Must be done before a delegate speaks. Can only yield to questions, another delegate, or to the Chair.
Right of Reply	No	No	No	Must be submitted in writing to the Chair. Requested when a delegate feels that someone has made an insult.
Withdrawal of Draft Resolution	No	No	No	Withdrawal must be agreed upon by all sponsors.
Division of the Question	Yes	1 For 1 Against	No	Divides clauses of a resolution to be voted on separately. Motion is made after debate is closed, but before voting. If a division is passed, the clauses are voted on in the order proposed by the motion.
Reconsideration of the Directive or Resolution	Yes	1 For 1 Against	No	A 2/3 vote is required to vote again on any resolution thathas failed.
Extension of UnmoderatedCaucus	No	No	No	A visual vote will be taken and the decision will be at the Chair's discretion. Takes precedence.
Extension of ModeratedCaucus	No	No	No	A formal vote will be taken. This motion takes precedence over other motions.
T	he following mo	tions take prece	dence over any	others, in the order presented:
Suspend Meeting	Yes	No	No	A specific length of time must be specified.
Adjourn Meeting	Yes	No	No	To end the meeting for the day. Adjournment of the final meeting shall adjourn the session.
Adjourn Debate	Yes	1 For 1 Against	No	Table topic and move on to next agenda item.
Closure of Debate	Yes	1 For 1 Against	No	End debate and move into voting procedures.
Vote on Directive or Resolution	Yes	1 For 1 Against	No	Move into vote into voting procedures without ending debate on a topic.
Unmoderated Caucus	No	No	No	Voted on from longest to shortest. A purpose should beindicated.
Moderated Caucus	No	No	No	Speaking time, total time, selection style (round robin), and the topic must all be specified.
Motion to Change Comments on Speeches from Speakers List	No	No	No	This motion is only applicable for committees using a speakers list.
Motion to Change SpeakingTime for Speeches from Speakers List	No	No	No	This motion is only applicable for committees using a speakers list.

# Flow of Debate

#### Roll Call

The Chair will call each country's name. When delegates hear their countries called, they should answer "present."

#### Setting the Agenda

The first order of business for the committee shall be the consideration of the agenda. The only motion in order at this time will be in the form of "The nation of [country name] moves that the topics be placed in the following order for debate..." The motion requires a second and can be debated. A provisional speakers list shall be established with one person speaking for and one person speaking against the motion for 30 seconds each; after the provisional speakers list is exhausted, the committee shall move into an immediate vote. A simple majority is required for the motion to pass. If the majority is not met, the committee will move on to repeat the above proceedings for the next motion until the agenda has been decided.

# Debate

#### Speakers List (Formal Debate)

The Chair will ask all delegates who would like to make a speech and be on the speakers list to raise their placards. The Chair will then choose delegates to be placed on the speakers list. A country can only appear on the speakers list once at any given time. After a country has spoken, it may be added to the speakers list again by sending a note to the Chair saying, "The delegation of [country name] would like to be added to the speakers list."

Speaking time is set through a motion from a delegate. If no motions are made, the chair will set a default time. When the committee is in formal debate all rules of procedure are enforced.

# Caucus (Specialized and Crisis may only do this column)

#### **Moderated Caucus**

A moderated caucus is a mixture of both formal and informal debate. When a motion for a moderated caucus is passed, the Chair calls upon delegates as they raise their placards to address the committee for a specific amount of time.

#### **Unmoderated Caucus**

An unmoderated caucus is a temporary recess. Rules of procedure are suspended during caucusing. During this time, delegates can meet informally with each other and the committee staff to discuss.

#### **Working Papers and Draft Resolutions**

Delegations work together to create resolutions. Before closing debate, resolutions should be presented in formal debate. In addition, delegates may present amendments to these documents.

#### Closure of Debate

Once delegates feel like they have made their countries' positions clear and there are enough draft resolutions on the floor, they may make motions to proceed into voting procedure by moving for the closure of debate.

#### End of List

Once the speakers list has been exhausted, the committee will automatically move to immediate voting procedure.

#### **Voting Procedures**

Once a motion to close debate has been approved, the committee moves into voting procedures. Amendments are voted upon first, then resolutions. Once all resolutions are voted upon, the committee moves to the next topic on the agenda.

# In Committee

#### Committee Decorum

While in committee session, delegates are expected to follow the Rules of Parliamentary Procedure as laid out by the BUSUN Secretariat in this guide. Delegates are also asked to treat their chairs and their fellow delegates with respect. In addition, all BUSUN attendees are expected to wear Western business attire.

