



AD-HOC COMMITTEE OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

The Ad Hoc Committee of the Secretary-General is designed to give experienced delegates a unique and exciting experience. The committee itself will remain secret until shortly before conference when the background guide is released. Delegates will be forced to think creatively and quickly, and crisis skills will be continuously tested. As the flagship committee of ChoMUN XXIV, the Ad Hoc will be home to high caliber debate and strive to create the most innovative crisis experience on the circuit.

BACKGROUND GUIDE

MAX JOHNSON

CHAIR

Max Johnson is a Math major at the University of Chicago, planning to pursue academic research in the field. He has helped run UChicago's High School MUNUC conference, has competed on the UChicago Travel Team, and is excited for his fourth year in ChoMUN. Outside of Academics, he is an avid rock climber and binges a potentially unhealthy amount of Netflix. He is incredibly excited to chair the Ad Hoc of ChoMUN XXIV, and can be reached at mmj@uchicago.edu.

ISSAC KAMBER

CRISIS DIRECTOR

Isaac Kamber is a third year in the College, studying Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations and Geographical Sciences. He asserts his majors will translate into valuable career skills, but in practice, they've just made him embarrassingly good at online map quizzes. He hails from New Jersey and Colorado. Isaac is returning to ChoMUN after serving as a Chair for Richard Branson's Virgin Group at ChoMUN XXIII, Crisis Director for The Court of Alexander the Great at ChoMUN XXII and staffing the Soviet Rezidentura at ChoMUN XXI as an Assistant Chair. Outside of ChoMUN, Isaac is the Chief Operating Officer for MUNUC, UChicago's high school MUN conference, where he frequently wonders how and why he was given a position of authority. Isaac also competes with UChicago's MUN team. In the 17 minutes a day not spent doing MUN stuff, Isaac works as a Research Assistant for the Center for Spatial Data Science pretending that he knows STEM. Feel free to reach out with any questions to ikamber@uchicago.edu

EMILY YOUNG

CRISIS DIRECTOR

Emily Young is a third year in the College majoring in Public Policy and Political Science with a specialization in education policy. She is from New York City - home of better bagels and pizza than Long Island, and an MTA that sometimes works. However, when not attending UChicago, she lives in London and likes to pretend to understand Britain despite not being British herself. Emily is excited to be an executive at her fourth and final ChoMUN, after being an Experienced Assistant Chair for Cult of the Dead Cow at ChoMUN XXIII, Crisis Directing the Ottoman Imperial Harem at ChoMUN XXIII, and serving as an Assistant Chair for Eleanor Roosevelt's East Wing at ChoMUN XXI. Outside of ChoMUN, Emily is a chair for MUNUC, UChicago's Model UN Conference for high school students. Although she spends way too much time on Model UN, Emily also conducts policy research for a think tank on campus and works in a local Chicago Public School. In the free time she has left, Emily enjoys memorizing the lyrics to pretty much every Broadway musical and drinking an inordinate amount of tea. Emily is thrilled to be a Crisis Director for the Ad Hoc and can't wait to see the delegates navigate this fast-paced and exciting committee! If you have any questions about the committee, or just want to chat about education policy, please feel free to reach out to Emily at eyoung21@uchicago.edu.

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CHRISTIAN METIVIER, SECRETARY-GENERAL

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