

## WMGIC X NATO Countering Disinformation Challenge November 1, 2024





## Join hundreds of undergraduate students from NATO Member & Partner Nations!

**What:** A virtual zoom case challenge competition hosted by NATO's Public Diplomacy Division and William & Mary's Global Innovation Challenge (WMGIC). Students will propose a solution to a specific problem while considering NATO's existing capacity and what actions NATO should implement within the next 12 months.

**Who:** Teams of 3-5 undergraduate students from a university located in a NATO Member or Partner Nation. All nationalities welcome. No prior knowledge or prerequisites needed!

**How:** Student teams will receive a detailed case study prior to the start of the challenge. Mentors with backgrounds in government, industry, academia, and more will guide students as they discuss and deliberate their proposed plan of action. Panels of expert judges will evaluate the proposals and select one winner from each stream (topic area).

**Why:** We believe in students with creative perspectives. Our innovative ideas can and will change the world.



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All competitors will be published by NATO's Cooperative Cyber Defence Centre of Excellence.

Each winning team receives a \$500 prize from WMGIC.

## **Competition Streams Include:**



Artificial Intelligence



Clean Energy



Climate Security



Gender Based Violence



Human Rights



Public Health



Russia Ukraine War



Terrorism