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In general terms, the hey-day of UK FtF Diplomacy was from the mid-80s to the mid- 90s. Occasional Manninger occurred when a UK Con was hosting a EDC or a WDC, but by and large the FtF Tournaments declined sharply after 2000. Nick Kinzett's article reprinted below in this issue is a pretty good analysis of why the decline happened. There were also regional trophies from time to time Laconnection on the Control of the C Rester MCattlora flyets itetégra rathle Manionologie, gliplo marthe nontalers italienet (om 66 W DOI 20 1472 i processor), (qui ob aéstév thédastroizeable éviélognacytton macheoutrico the lékeville 1820 (là) pastir Fole De Bomac to Picapies t devenu partie intégrante de la ManorCon, donnant naissance à la fois au championnat de diplomatie [Addingekminthe or authors enmationer according to the continue of the continu 2004 Enthe Gardheathat Mastarania Pate 1995 Massaran Abanda Barbaran Barbaran Abanda Marataran Barbaran Abanda Barbaran vous pouviez faire partie du tournoi même si vous ne jouiez gu'un seul tour - et de l'ajout d'une compétition par équipe. est allé plus loin pour motiver le joueur d'un tour. ManorCon était aussi Mid Contant the MD Coportante que MidCon et se tenait en été - ce qui aide toujours. Les joueurs inconditionnels de Diplomatie ont joué aux deux. De 1986 à 1994, chaque ManorCon comptait plus de 100 joueurs jouant à Diplomacy, pendant au moins un tour. As far as | can tell, the first UK National Diplomacy Championship that actually called itself that was held at MidCon III in 1981 and was won by David Long (out of a field of 63 players The spike in the Whater of prayers in 1993 is because the number includes those who played in regional qualifiers for the NDC, even if they did not attend the finals at MidCon. This was a result of the efforts of John Dodds, a hobby oldtimer, sadly no longer with us. At the prompting of Neil Kendrick, who had pushed the lideas refore NAC with registral qualifiers inabjection. Ithen Dapids (Ithe TSN an amentic Rifection) therew high are district the vide a with continuous across. The cide of that 1998 report that the die of ED control the second time (and quaglifying starge vand reifinal over two days at MidCon. To take part in the final you would have to prequalify by either (

- a) being a previous NDC Champion,
- (b) having come in the first 7 at the previous years NDC,

Permankal) in the among the best 21 players at Manorcon who would also be pre-qualified or https://diplomania-gen.fr/dokuviki/doku.php?id=playground:en:history the rise and fall of ftf. diplomacy in the uk&rev=1720768865 (e) qualify at a latecomers round to be held on the Friday evening of MidCon.

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Regional tournaments would be a single round, either at a con or housecon in the nine mont leading up to MidCon, the game terminating in 1911. You could play in more than one regional tournament. If you don't pre-qualify for the NDC then you can still play at MidCon, but if you win you will only collect the MidCon Trophy, not the NDC itself. Regional qualifiers were announced for Exeter, Oxford, Burton on Trent, Brighton, Birmingham and Nottingham (all held within other games cons) and other housecons were also added soon thereafter.