

April 5, 2025

WASHINGTON MOAS SCHEDULE

APRIL 7-10 2025

All times are indicated in Eastern Standard Time
Monday/ Tuesday/Thursday sessions: Trinity Washington University
Wednesday sessions: OAS Headquarters

Monday, 7 April

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| Morning | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Arrival in Washington• Mission Briefings |
| 1:00 PM | <p>Meeting of all Committee Officers, Staff, and Rapporteurs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Location: Rose Parlor, Main Building (check with reception inside the main entrance for directions if needed) |
| 1:00 PM - 1:45 PM | <p>Registration</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Be aware that your team cannot register until all Codes of Conduct have been uploaded electronically! Please ensure this is done before registration so there will be no delays and your delegates can attend the day's sessions.</u> Upload here: https://wmoas.org/2025-code-of-conduct/• Location: foyer outside O'Connor auditorium, Main Building• Head delegates sign in and receive their name badges, then distribute name badges to their student delegates and officers• All faculty advisors submit attendance list electronically to Anne Henderson by end of day |
| 2:00 - 2:30 PM | <p>Opening Ceremony</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Location: Main Hall, O'Connor Auditorium• Keynote Speech: Luis Almagro, Secretary General• Welcoming Remarks:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Dr. Erin Carriere-Kretschmer, President of the Institute for Diplomatic Dialogue in the Americas (IDDA)○ Dr. Stuart Voss, Distinguished Service Professor of History Emeritus, SUNY Plattsburgh |
| 2:30 PM – 3:00 PM | <p>Inaugural Plenary Session of the 53rd Washington Model OAS General Assembly</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Location: Social Hall (in Main building) |

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- Introductory remarks by WMOAS Secretary General
- Agreement on the Plenary Session's *Modus Operandi*
- Adoption of the General Assembly Agenda

3:15 PM – 5:45 PM

First Session of the Committees

- Locations:
 - General: Social Hall, Main Building
 - First: Business 100, Main Building
 - Second: Payden Building, Room 101
 - Third: Payden Building, Room 202
 - Special: Alumnae Hall, Room B3
- Roll Call (rapporteurs)
- 3:15-4:30 p.m.:
 - Introduction of Committee Officers and Rapporteurs, and brief opening statement by the Committee Chair
 - Review of Committee rules, schedule, goals and expectations for the Model
 - General Committee: Head Delegates deliver Opening Statements (2 minute maximum)
 - Unmoderated caucus for the purpose of exchanging views and obtaining co-signatories on Electronic Packet PDRs (delegations should bring hard copies of their PDRs for gathering signatures)
- 4:30-5:00 pm: Discussions with OAS experts on matters pertaining to the committee agenda topics
- 5:00-5:45 pm:
 - Continue Unmoderated Causes for obtaining co-signatories
 - Mock debate on a resolution to practice Rules of Procedure (if time runs out, this can be the first item of business on the Tuesday schedule)

Tuesday, 9 April

9:30 AM – NOON

Mission Briefings

12:00 PM

Submission of PDRs for Working Groups and the Washington Packet

- Resolutions submitted via the portal on the MOAS Website
- Faculty reviewers review the same Committees/Topics as in the initial review process
- Students submitting PDRs should bring or print hard copies of their resolutions for signatures

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12:30 PM -2:30 P.M.

Second Session of the Committees

- Location: Trinity Committee Rooms (see room assignments on page 1)
- Committees begin debate on Electronic Packet Draft Resolutions in Order of Precedence
- Each delegation informs the Chair which student from the delegation will serve as Elector, authorized to cast ballots and sign nomination forms for 2026 officer elections.

2:45 PM-4:00 P.M.

Third Session of the Committees

- Location: Trinity Committee Rooms
- Continued debate on Electronic Packet PDRs
- Open discussion and negotiation on joint resolutions(can be conducted concurrently with debate on PDRs, with one team delegate participating in each activity)

4:15 PM – 5:45 PM

Faculty review of Working Group and Washington Packet Resolutions

4:15 P.M.– 5:45 PM

4th Session of the Committees

- Location: Trinity Committee Rooms
- Continued debate on Electronic Packet PDRs

6:00-7:00 PM

Student and Faculty Socials

- Rose Parlor: Faculty Social (food will be provided)
- O'Connor Auditorium: Student Social (food will be provided)

7:00 PM

Working Group and Washington Packets are posted on the WMOAS website

Wednesday, 10 April (at OAS)

9:00 A.M.

Morning welcome, Hall of the Americas

9:30 AM – 11:15 A.M.

Fifth Session of the Committees (OAS Committee Rooms)

- Location: OAS Committee Rooms
- Debate begins on Working Group resolutions
- When Working Group resolutions are completed, debate resumes on Electronic Packet resolutions

11:30 AM – 1:00 PM

Tours: The OAS and its history

- 4 staggered tours will be offered, starting at 11:30 and 12:15. Delegates and their faculty advisors must sign up for the tours in advance.

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1:30 PM – 3:00 PM

6th Session of the Committees (OAS Committee Rooms)

- Continued debate on resolutions

3:15 PM – 4:45 PM

7th Session of the Committees

- After all Electronic Packet resolutions are dealt with, debate on Washington Packet begins
- Open negotiation on joint resolutions (can be conducted concurrently with PDR debates)
- Deadline for Submission of Officer Nomination Forms
- Nomination forms collected by the Rapporteur of each Committee and transferred to the IDDA Vice President (Dr. Anne Henderson) for certification by the Director of the Secretariat, the Secretary General, and the Model Faculty Officers

Thursday, 11 April (Trinity University)
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9:30 AM – 10:30 AM

Faculty Meeting (Trinity University; Board Parlor)
Continental breakfast

9:30 AM- 11:30 AM

8th Session of the Committees (Trinity Committee Rooms)

- Debate on Electronic/Washington Packet resolutions continues
- Conclude negotiations on joint resolutions (concurrent with PDR debates)

10:30-11:30 pm

Certification of Election Candidates by Secretary General and Model Faculty Officers

12:30 PM – 2:30 PM

9th Session of the Committees

- Continued debate on Washington Packet resolutions
- Debate and voting on Joint Resolutions
- Election Management Specialist forms Election Commission in First and Second Committees
- Nominated candidates in First and Second Committees make a three-minute presentation on their qualifications for the position.
- Officer elections held for First Committee at 12:30, Second Committee at 1:30 in accordance with the process specified in the Rules of Procedure
- Ballots are collected by the Faculty Designee and delivered to the Model Faculty Officers

2:45 PM – 4:30 PM

10th Session of the Committees

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- Complete debate and voting on Washington Packet resolutions
- Complete debate and voting on Joint Resolutions
- Election Management Specialist forms an Election Commission in Special and Third Committees
- Officer elections held for Third and Special Committees, in accordance with the process specified in the Rules of Procedure (2:45 for Third, 3:30 for Special)
- Nomination forms and ballots are collected by the Faculty Designee and delivered to the Model Faculty Officers

4:45-5:45 P.M.

Closing Plenary Session

- Location: Social Hall in Main building
- Election of the President, Vice- President, and Secretary General of the next WMOAS General Assembly
- Adoption or rejection of all resolutions approved by Committees during their sessions; brief remarks (one minute) by Chairs
- Establishment of the Order of Precedence for the 2026 WMOAS

5:45-6:15 p.m.

Closing Ceremony:

- VP of IDDA will introduce speakers
- Remarks by the Secretary General of WMOAS
- Remarks by the President of WMOAS

Certificates of Participation sent electronically