
My Time at the Woodrow Wilson House

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Working At WWH



Some of My Projects:

- Reaching out to organizations for events.
- SEO market research.
- Create a QR code sheet of all available tours.

Personal Research:

When the League of Nations transitioned into the United Nations it didn't fix its fundamental issue.

Wilson's Vision



Origin

- Formed in the aftermath of WWI
- Based on Wilson's 14 points
- Signed at the Paris Peace Conference in 1919

Globalism

- First multinational intergovernmental organization
 - Promised multilateral cooperation and security
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UNITED NATIONS CHARTER



ESTABLISHED
JUNE 26, 1945

Downfall of the League: Rise of the UN

League dissolution

- The League persisted into WWII with reduced operations
- Officially dissolved and replaced at Tehran

UN's formation

- Formed out of the dissolved League
 - Actually included the US this time
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New Boss Same as the Old Boss



Ethiopian Plea

- Emperor Selassie requested for the League to fulfill its promise of collective security
- Instead they only applied some loose sanctions

Ukraine Invasion

- President Zelensky called for a similar promise at the 77th general assembly
 - Instead they approved a “non-binding” resolution asking Russia to stop
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Where Do We Go From Here?

Not war

Like cutting off your nose to spite your face

Continue sanctions

But with a twist

Potentially cut freeze infrastructure?

Things like trade routes, limit UN voting power, etc.

Thank you again to the WWH



Mentor

- Thank you very much Ed Gerber for becoming a long term contact
- It never hurts to have a historian's quoted

The Staff

- Thank you everyone for showing me the different facets of Historical House management
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Thank you!
