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AGENDA

GA

SOCIAL, CULTURAL, & HUMANITARIAN COMMITTEE (SOCHUM)

1. Human trafficking for debt bondage and forced labour
2. The allocation of resources for youth mental health
3. The impact of imbalanced demographic megatrends

ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS COUNCIL (ECOFIN)

1. The sustainability of youth-led economy
2. The short- and long-term impact of inflation
3. Food security in the face of economic challenges

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION (SPECPOL)

1. The redefinition of cultural heritage conservation in the Decolonization era
2. Neocolonialist dynamics between LDCs and economical superpowers
3. Reparations for historical injustices and their impact on global equity

NON-GA

UN WOMEN

1. The systemic exploitation of women from sexualization to sex work
2. Equal access and involvement in higher-degree education for women
3. Women's autonomy on reproductive rights

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL (ECOSOC)

1. The potential of AI integration in the workplace
2. Equal employment opportunities and career paths for youth workers
3. The implementation of fair minimum wage legislations

SECURITY COUNCIL (SC)

1. The Israel-Gaza crisis
2. The South and East China Sea dispute
3. Security threats in West Africa and the Sahel

INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE (ICJ)

"Application of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide"
(The Gambia v. Myanmar)

PROGRAMME

Legend

CC = Camera di Commercio

DS = Palazzo Doria-Spinola (Prefettura)

LD = Liceo Linguistico Internazionale Grazia Deledda

PD = Palazzo Ducale

PT = Palazzo Tursi (Municipio)

WEDNESDAY, 15 FEBRUARY 2024

What	Where		When	
	<i>Location</i>	<i>Room</i>	<i>Begins</i>	<i>Ends</i>
Registration	PD	Sala Liguria, 1st floor	10.30	16.30
Chair Worksop	CC	Sala del Bergamasco	08:30	13.00
ICJ Workshop	CC	Sala Ardesia	08:30	13.00

THURSDAY, 16 FEBRUARY 2024

What	Where		When	
	<i>Location</i>	<i>Room</i>	<i>Begins</i>	<i>Ends</i>
Information and Help Desk Late Registration	PD	Sala Liguria, 1st Floor	8.30	17.00
SOCHUM	PD	Maggior Consiglio	8.30	12.45
ECOFIN	PD	Minor Consiglio	8.30	12.45
ICJ	PD	Sala Camino	8.30	12.45
Security Council	DS	Sala Maggioranza	8.30	12.45
UN Women	DS	Sala Minoranza	8.30	12.45
SPECPOL	DS	Sala Consiglio	8.30	12.45
ECOSOC	PT	Salone di Rappresentanza	8.30	12.45
Approval Panel	PD, DS, PT		9.30	15.00
Lunch Available	PD All Committees	Cortile Minore/Maggiore	12.45	14.00
Opening Ceremony	PD	Maggior Consiglio	14.00	16.00
Officer's Debriefing	PD	Maggior Consiglio	16.00	17.00

FRIDAY, 16 FEBRUARY 2024

What	Where		When	
SOCHUM	PD	Maggior Consiglio	8.30	13.00
ECOFIN	PD	Minor Consiglio	8.30	13.00
ICJ	PD	Sala Camino	8.30	13.00
Security Council	DS	Sala Maggioranza	8.30	13.00
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SATURDAY, 17 FEBRUARY 2024

What	Where		When	
General Assembly: SOCHUM, ECOFIN and SPECPOL	PD	Maggior Consiglio	8.30	13.00
ICJ	PD	Sala Camino	8.30	13.00
Security Council	DS	Sala Maggioranza	8.30	13.00
UN Women	DS	Sala Minoranza	8.30	13.00
ECOSOC	CC	Sala del Bergamasco	8.30	13.00
Lunch Available	PD	Cortile Maggiore	13.00	14.00
Closing Ceremony	PD	Maggior Consiglio	14.00	15.30
Final Disco Party	PD	Le Cisterne	20.00	23.00

LOCATIONS

PALAZZO DUCALE (PD):

Sala del Maggior Consiglio: SOCHUM / GA

Sala del Minor Consiglio: ECOFIN

Sala del Camino: ICJ

Sala Liguria: REGISTRATION

PALAZZO DORIA-SPINOLA (Prefettura):

