



Educational Interactive Simulations: Case Study

WHEN A CHINESE CARRIER GROUP ENTERS THE PERSIAN GULF

A CRISIS MANAGEMENT SIMULATION ON US-CHINA RELATIONS

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About Wikistrat

Wikistrat is a consulting firm that provides clients with unique insights based on the collaborative analysis of subject-matter experts.

We do so by running **tailor-made, interactive simulations** that use gamification to promote **engagement, creativity,** and **collaboration** among the participants.

We also operate a **global network** of leading subject-matter experts, which allows us to **harness them for events such as simulations and workshops.**



Founded in
2009



500+
Simulations



A Network of
5,000 EXPERTS



Experts from
100 COUNTRIES

About Wikistrat Educational Simulations

In recent years, we've been using the **collaborative analysis methodology we developed** and the **vast experience** we've gathered from hundreds of simulations to produce educational simulations for leading academic institutions.

Interactive simulations provide a unique opportunity to **learn** about historical and current events from an **invested** and **multidisciplinary** perspective, practice **policy writing**, and develop **critical thinking** and **analytic skills** while **collaborating** with peers overseas and world-leading experts.




Simulation Types


In-Person Event















Virtual Event (Alumni, Donors, Partners)








Historical simulations








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Simulations with a Crowd of Experts

Wikistrat Community Members

66 Wikistrat community members are participating in the simulation

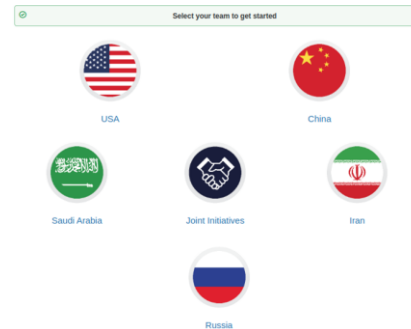
Incorporating Simulations in In-Person Events

The Alexander Hamilton Society (AHS) – The Security and Strategy Seminar (SSS)

The Security and Strategy Seminar (SSS) is a graduate-level seminar focused on distinct challenges to America’s position in the world with an emphasis on policy and cohort-building. In the past couple of years, AHS and Wikistrat have been holding interactive simulations as the climax event of the program.



First, the participants work individually on policy proposals according to the scenario presented to them.



Each team reviews the proposed policies and creates a single policy, which is then presented to all participants during an in-person meeting.



The scenario evolves according to the chosen policies, and the participants collaborate to create updated policies according to both the public and covert information they receive.



The new policies are presented during the final SSS meeting.

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In February 2022, Wikistrat and the Alexander Hamilton Society ran an interactive simulation to explore how the US would interpret a rising Chinese naval presence in the Persian Gulf, the actions that decision makers might take and the downstream consequences of each chosen strategy.

The participants were divided into five groups, each representing one country: USA, China, Iran, Saudi Arabia and Russia.



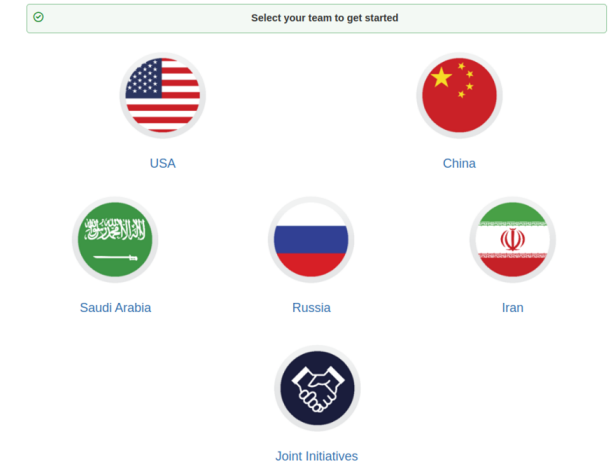
In the first phase of the simulation, the participants worked individually on policy proposals to promote their country’s interests in light of the opening scenario.



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In the second phase of the simulation, which lasted for three days, the participants collaborated on Wikistrat’s interactive platform. They reviewed their teammates’ policies and each team wrote a single policy for its government.



