

SOVEREIGN MILITARY HOSPITALLER ORDER OF ST. JOHN OF JERUSALEM OF RHODES AND MALTA

PERMANENT OBSERVER MISSION TO THE UNITED NATIONS OFFICE AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS IN NEW YORK



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Conor currently serves as a Diplomatic Trainee to the Permanent Observer Mission of the Sovereign Order of Malta to the United Nations in New York City. He is a third year undergraduate student at the University of Miami in Florida, where he pursues his Bachelor of Sciences degree in International Studies and his dual-minor in Marketing and Sport Administration.

A graduate of Oratory Preparatory School, in Summit, New Jersey, Conor spearheaded the establishment, recruitment and all philanthropic activities of the Sovereign Military Order of Malta's First American Cadet Core, serving as the Commanding Officer. Within that role, he raised over two-thousand dollars on two separate fund-raising occasions on behalf of the Holy Family Hospital in Bethlehem, Palestine, financially supporting young Palestinian pregnant women unable to access proper care at the time of delivering their unborn babies.

Conor, at his university, is currently the Public Relations Chair of the University of Miami's International Relations Association, where he is responsible for creating, posting and monitoring social media content across each major platform. At the start of his Fall Semester he will assume the role of co-President where his main objective is to grow the club's overall member total as well as implement his 'three events per school year' plan including events such as philanthropic charitable donation activities, an athletic tournament and a networking event in order to heighten engagement within the club overall.

In his role as Diplomatic Trainee, Conor has contributed to the overall 'behind-the-scenes' work of the Mission. A few of his tasks include drafting and submitting thorough reports to the Sovereign Council on the meetings he attends at the United Nations Security Council on a daily basis, keeping all social media platforms up to date including the official Mission webpage, as well as contributing to weekly event planning,