

Southern Regional Model United Nations

# Chair / Rapporteur Application

Due in conference services before the end of the first session on Thursday night



Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
School: \_\_\_\_\_  
Country: \_\_\_\_\_  
Committee: \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact information: \_\_\_\_\_

I am applying for:     \_\_\_ Chairperson  
                              \_\_\_ Rapporteur  
                              \_\_\_ Either

Please list your Model United Nations experience, including conferences or events where you served on staff or as a delegate:

<u>Conference Name</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Committee</u>	<u>Delegation</u>	<u>Position (delegate, chair, etc.)</u>
<i>Ex: SRMUN</i>	<i>2007</i>	<i>GA Plen</i>	<i>Brazil</i>	<i>Head Delegate</i>

Please answer the following questions:

1. What are the most important qualities for a chair or rapporteur, and how do you personify these qualities?
2. What role should the chairperson or rapporteur play in the committee?
3. What is the importance of the rules of procedure in Model United Nations?
4. Why do you wish to be a chair or rapporteur?

FOR CHAIR APPLICANTS:

A delegate makes a motion to change the speakers' time. This is the fifth motion to change the speakers' time that has been made, and all previous motions have failed, so you rule the motion dilatory. The delegate motions to appeal the decision of the chair – how do you handle this?

FOR RAPPORTEUR APPLICANTS:

Ten proposals come to the dais at the same time for consideration by the Director and Assistant Director. Delegates are also approaching the dais during caucus to be added to the speakers' list and questioning you about the progress made on their proposals. How do you manage your role?