#### Working Papers and Resolutions

The purpose of researching, speaking, and debating is to generate ideas that will ultimately become working papers and resolutions. Your preliminary step is to prepare your country's policies and truly understand them before the committee. Upon arrival at BUSUN, you will confer with other delegates by exchanging ideas in committee session and during caucuses. After identifying other countries that share similar opinions, you can begin to compile a list of potential operative clauses, which eventually form the heart of potential resolutions. An operative clause is a single action—a criticism, suggestion, request, or directive—that helps to solve the problem at hand. Operative clauses are numbered and attached to a subject and a preamble, which explains the problem, to form a resolution.

A paper in resolution format that has not been submitted to the chair is referred to as a "working paper in progress," and must not be identified as a resolution in speeches or debate. Delegates wishing their paper to be recognized as a resolution should review formatting and confirm that they have at least three sponsors and at least one-fifth of the committee members as signatories or sponsors before submitting their papers to the chair. The chair may specify a higher sponsor requirement for resolutions in order to reduce the

number of resolutions on the floor at any time during debate. The chair will review format, syntax, competence, and relevance, and may approve the paper. Approved papers are marked as resolutions and will be shared with all delegates. A sponsoring delegate should make a motion to introduce the resolution, at which time the chair will request all delegates to open the resolution mentioned. Only at that time is it a substantive piece that can be debated, amended, and voted on by the committee. Sponsorship indicates official support, and generally authorship, of a resolution. If all sponsors withdraw, a resolution is invalidated. Signatories do not necessarily support a resolution, and they are not obligated to speak or vote in favor of it. Withdrawal of signatures after a resolution has been introduced does not invalidate it.

Turning a paper into a resolution is more difficult than submitting a paper to be an officially recognized working paper. Working papers are a good option when delegates are having trouble coming to consensus on issues and need a fast way to get some written ideas on the floor. Working papers require signatures from one-fifth of the committee and do not have sponsors. A paper can be submitted to the chair, and at the chair's discretion, reproduced, made into a transparency, or written on the board. There are no specific formats for a working paper. Some recommended formats are outlines and simple lists of operative clauses.

In order to be recognized as a resolution, the paper must be put in resolution format, have at least three sponsors and at least one-fifth of the committee as signatories, and be approved by the chair.

#### Prewritten Resolutions

We strictly prohibit bringing prewritten resolutions to BUSUN. A prewritten resolution is any resolution written before BUSUN committee sessions begin.

The process of compromising, arguing, and creating working papers in consultation with as many delegations as possible is more valuable than the phrases that result. If we find clear and convincing evidence that any part of a working paper is prefabricated, we will withdraw the prefabricated resolution from consideration and consider disqualifying the delegate from awards.

This rule does not mean that delegates should avoid considering the kind of operative language their countries would support. Indeed, thinking about the kinds of provisions in your national interest is an integral part of preparation.

We advise delegates to familiarize themselves with UN resolutions and actions on their topics. Participants are free to bring government and UN documents including resolutions and treaties as reference material and a foundation for new action. However, resolutions should neither plagiarize these documents nor merely repeat prior actions or ideas.

#### **Resolution Format**

A resolution is written as a single, long sentence broken into a heading, preamble, and operative clauses. There are formatting rules for resolutions just as there are grammatical rules for sentences. A well-written resolution demonstrates familiarity with the problem, recognition of the issues, proper form, conciseness, and cogency.

#### **Heading**

#### **Committee:**

The committee or organ in which the resolution is introduced.

#### **Topic:**

The topic of the resolution.

#### **Sponsors:**

List of sponsoring countries.

#### Signatories:

List of countries that have signed the draft.

#### **Preamble:**

The preamble is composed of preambulatory clauses, which are individual observations and statements of recognition that explain the need for the action to be taken and provide background of any preceding actions. The preamble shows that there is a problem to be solved, but it cannot propose an action or make any substantive statement in the topic at hand. The preambulatory clauses can include references to the UN charter, citations of past UN resolutions or treaties, general statements on the topic, its significance and effects, and the recognition of efforts made by other organizations in dealing with the issue. The first word in each phrase is underlined, and every phrase is separated by a comma.