Sala di Maggioranza: Security Council

Sala di Minoranza: UN Women

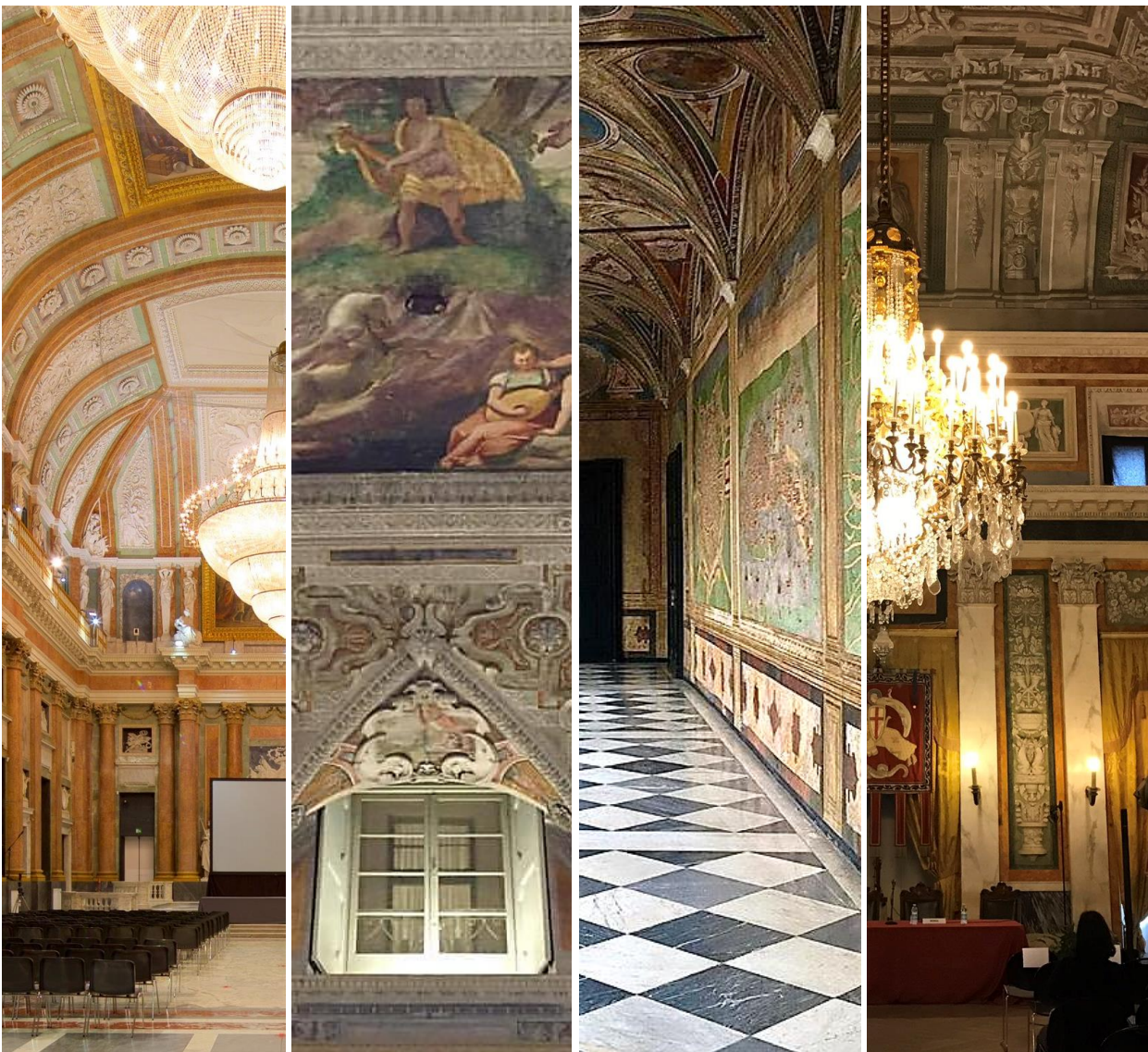
Sala del Consiglio: SPECPOL

CAMERA DI COMMERCIO:

Sala del Bergamasco: ECOSOC

PALAZZO TURSI:

Salone di Rappresentanza: ECOSOC



DRESS CODE

Appropriate clothing and attire are required to take part in the Conference.

A formal suit or separate with a smart shirt, a tie or similar alternatives are accepted. In the case of a formal dress or skirt, the length must hit at or below the knee. Bright colours are strongly recommended against, as is denim.

Shoes must be elegant; while heels are allowed, avoid sneakers and sandals.

