



Welcome to UN Expo 2017!

Dear fellow collector,

It is a thrill to welcome you to our website and this inaugural Chairman's message. Its purpose being to keep you posted on all of the details you need to know about UN Expo 17.

The exhibition, to be held Friday and Saturday, October 27-28, 2017, at the American Philatelic Center, home of the American Philatelic Society and the American Philatelic Research Library, in Bellefonte, Pennsylvania. Bellefonte is a lovely Victorian style, town situated in Central PA, approximately 10 miles north of State College, home to Penn State University and the Nittany Lions, and a couple of miles south of US Interstate 80.

The show will feature a dealer bourse, interesting and interactive presentations on UN-related philatelic topics, and a World Series of Philately (WSP) exhibit competition of over 100 frames, featuring UN and UN-related material from around the world. This is the first and only occasion where an all UN-themed exhibition has been awarded WSP status, with exhibitors vying for the opportunity to win the competition and then compete in the Annual APS Champion of Champions exhibition at the APS StampShow in August 2018.

We hope you plan to participate as an exhibitor, collector, or volunteer and experience the best UN philately has to offer! We are currently working with several hotels in the area to secure exceptional rates for the days of the exhibit. More information will follow as those plans are finalized.

Whether you are coming to buy material, learn about the wonderful and diverse field of UN stamps and postal history collecting, or are anxious to view thousands of pages of top notch UN material in the exhibition, UN Expo 17 promises to have something for everyone.

Please let us know what interests you in helping to make this show a huge success. Email us anytime at [UNExpo17@unpi.com](mailto:UNExpo17@unpi.com). I hope to see you soon at this once-in-a-lifetime event.

Greg Galletti,  
Chairman, UN Expo 17