

# LETTER FROM THE CRISIS DIRECTOR

Welcome Delegates,

My name is Lillian Sherry and I will serve as the Crisis Director for the Lancastertarians or the *red rose* of the conflict. If you're reading this you are one of the lucky delegates that will be participating in the War of the Roses joint committee! (Or you know me personally and was curious about what I wrote in my letter)

I've been in Crisis committees at HAMUN for three years. As a delegate in 2008 Financial Crisis and Secret Spies committees, and as a staffer for last year's Fall of the Incan Empire. Other than that I did standard committees, one in person and one <gasp> virtually. Last year I was guided by an amazing Crisis Director so I'm excited to take on the role myself this year.

For those who haven't participated in many crisis committees yet, I and our joint committee's staff were once like you! HAMUN has a variety of resources on the website and there's many more online that can help you. You can also email me any remaining questions you have and I will try to get back to you within three business days.

On position papers, our team expects to see work that is free of AI and well thought out. We want to see you embody your character through the writing, since this is Crisis- feel free to write less formally and in a way that makes sense to your character. I particularly enjoy reading papers that are laid out as a character's letter or diary entry but other forms are allowed. Just make sure you are the one writing as no AI is tolerated. The team and I have poured so much into this and would hate to see our work and your time wasted. So please no AI.

MUN is meant to be fun! While awards are nice, they were never the true purpose of MUN, let's embody that in our joint crisis. We already have so much planned for you that we are itching to share, reach out to us if you have any questions so we can best prepare you for February! I am so excited to see how each of you brings your character to life in the joint crisis. Happy writing :)

**Lillian Sherry**

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