# **Preambulatory Clauses Initiating Words and Phrases**

Affirming

Alarmed by

Approving

Aware of

Bearing in mind

Believing

Concerned

Confident

Contemplating

Convinced

Declaring

Deeply concerned

Deeply conscious

Deeply convinced

Deeply disturbed

Deeply regretting

Deploring Desiring

Emphasizing

Expressing its appreciation

Fulfilling
Fully alarmed
Fully aware
Fully believing
Further deploring

Further recalling

Guided by

Having adopted Having considered

Having considered further Having devoted attention

Having examined
Having heard
Having received
Having studied
Having witnessed
Keeping in mind

Noting

Noting further

Noting with approval Noting with deep concern

Noting with regret Noting with satisfaction

Noting with zest Observing Reaffirming Realizing Recalling Recognizing Referring Seeking

Taking into account
Taking into consideration

Taking note

Viewing with appreciation

Welcoming

#### **Operative Clauses**

The operatives form the most important aspect of the resolution. They are complete independent clauses that state the action to be taken by the body. Delegates should read the operative clauses primarily to decide whether or not they would like to support the resolution. Operative clauses should be organized in a logical progression, and each clause should contain a single idea or policy proposal. All operative clauses are numbered with the first word italicized; semicolons separate them. The last clause ends with a period to finish the sentence.

# Operative Clauses Initiating Words and Phrases

Accept Adopts Affirms Appeals Approves Authorizes Calls

Calls upon
Commends
Condemns
Confirms
Congratulates
Considers
Declares

Declares accordingly

Deplores Designates

Draws the attention

Emphasizes Encourages Endorses

Expresses its appreciation

Expresses its hope
Further invites
Further proclaims
Further recommends
Further reminds
Further requests

Further resolves

Instructs Invites Notes Proclaims

Reaffirms

Recommends

Regrets

Reminds

Requests Resolves Solemnly affirms

Strongly affirms
Strongly condemns
Suggests
Supports
Takes note of

Transmits

Trusts

Urges

# **Sample Resolution**

This is a sample resolution written by a member of the BUSUN staff for a high school conference. Note the adherence to the style, language, and format described above.

Committee: Disarmament and International Security

Topic: Chemical and Bacteriological Weapons

Sponsors: Palestine, United Kingdom, United States

Signatories: Argentina, Australia, Brazil, Bulgaria, France, Ireland

The General Assembly,

(Use commas to separate preambulatory clauses & underline the first word or phrase. The last two preambulatory clauses are separated by a comma and the conjunction "and.")

Reaffirming the Paris Weapons Convention signed in 1993,

Aware of the fact that many countries are currently in possession of disturbing quantities of chemical weapons,

Emphasizing the success of Russia and the United States in negotiations and compromises on the destruction of chemical weapons,

<u>Realizing</u> that UN-sponsored intervention of this kind in the past has been optimized for speed, with the environment being of little or no concern,

<u>Deeply disturbed</u> by the inhumanity of chemical and bacteriological weapons,

Bearing in mind the potential for accidents caused by chemical weapons, and the deadly gases they contain, and

Seeking compromise and action in the field of chemical weapons,

(Use semicolons to separate the operative clauses & number and italicize the first word or phrase. The final clause ends with a period.)

- 1. Deplores the use of chemical and bacteriological weapons as a standard form of warfare and urges nations to discontinue their use;
- 2. Requests an international ban on the production of these chemical and bacteriological weapons;
- 3. Encourages nations to dismantle any remaining chemical weapons;

- 4. *Reminds* these nations that the environment is of paramount concern, and should always come before expediency;
- 5. Calls upon nations with experience and technology in the field of dismantling, such as the United States, to assist these countries;
- 6. Endorses United Nations penalties and the placement of economic sanctions against any countries that refuse to accept the following guidelines:
  - a) Discontinue the importation or exportation of bacteria, media (growing places for bacteria), irritant gases, nerve gases, and assembled chemical weapons or warheads to any nation,
  - b) Discontinue the use, stockpiling, proliferation, and manufacturing of chemical weapons and their components,
  - c) Start programs to dismantle existing chemical weapon stockpiles;
- 7. *Urges* all nations to ask for assistance from the United Nations in the event of any further disaster.

# Awards + FAQ

#### **Awards**

Model UN is about compromising and working together to realize common goals through good research, competent debate, and the writing of effective resolutions. BUSUN uses awards to recognize delegates who work cooperatively to create realistic solutions to the problems presented. Although there are guidelines, there is no scientific formula for determining awards.

