Frequently asked

Questions from Advisers

TAIMUN XXV · March 18 and 19, 2027 · American School in Taichung

Who can attend?

Students in grades 9 to 12. Write to the Director about any grade 8 delegate you think is ready, and we will consider it case by case. All committees run in English.

How many delegates can we bring?

Up to 20 delegates per school. Chairs are appointed separately and do not count toward that cap.

How much does it cost?

NT$3,900 (US$125) per student through November 30, 2026, and NT$4,600 (US$145) from December 1. Each school also pays a school fee of NT$3,900 (US$125). Two advisers per school attend free.

What does the fee include?

Lunch on both days, all conference materials, and the delegate social on Thursday evening.

When do we find out our countries?

Committee and country allocations are sent to schools between November 23 and 25, 2026.

When are study guides published?

All thirteen study guides are published by December 15, 2026.

What do delegates need to submit?

Delegate names and emails by January 15, 2027, and a position paper from every delegate by February 26, 2027.

What should delegates wear?

Western business attire for delegates, and standard professional dress for advisers.

Are there awards?

Best Delegate, Outstanding Delegate and Honorable Mention carry physical awards. Verbal Commendations are announced in committee. Every delegate also receives written feedback from their chair after the conference.

What if a student can no longer come?

You can substitute another student at no charge until March 4, 2027. Refunds on delegate fees are full through December 10, then 50 percent to January 31 and 25 percent through February.

Where should we stay?

We recommend the Windsor Hotel Taichung. AST buses run from the Windsor to campus at 7:45 both mornings, and the Thursday social is held there. TAIMUN schools get a special rate, so write to the Director to book it. Most schools need the nights of March 17 and 18.

How do we get home on Friday?

The closing ceremony ends at 5:10. AST buses leave campus for Taichung HSR station at 5:20, so book trains for 6:30 pm or later.

Who do we contact with questions?

Email TAIMUN@ast.tc.edu.tw. The conference is run by our student Secretariat with Mr. Nickolas Hironao Harris as Faculty Director.