

Topic: The UN's Struggle to fulfil its  
Mandate: Assessing Barriers and Seeking  
Solutions

## Outline

### 1. Introduction

a. Maintenance of global peace and prosperity

b. Role of the United Nations Organization in shaping global <sup>peace</sup> dynamics

c. Thesis statement.

### 2. Paving Way Towards Perpetual Peace: Formation of The UN

a. Two world wars of 20<sup>th</sup> century and charter of the UN

### 3. Failures of The UN - Dilemmas of 21<sup>st</sup> Century

a. Struggling to maintain global peace

Evidences: War on terror, the USA-Iraq War, Wars in Yemen, Syria and Russia-Ukraine War

b. Failure in resolving potential conflicts and expansion of nuclear power

i. Unresolved Kashmir Issue

ii. Israel-Palestine conflict and Iran's nuclear programme.

c. Rising global food crisis

i. Food crisis post Covid-19

d. Not any potential success in mitigating global warming



- i) Unsuccessful Kyoto Protocol
- ii) Struggling Paris Agreement
- iii) Continuous rising temperature and extreme weather conditions yet unable to reduce fossil fuel emissions

e. Exacerbating humanitarian crisis globally

- i. Humanitarian crisis in Gaza

## Assessing Barriers for the UN to Fulfill its Mandate

a. Mere tool of Global great Game

- i. Influence of the United States of America

b. Veto power - a curse for the UN

c. Evolving concept of security: a challenge for the UN

- i. Non-conventional warfare and cyber attacks

d. Changing dynamics of communication media - barrier for the UN

- i. Propaganda warfare on social media hinders peace process



e. Global alliances - interest based decisions

i. The UN security Council resolutions

f. Surge in extremist sentiments world-wide; potential challenge for the UN

i. Islamophobia and numerous terrorist organizations

g. Global North-South divide: anti-capitalist views increasing globally

h. Corruption in the UN; threat to its mandate

## Solutions for Betterment of the UN to Fulfil its Mandate

a. Need to re-view veto power system

b. Neutral approach in resolving regional as well as global conflicts

i. Fulfilment of article-33 of the UN Charter in letter and spirit

c. Potential strategies to deal with 8<sup>th</sup> fifth generation warfare, peacefully

d. Utilization of superintelligence to fulfil significant tasks

## Conclusion