Delegates should not wear sunglasses or anything which draws unnecessary attention, including flags, slogans or logos.

The GeMUN committee reserves the right not to admit those who are not dressed appropriately without any further justification.



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LETTER FROM THE SECRETARY GENERAL

Dear participants of GeMUN 2024,

My name is Matteo Marinucci, I am eighteen years old and I am honored to serve as the Secretary-General for the twenty-first annual session of the Genoa Model United Nations.

This marks my final year of involvement in MUN. My journey began in 2020 as the delegate of Senegal in the Disarmament and International Security Committee at GeMUN. The following year, despite the conference being held online, I served as an officer in UNESCO, and in 2022, I had the privilege of presiding over the Security Council. Last year, I was appointed Under Secretary General, contributing to the organization of the conference alongside a highly capable Secretary General and the rest of the Secretariat. Additionally, I participated in the IMUN conference as the delegate of Papua New Guinea in the General Assembly.

I firmly believe that Model United Nations conferences provide an exceptional opportunity to comprehend the workings of diplomacy, offering us a different perspective on the world around us. They also serve as an eye-opening platform for the exchange of ideas and collaborative work with other young individuals who possess diverse viewpoints. We are deeply grateful for the opportunity to organize this year's GeMUN session.

The focus of GeMUN 2024 will be on the exchange of ideas among young people, titled "Generation Next." With this theme, our aim is to address the issues that affect us as young individuals and reimagine our responses to them, seeking innovative solutions. In a time when the world is getting older, I believe it is crucial for the youth to become aware of how the world currently operates and take initiative to change aspects that no longer contribute to our well-being and persistence. Therefore, I, along with the Secretariat and MUN directors, encourage GeMUN participants to contemplate what the youth can do to ensure a brighter future for themselves and the succeeding generations, adopting a more forward-thinking approach toward the future of humanity and the planet.

It is crucial to thoroughly analyse and comprehend the relationship between our world and its governing bodies concerning young people. This understanding will enable us to improve areas that are lacking and develop solutions to enhance our lives and possibilities. With this objective in mind, I am eager to witness all of us coming together, pooling our ideas and determination to ensure a brighter future. I hope this event serves as an opportunity to showcase what the next generation can contribute to the world in a cooperative, exciting, and dynamic manner.

I am looking forward to seeing and meeting all of you in February, anticipating that all committees and councils will have a wonderful and productive time engaging in fruitful debates!

Yours faithfully,

Matteo Marinucci



LETTER FROM THE UNDER SECRETARY GENERALS

Dear Participants of GeMUN 2024,

We, Alessandra Gherardi, Emma Christensen, and Eleonora Seghezze, are honored to serve as Under Secretary Generals in the 21st annual session of Genoa Model United Nations. Currently in our final year at Liceo Linguistico Internazionale Grazia Deledda, we bring with us both delegate and officer experiences.

The theme of this edition, "Generation Next," lies at the core of the empowerment process crucial for youth. It has the potential to heighten awareness among all GeMUN participants about their abilities and power to address global challenges. Recognizing the significance of one's voice is paramount. Regardless of social status or generation, everyone should feel free to express themselves. Often, the immense power of young people is underestimated. Youth embodies the future and harbors the potential to be the change the world awaits. Unfortunately, older generations may sometimes discourage the hope and faith innate to the youth. However, the younger generation possesses significant potential, primarily because they care deeply about the world's future as the ones who will actively shape it. Their fresh perspectives and innovative ideas can introduce effective solutions to existing systems.

Hence, never hesitate to make your voice heard. Even if it seems like an insignificant whisper in the crowd, that one voice might unexpectedly make a massive difference. In the face of increasing global challenges, it is crucial that we act upon our ideals, making our voices heard and actions seen. It is our duty to care and fight for our principles, both during peaceful times and when confronting global issues and crises.

As MUN participants, we believe it is vital for all of us to take a stand, actively engage, and make a positive impact on our surroundings. While we carry responsibilities as citizens of the current world, our foremost duty is to hold older generations accountable for the world we inhabit and actively work towards the change we desire.

In conclusion, we wish each of you a meaningful experience during the debate sessions. Speak up, let your voices be heard, and strive for positive changes that will shape the world of tomorrow. We eagerly anticipate meeting you all in February.

Yours faithfully,

Alessandra, Emma and Eleonora



LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENCY OF ICJ

Dear participants of GeMUN 2024,

We are Emma Enrica Carbone and Elisabetta Valentina Salvi, and we are honored to welcome you to the as the President and Co-President of the International Court of Justice.

