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# JOIN US

The United Nations Association of Australia is a non-profit, non-government organisation, which endeavours to inform, inspire and engage all Australians regarding the work, goals and values of the UN to create a safer, fairer and more sustainable world.

Established in 1946, the UNAA engages Australians in the important work of the UN, through education projects, speaker events, advocacy campaigns and model UN competitions.

UNAA members come from all areas and walks of life — age, education levels and employment histories aren't important. What brings them together is a shared interest in the work of the United Nations and in trying to make the world a better place.



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## OUR WORK

Given the enormity and complex issues without borders that affect us all, such as climate change, food security and nuclear disarmament, the work of the UN has never been more important. You may even be surprised to learn about the crucial role the UN plays in enabling our modern globalised world to operate through its specialised agencies.

The UNAA plays a key advocacy role in encouraging the Australian government to stick to its international commitments, be a good global citizen and to support the efforts of the UN. This is done through a variety of avenues including our UN Parliamentary Group, Academic Network and National Office efforts.

As well as our Divisions which have a presence in every Australian state we operate a Young Professionals Network mainly for 25-35 year olds, and UN Youth Australia mainly for 15-25 year olds.

## WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT AS A MEMBER

Besides being an excellent way to show your support for the UN, you get access to our special events and activities. These are a great way to connect with like-minded citizens as well as high-profile UN officials, diplomats, politicians and academics. We hold regular meetings for members, which provide an opportunity to be updated about news from the UN and what the UNAA is doing around Australia. You are also subscribed to our fortnightly newsletter, Unity News. To be elected onto any of our working committees or boards you must be a member.

### BECOME A MEMBER TO:

#### **Learn.**

Receive invitations to regular events, meetings, seminars and discussions on current and important global issues.

#### **Meet.**

Attend networking opportunities with recognised leaders from government, academia, community and the United Nations.

#### **Share.**

Obtain an opportunity to share your views with like-minded individuals in a non-partisan framework.

#### **Get informed.**

Receive regular UN news updates and materials on national and international affairs.

#### **Respect.**

Gain membership of an esteemed international organisation founded in 1946.

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