Dear supporter,

In 2012, we continued to make great strides in our mission of bringing the world to New Hampshire. We hosted hundreds of emerging international leaders for award-winning professional development programs, fostering cultural connections that will last a lifetime and expanding our state’s global competency. We also created international understanding by presenting dozens of programs on the most critical issues facing the world with the brightest minds in foreign policy at venues across the state.

Most importantly, we helped the next generation of leaders prepare for a global future by bringing international delegations and foreign policy experts into local schools, sending four teachers to Turkey to enrich social studies curriculum and offering the northern-most Model UN conference in the state.

We hope you enjoy reading more 2012 highlights inside this report!

Thank you for your continued support.

Kathryn Muirhead & Anna Berry

President (top left) Executive Director

“It was a great experience to look through “the eyes” of another country and act on their behalf.”

- Student at the 2012 Plymouth Model UN Conference (above)
Building Global Knowledge & Understanding

- More than 1,000 people around the state have deepened their understanding of world affairs and discussed pressing global issues at our events, including 30 programs in 2012;
- 150 students and teachers gained real-world experience in compromise and diplomacy at the Plymouth Model UN Conference;
- 4 teachers traveled to Turkey and developed curriculum and public programs based on the country’s culture and history to enrich their local schools, thanks to a grant from the Turkish Cultural Foundation.

SPEAKERS

GLOBAL FORUM:
George Mitchell, Former Senate Majority Leader

GLOBAL BUSINESS SUMMIT:
Howard Brodsky, CCA Global Partners

GLOBAL TIPPING POINTS, UNHM:
Jack Matlock, Former Ambassador to the U.S.S.R.
  Frank Cilluffo, Associate VP of George Washington University Homeland Security Institute
  Rajiv Chandrasekaran, Washington Post
  Aaron Snipe, U.S. State Department
  Michael Fairbanks, Harvard Fellow

SEACOAST SPEAKERS & WORLD AFFAIRS LUNCHEONS
Marina Kaljurand, Estonia’s Ambassador to U.S.
  Albrecht Conze, German Amb. to Zimbabwe
  Jennifer Lind, Dartmouth College
  Jenny White, Boston University
  Tim Naftali, Nixon Presidential Library

TURKEY WORKSHOP FOR TEACHERS
Melinda Negron Gonzales, UNHM; Gregory McMahon, UNH

PLYMOUTH MODEL UN CONFERENCE
Nancy Polutan, UNHCR

CROSSROADS FILMS & DISCUSSIONS
James Waller, Keene State College, “Earth Made of Glass”
  Peng Khuan Chong, Plymouth State University, “Position Among the Stars”
  Chris Reardon, UNH, “Last Train Home”
  Thinley Penjore, Druk National Congress, “Killing Time”
  Ayesha Khan, Filmmaker, “Made in Pakistan”
Creating World Leaders &
Global Connections

- 285 visitors were selected as emerging leaders by the U.S. State Department and hosted by WACNH in federal fiscal year 2012;
- 2 delegations from former Soviet Union countries spent 10 days in NH, staying in local homes;
- 137 individuals, businesses and non-profits donated time to exchange ideas with their international counterparts on topics ranging from good governance to freedom of the press;
- 22 people opened their homes to a visitor to share a meal and Granite State hospitality.

Economic Impact on
New Hampshire: $440,000+
“At first, people were interested in representing their own national interests. So, I did not like the UN. But as time goes, people (were) more focused on solving the ultimate problem. I learned patience.”

- A high school student shared insights after the conference

Your support helped make the Plymouth Model UN Conference possible! Thank you!
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A Safer Road to Tomorrow (Bow)
Abi Innovation Hub (Manchester)
Able NH (Concord)
American Medical Response (Manchester)
Americans for Campaign Reform (Concord)
Amherst Middle School
Bakersville Elementary School (Manchester)
Bass for Congress (Concord)
Bishop Brady High School (Concord)
Campus Compact for New Hampshire (Concord)
Capitol Regional Development Council (Concord)
Center for Women’s Business Advancement (Manchester)
Chamberlain Springs, LLC (Alton)
City Government of Franklin (Franklin)
Clean Air - Cool Planet (Portsmouth)
Coalition for Open Democracy (Concord)
Community Development Finance Authority (Concord)
Concord City Government
Concord Monitor
Concord Regional Solid Waste/Resource Recovery Co-Operative (Pennacook)
Concord Young Professionals Network
Congressman Guinta’s Office (Manchester)
Council on Fundraising (Concord)
Cross Current Communications (Portsmouth)
Economic Development Office (Manchester)
Epiphanies, Inc (Gilford)
Girls at Work (Goffstown)
Girls Inc (Manchester)
Goffstown Tax Collector’s Office
Gov. Romney’s Campaign Headquarters (Bedford)
Governor Huntsman’s National Campaign Headquarters (Manchester)
Granite State Clean Cities Coalition (Concord)
Granite State Independent Living (Concord)
Granite State Organizing Project (Manchester)
Green Concord (Concord)
Green Launching Pad (Durham)
Hampshire First Bank (Manchester)
Harold Martin School (Hopkinton)
International Trade Resource Center (Concord)
Intown Concord (Concord)
Josiah Bartlett Center for Public Policy (Concord)
Kuster for Congress (Concord)
Libertarian Party of New Hampshire (Manchester)
Local Government Center (Concord)
Maggie Hassan for Governor (Manchester)
Manchester Chamber of Commerce
Manchester Community College Office of Civic Engagement (Manchester)
Manchester Department of Health
Manchester Fire Department
Manchester Office of Youth Services
Manchester Police Department
Manchester Public Television
Manchester School Board
Manchester School District
Measured Progress (Dover)
Meelia Center for Civic Engagement (Manchester)
Merrimack County Government (Boscawen)
Model UN Club (Manchester)
Nackey Loeb School of Communications (Manchester)
Nashua City Hall (Nashua)
Nashua Telegraph (Hudson)
NeighborWorks Greater Manchester (Manchester)
New England College (Henniker)
New England Women’s Leadership Institute (Nashua)
NH Banking Department (Concord)
NH Bureau of Securities Regulation (Concord)
NH Businesses for Social Responsibility (Concord)
NH Center for Public Policy Studies (Concord)
NH Children’s Alliance (Concord)
NH Coalition Against Domestic and Sexual Violence (Concord)
NH College Republicans
NH Commission for Human Rights (Concord)
NH Cultural Diversity Awareness Council (Manchester)
NH Democratic Party (Concord)
NH Department of Cultural Resources (Concord)
NH Department of Education (Concord)
NH Department of Environmental Services (Concord)
NH Department of Justice (Concord)
NH DES Air Quality Division (Concord)
NH DRED Division of Forests and Lands (Concord)
NH Food Bank (Manchester)
NH League of Women Voters (Concord)
NH Office of Minority Health and Refugee Affairs (Concord)
NH Public Defender’s Office (Manchester)
NH Republicans for Freedom and Equality (Concord)
NH State Police (Concord)
NH State Treasurer (Concord)
NH Traffic Safety Institute (Epsom)
NH Superior Court Center (Concord)
NH Writers Project (Manchester)
NH Young Democrats (Concord)
Obama for America, New Hampshire (Manchester)
Observer Newspaper (Manchester)
Office of Administrative Services (Concord)
Ovide for Governor (Concord)
Pittsfield Youth Workshop (Pittsfield)
Planned Parenthood of Northern New England (Concord)
Portsmouth City Government (Portsmouth)
Republican Party of New Hampshire (Concord)
Rubia, Inc (Warner)
SCORE – Manchester (Manchester)
Senator Ayotte’s Local Office (Manchester)
Small Business Technical Assistance Program (Concord)