Experiencing GeMUN from this perspective, for the first and last year, had never been in our wildest dreams. As five years went by, we would have never imagined our future taking this unexpected turn. We both developed an interest in GeMUN during our first year, choosing two completely different paths without knowing that the ICJ existed or what it entailed. That changed when we were offered the opportunity to participate as judges during FulgisMUN in 2020, marking the beginning of our journey.

Initially uncertain about adapting to such an unconventional experience, we attended the first workshop and began to feel the unique atmosphere it created. At that moment, we knew we had made the right choice and never wavered in our commitment. As we approach GeMUN, now in the roles of President and Co-President, we feel excited and proud to represent the International Court of Justice.

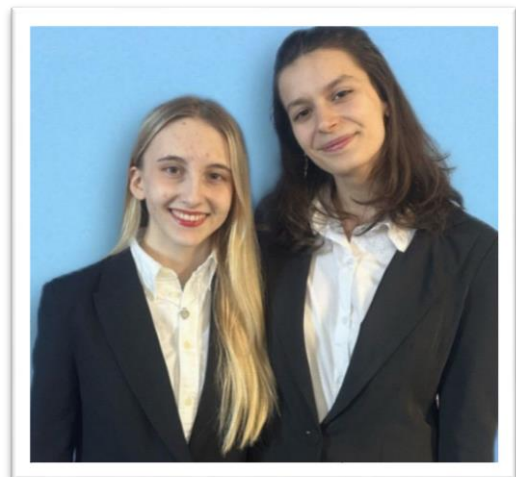
What brings us the most joy above all is being able to perceive the essence of the conference from another point of view and truly see it as a whole. We covered different roles and could not actually realize how intricate it is. The International Court of Justice (ICJ), in fact, could be nothing without its Members – and yes, Members with a capital “M.” We initially faced a significant challenge as the original Court had only a few judges, and only one advocate was left. However, we managed to find some of the most incredible people we could have wished for, and this solves the riddle; they are the very true essence of the ICJ. They have proven themselves to be always up to challenges, determined, interested, willing to understand and accept the complexity of the topics we discuss. This list could go on for pages and pages. Every Friday, when we may feel exhausted from the week, they prove this to us all over again, making us feel more proud, inspired, and grateful than we ever have.

Our ICJ often remains concealed in an aura of mystery, but in reality, it is the main judicial organ of the United Nations. Its goal is to solve international disputes, particularly the pending cases discussed in debates, ultimately achieving a diplomatic solution through a verdict. The conference involves two pairs of advocates, each comprising an Applicant Party and a Respondent Party representing a country. Their job is to conduct research and find pieces of evidence to prove their points, which will then be analyzed by the judges during the discussion. Advocates aspire to win the case by being as convincing as possible. On the other hand, the judges represent the core of the debate. After the presentation of the advocates' documents, their job is to analyze them and ask questions to have a deeper understanding of the case. At the end of the debate, the judges will vote for the winning party and write a verdict.

It is our pleasure to present to you the case that we will be addressing this year, specifically the "Application of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide." In this case, The Gambia serves as the Applicant Party, and Myanmar as the Respondent. The accusations against the latter arise from alleged acts against the members of an ethnic, racial, and religious group residing within its territory, namely the Rohingya group. The Court will engage in discussions to determine whether the Respondent has failed to fulfill its obligations under International Law.

We wish you a delightful GeMUN experience and eagerly anticipate welcoming you to our courtroom in February.

Yours faithfully,
Emma and Elisabetta



LETTER FROM THE HEADS OF STAFF AND SECURITY

Honorable Participants, fellow Officers and Delegates, esteemed Visitors, indispensable Staff, Press, and Security,

After months of dedicated effort, we are delighted to extend a warm welcome to Genoa Model United Nations 2024. As GeMUN has become a cherished tradition in our city, our goal is to unite all of you and create an environment that feels like a home away from home—a space for sharing thoughts, opinions, and cultures.

To be part of GeMUN as members of the staff and security is to serve as the essential framework of a complex structure. Challenges, responsibilities, and issues are not burdens for us, as we have learned in our careers to collaborate and work together to overcome the toughest difficulties. Indeed, facing problems as a team can strengthen us and contribute to personal growth.