The final decision for the number of awards distributed and the delegates recognized are largely left to the discretion of the committee chairs and conference Secretariat. Every BUSUN award recognizes a delegate who makes important accomplishments during the conference, and BUSUN staff members do their best to keep up with the events in each committee. It is important to note, however, that the chairs may be unaware of crucial events in negotiations aside from formal debate or simply do not have enough awards to recognize each deserving delegation. If delegates do not receive an award, it is certainly not an indictment of their performance. Delegates who contribute to committee sessions should consider the experience a success regardless of whether an award is received.

### Awards Criteria

#### **Diplomacy**

Delegates should be respectful of each other and their chairs. We expect delegates to use diplomatic language and to work on maintaining good working relations with each other. It is important that delegates adhere to the Rules of Procedure and that working papers and resolutions produced comply with the given format and guidelines. More importantly, diplomacy as evidenced by building coalitions and finding compromises will

be strongly rewarded. BUSUN has always emphasized the collaborative aspect of MUN as one of the core tenants of the activity. Consensus building will always be rewarded over confrontation.

#### Adherence to National Policy or Position

Delegates should strive to represent their states' or characters' interests, outlook, and policies. Delegates must articulate state (or individual) and bloc interests and support positions consistent with their policies.

#### Speaking

We will recognize delegates who communicate their ideas with relevant, clear, and well delivered speeches. We are looking for well thought out, concise speeches that contribute to debate instead of simply reemphasizing points that have already been made in session.

#### **Preparation**

Delegates should demonstrate adequate research and fundamental knowledge of their topics and policy. Delegates should also demonstrate their knowledge in speeches and resolutions. Constructive debate will result only if delegates are well prepared and willing to actively participate in committee sessions.

### Frequently Asked Questions

# 1. What should I have with me during committee sessions?

You should have a paper and pen or pencil. We also recommend bringing your position paper and all of your research materials, but this is not mandatory. It is also a good idea to have a smaller pad of paper for sending notes to other delegates or the chair, which is the chief method of communication in most committees. Most

delegates also have water bottles. We ask that you do not bring food or any drinks other than water into committee. Placards will be collected by chairs at the end of each committee session.

# 2. Do I need to have prepared speeches for BUSUN?

No, in fact, it is best to not bring prepared speeches to BUSUN. Speech times vary by committee and the topics may change throughout the course of debate, especially in smaller crisis committees. Often your research is only to supplement a different topic that will come up in a crisis situation. However, you should have a good idea of what you would say for any topic. While it is not a bad idea to keep points in bullet form for reference, there is no need to write out speeches

#### 3. Should I bring a laptop into Committee?

Delegates may bring laptops to BUSUN but may not use them during committee sessions. BUSUN will provide an avenue to type finalized resolutions. If technology is needed for adaptive purposes, faculty advisors should notify the Secretariat as soon as possible. Within some committee rooms laptops can be very cumbersome on cramped desks, and laptop theft has been an issue in the past. All this being said, having a laptop in your hotel to do research and draft resolution language may be useful.

# **Food & Coffee**

### On Thayer St.

Andreas Restaurant: Diners come for traditional Greek and Mediterranean recipes for lunch, dinner, and late-night dining in a semi-formal setting. \$\$
268 Thayer St

Antonio's Pizza: Casual pizzeria chain serving traditional thin-crust and Sicilian pies. \$ 256 Thayer St

Aroma Joe's: A New England based coffee shop. Limited Seating. \$ 257 Thayer St

Bagel Gourmet Olé: Great bagel sandwiches and Mexican food. Limited seating. \$ 228 Thayer St

*Beatnic:* All-vegan restaurant serving sandwiches, burgers, desserts and more. Seating available. \$\$ 223 Thayer St

Blue State Coffee: Socially conscious cafe chain known for its menu of coffee & sandwiches. Seating available. \$ 300 Thayer St

Baja's Tex-Mex Grill: Renowned for their generous portions of Mexican-American cuisine. Casual and cozy atmosphere. \$ 273 Thayer St

Chipotle: Fast food chain with burritos, bowls, quesadillas, tacos, salads. \$ 235 Thayer St

*Chinatown on Thayer:* Cheap Chinese food with generous portions. Limited seating. \$ 227 Thayer St

East Side Pockets: Renowned for their excellent falafel wraps and other Middle Eastern foods. Small seating area or take-out. \$ 278 Thayer St

Ganko Ittetsu Ramen: Japanese Sapporo Ramen Restaurant. Very popular among Brown students and Providence locals alike. \$\$ 215 Thayer St

*Kabob and Curry:* Delicious Indian food with great appetizers. Sit-down or take-out. \$\$ 261 Thayer St

