

Overview

Model Diplomacy is a free classroom simulation of either the U.S. National Security Council or the UN Security Council that takes place in a blended learning environment both online and in the classroom. It presents hypothetical situations based on real issues from the past and present. It has two cases that involve the Americas.

Materials

[Model Diplomacy website](#)

Instructional Plan

Model Diplomacy cases that involve the Americas include:

- [Collapse in Venezuela](#)
Set in June 2018. Venezuela's government defaults on foreign loans, and the ensuing financial panic precipitates a true economic and political collapse.
- [Infectious Disease Outbreak in Colombia](#)
The threat of a potentially large-scale pandemic caused by a mysterious new disease in Colombia has persuaded some governments to impose strict restrictions on trade and travel to South America.