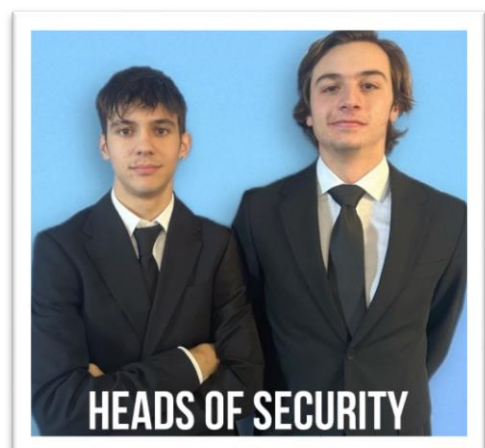
Our primary concern is your safety, and over these three days, we will do everything in our power to ensure that everything unfolds smoothly. Our team members will always be available to assist you with any problems or inconveniences while efficiently coordinating the sessions. However, our efforts began well before the conference, with months of preparation during which our groups met weekly to meticulously work on every detail of GeMUN. From the information in the handbook to the materials you will use during the conferences in the beautiful palaces of Genoa's city centre, every aspect received careful attention. It has required a significant amount of hard work to bring this event to fruition, and we sincerely hope you will savour every moment of this incredible experience.

Our heartfelt thanks go to each GeMUN attendee, especially our MUN directors Eduardo Losada Cabruja and Daniele Orlando, for instilling in us the understanding that success is earned through hard work and dedication. Moreover, we are honoured to collaborate with Secretary General Matteo Marinucci.

Last but not least, we extend special recognition to our fellow staff and security, without whom this project would not have been possible.

Yours faithfully,

Vittoria Lazzaretti, Giorgia Rocca, Samuele Frustaglia, Gabriele Corsi



LETTER FROM THE HEADS OF PRESS

Esteemed Participants, Officers, Delegates, and hardworking members of the Press, Security, and Staff,

As the Heads of the Press Team for GeMUN 2024, we, Lucrezia Tealdo and Arturo Signorelli, extend our sincere gratitude and appreciation to all involved in the orchestration of this 21st session themed 'Generation NEXT.'

Our dedicated team of approximately twenty members, including Reporters and Photographers, has tirelessly worked to produce the GeMUN newspaper, update social media platforms, and create compelling visual content. Additionally, we have taken on the responsibility of overseeing the graphic elements of GeMUN, ensuring the aesthetic coherence of the event.

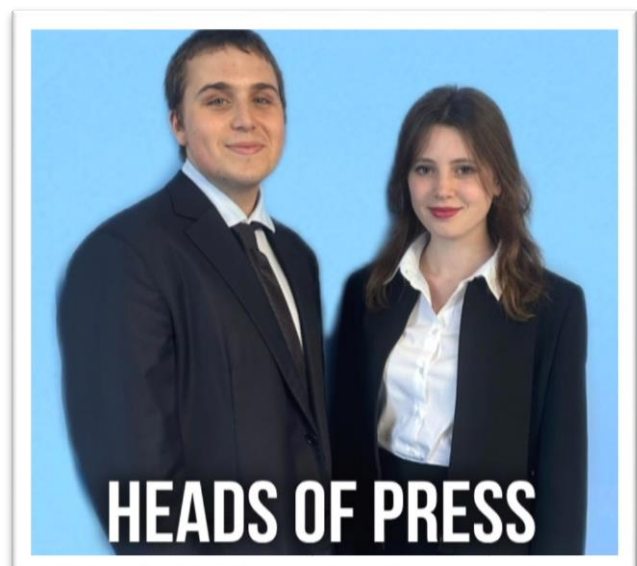
We wish to express our deepest thanks to the MUN Directors, Secretary-General Matteo Marinucci, and the entire Secretariat for their fundamental role in GeMUN's success. The tireless efforts of the Staff and Security personnel have not gone unnoticed, and we are grateful for their commitment to the seamless execution of this event.

Our collective journey at GeMUN is a testament to the collaborative spirit that defines this international gathering. We extend our appreciation to all participants for contributing to the success of GeMUN 2024.

With utmost dedication and anticipation, we look forward to capturing and sharing the essence of this memorable event.

Best regards,

Arturo and Lucrezia



GENOA

Genoa is sincerely honoured to host an important event such as GeMUN and, at the same time, students from the whole world are lucky to have the opportunity to spend some days in our beautiful city.