In the three days of the last phase of the simulation, the participants were faced with a second scenario, written according to each team’s policies from the end of Phase II.

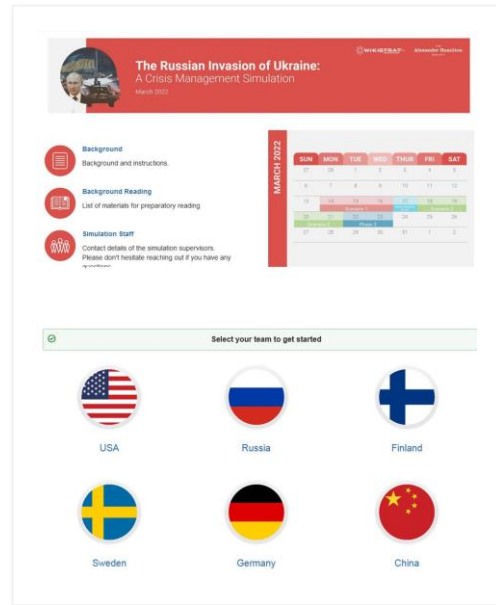
They collaborated on the platform once again to write new policies in light of this.



The event concluded with an in-person meeting, where the teams presented their final policies.



A Bit About the Simulations

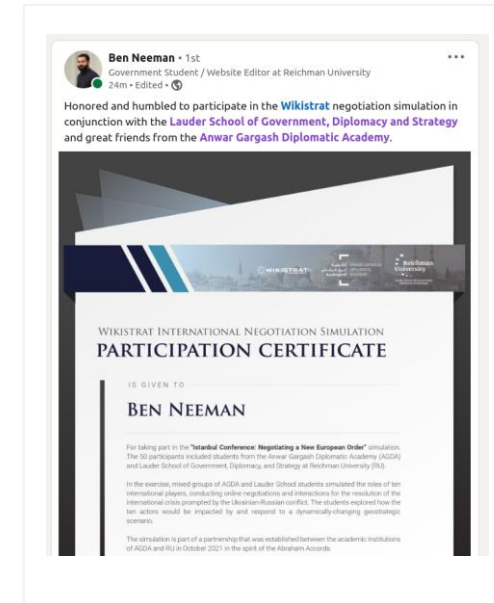
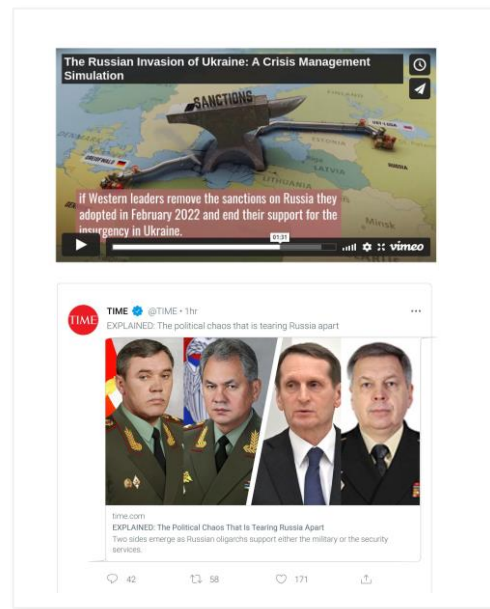


Fun & Easy to Participate

Our intuitive online platform provides a gamified and interactive learning experience.

Immersive Experience

The scenario dynamically changes according to the participants' choices. Accompanying videos, articles, and social media posts make it all come to life.

