

Hello Fourth Committee Delegates.

My name is David Willis and I will be your chair for Midwest Model United Nations 48th conference. I would like to take some time to tell you a little bit about myself. I am a senior at the University of Missouri, majoring in political science. I plan on going on to law school upon completion of my bachelor's degree. I have been involved in Model UN for four years now. This will be my 4th year as a part of MMUN and my second on staff. Last year I served as the legal for the CCPCJ committee. I have also attended several other conferences around the country including two years as a chair at the national conference in New York.

It is very important that you come to conference prepared. The staff has put together wonderful background guides to serve as a foundation for your research. Use the guides to get started but not as your only resource. There is a lot of readily available information out there on the topics that we are discussing. I also want to encourage you to try and think outside the box when developing solutions to these world problems. Model UN should be a fun and educational experience, but the only way in which this is accomplished is by coming to conference fully prepared.

I hope that your preparation goes well for conference; it is just a few weeks away now. If there is anything that I can help you with, now or at the conference please feel free to get in touch. I will do my best to get back to you as quickly as possible.

I would also like to encourage any and all of you to apply for staff for MMUN 49. We are always looking for solid, dependable people to help us out. It has been one of the most rewarding decisions of my life. I look forward to meeting all of you in February.

Sincerely,

David Willis

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