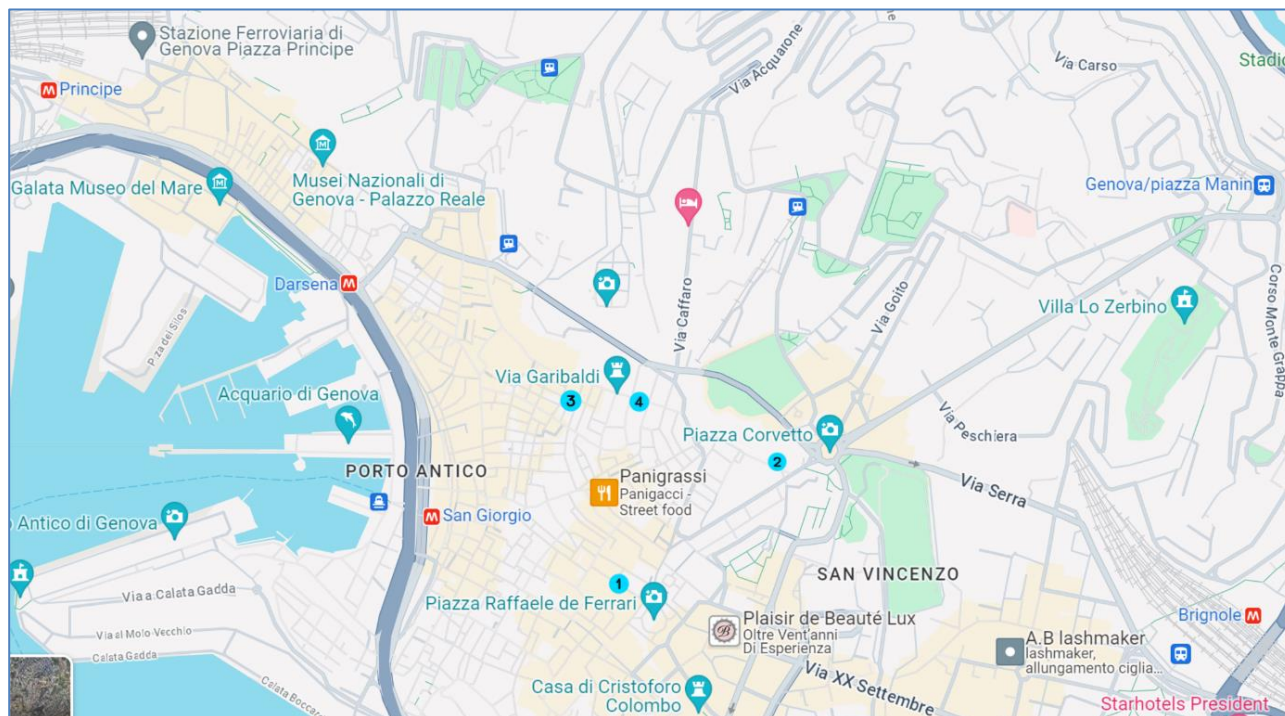
One of the most important ports on the Mediterranean Sea, Genoa is symbolised by its lighthouse: the landmark of the city; the aquarium, the largest in Europe; and the characteristic narrow streets, known as the "Caruggi" in the local dialect.

In Genoa, food plays an important role. If you want to eat the best focaccia in the world, go to Mario in Via San Vincenzo, in the centre. Instead, if you prefer dessert, you can take a walk in Corso Italia until you reach Boccadasse, where you can taste a delicious ice cream looking at the sea.



MAP OF GENOA

Genoa's city center is a UNESCO world heritage site and, as already said, one of the most underrated cities in Italy. It has many marvellous attractions, from palatial baroque churches to incredible sea-side promenades and most people underestimate the true value of the city. Visit the website <https://www.visitgenoa.it> to learn about all the museums, churches, and palaces to visit in Genoa while you take part in GeMUN.



- 1 Palazzo Ducale
- 2 Palazzo Doria-Spinola (Prefettura)
- 3 Palazzo Tursi
- 4 Camera di Commercio

On the map, the subway system is marked with the letter "M". There is also a stop in "Piazza De Ferrari", where Palazzo Ducale is located. The subway system connects Piazza De Ferrari with the two biggest railway stations in the city: Genoa Piazza Principe and Genoa Brignole. There are also some of the most beloved tourist attractions, for instance Via Garibaldi or Christopher Columbus' house. While tourists mainly come to see these attractions, there are many that are not marked on the map. As already said, we recommend visiting the website <https://www.visitgenoa.it> if you'd like to visit this wonderful city.