



United Nations Activity Report

The third annual celebration of [International Nurses Day at the United Nations](#) was held on 10 May 2019 at the United Nations headquarters in New York, NY, United States.

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I was one of three Sigma United Nations liaisons to attend this event.

This half-day event honors the outstanding global contributions of nurses and consisted of lunch and a panel presentation and the ability to network.

Discussion centered around [Sustainable Development Goal #13](#) specifically and the health challenges that are caused by climate change. Climate change is very important and is currently on more nurses' radar as an issue that we need to become educated about and involved in changing to reduce health issues that result from it.

International Nurses Day at the UN was live-streamed on Facebook. You can [watch the video here](#).