

Position Paper Rubric

Standard	Expectation	Feedback/Score
Background	The position paper provides the necessary and specific details to form a cohesive context for the committee topic. It includes historical background and/or the current situation. It highlights key issues that require prioritization during committee session.	/10
Past Action	If applicable, include past actions taken by the UN (or alternative organization, as specified in background guide). Detail their significance as well as efficacy in addressing the topic at hand.	/10
Solution	The position paper proposes a cohesive solution, addressing one or more of the issues outlined in the topic background guide. Proposed solutions are realistic and viable.	/10
Stance /Accuracy	The position paper accurately reflects the delegation's current position and/or policies on the topic and provides supportive reasoning.	/10
Style	The position paper should be written cohesively, avoiding redundancy, using formal diction as well as proper grammar.	/5
Sourcing	The sources used are reliable and provide ample information to inform the delegation's position and allow for committee engagement.	/5
Formatting	The position paper follows all formatting guidelines: Double-spaced, Times New Roman, Chicago-style with footnote citations for in-text.	/5
Final Score:		/45