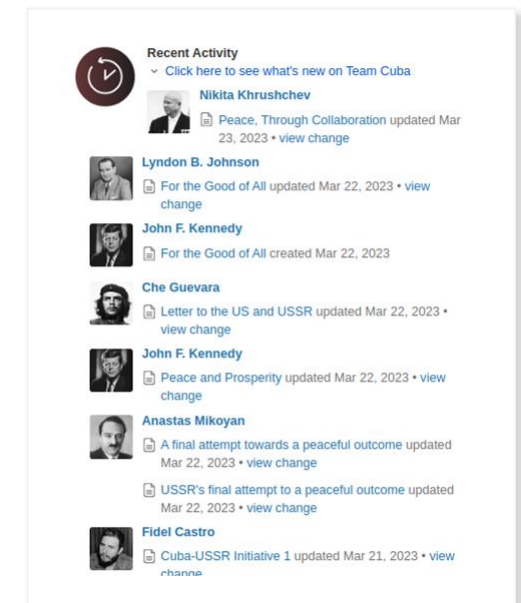


A Unique Networking Opportunity

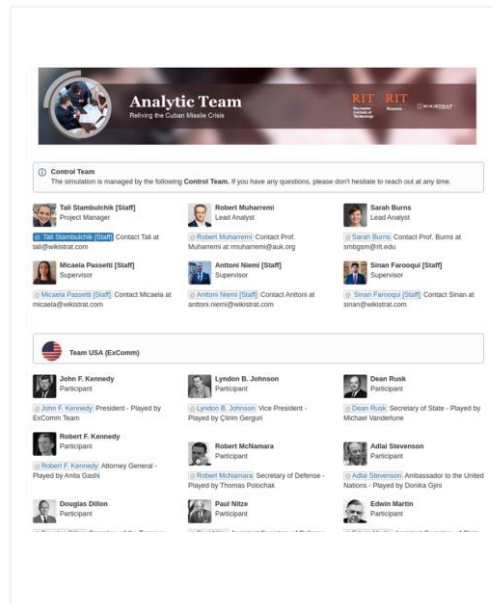
The students have the opportunity to learn from peer feedback and leading experts in the field, collaborate with other schools, and make connections.

Practical Implementation & Employability

The simulations provide an opportunity to implement the acquired knowledge and gain new practical skills. These will serve as a competitive advantage when applying for their first jobs.



A Bit About the Simulations (Behind the Scenes)

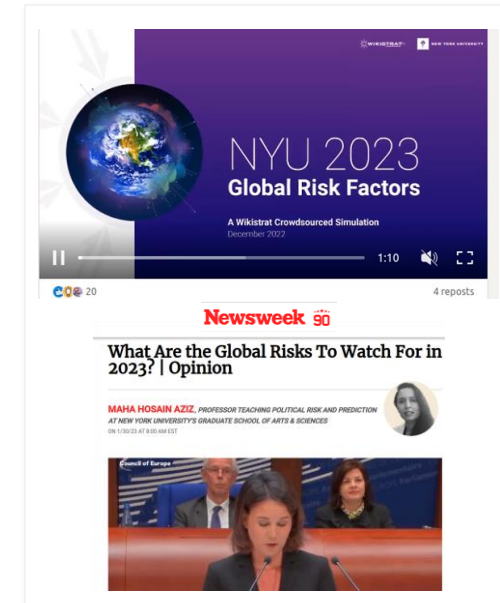
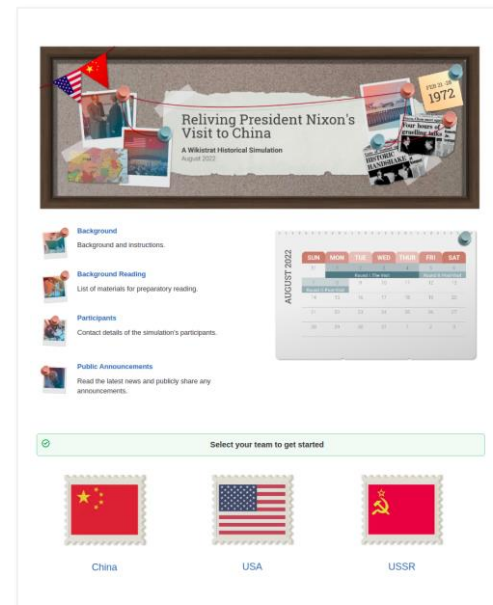


24/7 Supervision

A dedicated team of supervisors provides immediate assistance and sends strategic questions to promote engagement on a daily basis.

100% Customizable

The simulations are tailor-made for your needs and preferences, from design and scenario to additional features.



Marketing Opportunity

The simulations provide an opportunity to collaborate with other leading institutions, contribute to the institution's branding, and raise the attractiveness for potential students.



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