

## Call for applications to Model OSCE Conferences in Vienna/Belgrade

**Deadline:** 24 October 2013

**Open to:** citizens of the [57 OSCE countries](#) age 18-30, fluent in English and interested in international politics

**Venue:** 14-17 January 2014 in Vienna, Austria; summer/autumn in Belgrade, Serbia; and 4-5 December 2014 in Basel, Switzerland

### Description

Switzerland will assume the Chairmanship of the Organisation for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE) in 2014. In accord with the leitmotif "Creating a Security Community for the Benefit of Everyone", Switzerland pursues three overarching objectives:

- fostering security and stability in Europe,
- improving people's lives, and
- strengthening the OSCE and increasing its capacity to take action.

As part of its third objective, Switzerland wants to strengthen the voice of young people and enhance their involvement within OSCE structures. **To achieve this goal, Switzerland will organise a Model OSCE series in which one delegate from each of the 57 OSCE participating States will be invited to participate.**

### Eligibility

They strongly encourage **young people aged 18-30** to submit their applications. Participants **must be citizens of one of the 57 OSCE participating States.**

### Application

**Model OSCE registration is open until October 24, 2013.** After October 24, registrations will only be accepted on a case-by-case basis.

**Please complete the application form:** <http://www.sajv.ch/osce>

Further information on the Swiss OSCE Chairmanship can be found on the:

<http://www.eda.admin.ch/eda/en/home/recent/dossie/osce.html>

The official website is <http://www.sajv.ch/osce/about-model-osce/> for further details.