



The common layout of position papers is a minimum of two pages for each topic discussed in the Committee, single-spaced, with size 12, Times New Roman or Arial font.

- Should the committee have more than two discussion topics, the papers must be merged into a single document. It is expected that they are in .pdf format
  - The position paper should not be more than 6 pages in total.
- Position Papers start with a header stating the country being represented, the committee, the topic, the Name of the Delegate and the school or university he/she is representing, along with an official emblem/flag of your country.
- The position paper gives the committee chair a first impression of your delegation.
  - Generally, Chairs look for original and critical thinking, a true understanding of the position of your respective country on the topic in hand and how the specific stance will be on certain issues presented within the topic.
- Your position paper should include clearly a brief Background into the topic and how it links to your respective country, followed by an analysis of past actions taken by your country regarding your topic, Current Policy of your country and present actions it has taken regarding your topic this can be followed by points your country would like to include in a resolution. Note a conclusion is optional.
- Remember during debate, a good position paper will also help you to stick to your country's policies.
  - Try not to let your proposals become lost in a sea of information. For speechmaking, create a bulleted list of your proposals along with your most important facts and statistics so that you will not lose time looking for them during the debate.
- Delegates should use the Official Template and examples as the basis of their position paper.
- According to MUNI study regulations, Plagiarism and extensive use of AI, i.e. passing off other people's ideas as your own and taking over other authors' ideas without attribution, will not be tolerated at any circumstances.
  - Plagiarized position papers will be discarded, and the delegates will be heavily penalized according to measures taken by the Secretary General or Faculty Advisors.
  - All outside work should be cited according to APA, MLA or Chicago Citation models.
- Completed Position Papers should be shared to by email to your respective Chairs with the the following title: Position paper - Name of the Committee - Name of the represented country by the deadline of **April 5th 2024!**

Any Questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us at [masarykmun@gmail.com](mailto:masarykmun@gmail.com)!