Kung Fu Tea: Bubble tea specialist with a selection of other hot & cold drinks, including coffee & slushes. \$ 110 Waterman St

*Pokeworks:* Fast casual poke restaurant serving fresh and delicious Hawaiian-inspired poke. Select from the menu or build your own. \$ 219 Thayer St

Insomnia Cookies: Bakery chain known for late night deliveries, with ice cream. \$ 307 Thayer St

Mike's Calzones and Deli: Known for their wide assortment of calzones, wraps, subs and more. Select from the menu or build your own. \$ 288 Thayer St

Starbucks: Coffee! \$ 218 Thayer St

Soban Korean Eatery: Traditional Korean cuisine in a casual setting. Seating available. \$\$ 272 Thayer St

Shake Shack: Hip, counter-serve chain for gourmet takes on fast-food classics like burgers & frozen custard. Seating available. \$ 249 Thayer St

*Ten One Tea House:* Offers artisanal, healthy drinks for tea lovers, boba (bubbles) included! \$ 216 Thayer St

*Tiger Sugar:* Bubble tea! Their drinks have unique "tiger stripes" that are infused with hand-poured syrups. \$ 288 Thayer St

Wong's Kitchen: Vietnamese cuisine. \$ 108 Waterman St

#### Just Off Thayer

La Créperie: Smoothies, wraps, and good crépes, both sweet and savory. \$82 Fones Alley

Flatbread Company: Wood-fried pizzas with organic ingredients & free-range meats, made in traditional clay ovens. Seating available. \$\$ 161 Cushing St

Dadaruki Express: Good sushi, limited seating. \$ 112 Waterman St

Heng Thai: Cozy atmosphere serving Thai food.\$\$165 Angell St

Ceremony: A favorite among Brown students. An independent coffee and tea house serving Asian inspired beverages, pastries, and snacks. \$ 406 Brook St

Subway: Fast food selling subs, wraps, salads, and drinks. Limited seating available. \$ 114 Waterman St

Den Den Korean Fried Chicken: Small plates like dumplings & kimbap plus signature double fried chicken in a relaxed setting. \$\$ 182 Angell St

*Tribos Peri Peri:* Known for their flame grilled peri-peri chicken. Seating available. \$ 183 Angell St

# Ten-Minute Walk from Thayer

Loui's Family Restaurant: Authentic diner food open until 3 p.m. Popular breakfast spot for Brown students pulling all-nighters. Featured on "Diners, Drive- ins, and Dives." \$ 286 Brook St

Den Den Café Asiana: Casual counter-serve tasty Korean and Japanese favorites. \$ 161 Benefit Street

*Yan's Cuisine:* For Chinese food, well-known for their hot pot. \$83 Benevolent St

### Fifteen-Minute Walk from Thayer

Aleppo Sweets: Offers artisanal Syrian baklava and savory Syrian fare. \$ 107 Ives St

Amy's Place: Delicious breakfast and brunch in a cozy, homey atmosphere. \$\$
214 Wickenden St

Bee's Thai Cuisine: Bright, compact eatery featuring wide variety of Thai curries and noodle dishes. \$\$
167 Ives St

Brickway on Wickenden: Excellent breakfast and sandwiches available here, open until 3 p.m. \$\$ 234 Wickenden St

Chomp Kitchen: Nationally recognized and award-winning burgers, sandwiches. Indoor and outdoor seating available. \$\$
117 Ives St

Coffee Exchange: One of the nicer and eclectic coffee bars on Wickenden. \$ 207 Wickenden St

Fellini Pizzeria: Since 1989, this homey staple has served up thin-crust pizzas & sandwiches with creative toppings. \$ 166 Wickenden St

Jahunger: Uyghur eatery preparing a straightforward menu of dumplings, noodles & stir-fries. \$\$
333 Wickenden St

Noodles 102: An Asian noodle house serving a variety of soups including ramen, udon, and pho, dumplings and more. \$ 102 Ives St

*Pizza Pie-er:* Innovative pizzas. \$\$ 374 Wickenden St

*PVDonuts:* Bustling choice serving gourmet donuts made with local ingredients & coffee in bright environs. A must visit. \$\$ 79 Ives St

Sakura: Japanese restaurant with an extensive sushi and sashimi menu and tasty entrees. \$\$ 231 Wickenden St

Tallulah's Taqueria: Counter-serve eatery offering build-your-own burritos, tacos, bowls, and other great Mexican favorites. \$\$ 146 Ives St

Taste of India: Quality Indian food. \$\$ 230 Wickenden Street

# **Campus Map**

