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Dear delegates, Student Officers, Advisors, and the Executive Committee of the Turkish International Model United Nations,

I would like to begin this speech by saying that it's a great **privilege** for us to serve as the ambassador for the delegation of Ecuador in TIMUN 2024.

The theme "The Uncertain Future of Traditional Industries: Labor in the Digital Economy," underscores a **critical** transformation in shaping our global landscape, requiring prudent actions to serve all humanity.

As digital innovations disrupt industries and labor markets, Ecuador recognizes that many economies, particularly those dependent on traditional sectors, are at a **crossroads**. This has provided both progress and profound challenges, from rising inequalities to a widening digital divide. For developing countries like Ecuador, these increase the risk of leaving vulnerable populations behind, undermining our societies, and destabilizing efforts to promote equitable growth.

Ecuador's approach is utterly committed to tackling these issues. We aim to protect the livelihoods of workers displaced by technological advances and promote access to digital tools to enhance marginalized communities. Whether addressing the regulatory challenges of the gig economy or advocating for fair trade in digital industries, Ecuador is determined to ensure **sustainable solutions** are found for the nations deprived of the opportunities this new era offers.



As the delegation of Ecuador, we hope that this conference will provide an **effective** way to address this issue and we look forward to contributing to this fruitful conference. Thank you.