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International Visitors Program Resources & Home Hosts

“Hosting foreign visitors in your home is an amazing opportunity to meet with and converse with influential people from many countries. These people are very likely to become leaders, or already are leaders, in their country… The visitors are always grateful for your hospitality. Some may become lifelong friends. It is good for you, good for them, and good for our country.” - Volunteer David Schroeder

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SNHU: Center for Service and Community Involvement; College Democrats; Observer Newspaper; Outing Club; Public Safety (Manchester)
Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests (Concord)
Souhegan High School (Amherst)
St. Anslem College Democrats (Manchester)
St. Anslem College Republicans (Manchester)
Stonyfield Yogurt (Londonderry)
The National Passport Center (Portsmouth)
The NH Center for Non-Profits (Concord)
The NH Institute of Politics (Manchester)
The Town of Bow, NH (Bow)
UNH Co-Operative Extension (Durham)
UNH EcoLine Project (Durham)
Urban Forestry Center (Portsmouth)

US Commercial Service (Durham)
US Federal District Court (Concord)
Vesta Roy Excellence in Public Service Series (Wolfeboro)
Veteran’s Foundation of New Hampshire (Rochester)
Vital Records Administration (Concord)
Warmth from the Millyard (Manchester)
WMUR (Manchester)
Women Inspiring Women (New Hampton)
Women's Bar Association of New Hampshire (Manchester)
Women’s Fund (Concord)
Women's Rural Entrepreneurs Network (Bethlehem)
XO on Elm (Manchester)
YMCA of Greater Manchester (Manchester)
Young Rescuers USA (Manchester)
YWCA Crisis Center (Manchester)

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Young Russian leaders met the Fisher Cats’ mascot, among other new friends, at a baseball game.
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GRANT FUNDING
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International Visitors Program

NH Humanities Council:

Mayer Foundation
2013 International Film Series

Turkish Cultural Foundation:
2012 workshop for teachers, study tour of Turkey and community program on culture and history

Saul O. Sidore Foundation:
2012 Plymouth Model UN & North Country education programs

World Affairs Councils of America:
2012 Spotlight on Turkey; 2013 Future of Korea; 2012 Nuclear Future – Anniversary of the Cuban Missile Crisis; 2013 National Security on a Budget

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“When I visited different states in the U.S., I was really quite impressed with the work of women’s rights groups. It gave me a strength and a motivation that I can also achieve this thing. It seemed to me now that nothing is impossible.”

- Saba Ismail, founder of Aware Girls, a non-profit supporting girls in Pakistan

A group of leaders from Pakistan visited New Hampshire in fall 2012 to exchange ideas about ending domestic and sexual violence against women and children

*Every effort has been made to accurately reflect gifts, membership, sponsorships and funding received in 2012. Please let us know if your name or that of your company, foundation or organization is missing or printed incorrectly.
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**TOTAL INCOME/EXPENSE**  
**NET**

- $194,257
- $19,241

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SNHU student Ryan DeFranzo asks a question at the Global Business Summit. Students can attend most WACNH events free, thanks to donors and members like you!

About the World Affairs Council of New Hampshire

Founded in 1954, the World Affairs Council of NH is a non-profit, non-partisan organization fostering learning, discussion and citizen involvement in world affairs. We are connecting our state with the world by providing educational programs for local citizens, students and teachers, and by hosting international leaders for professional development programs and cross-cultural exchanges here in New Hampshire.
“Because we have the most powerful military force in history, some in our country appear to feel that our rhetoric must be as loud as our weaponry. But the opposite is true: the stronger we are, the less we need to brag about it. At the right time and place American idealism and optimism, combined with patience, understanding, and encouragement, can be valuable weapons in the quest for peace.” - Senator George Mitchell