

## Reflection Essay

Handwritten with using specific examples and details from the Trial itself. Take your time and write with thoughtful prose, evidence, and discussion of the Trial. This is graded on fully answering the questions with efficacy, do not squander an opportunity here!

### *Attorneys:*

1. The first third of the essay will address these questions:
  - a. Which one of your witnesses presented the most convincing evidence supporting your side of the case? Discuss specific reasons for your opinion.
  - b. Which one of the opposing witnesses presented the most convincing evidence supporting the other side of the case? Discuss specific reasons for your opinion.
2. The second third of the essay will address these questions:
  - a. Which aspects of the simulation were the most helpful to you? Discuss specific reasons for your opinion.
  - b. Which aspects of the simulation could be improved or changed? Discuss specific reasons for your opinion.
3. The final third of the essay will address the following question:
  - a. In your own opinion (as a twenty-first century student), were Chinggis Khan and his descendants uncivilized conquerors and rulers in the 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> centuries? Discuss specific reasons for your opinion.

### *Witnesses and Defendant:*

1. The first half of the essay will address the following questions:
  - a. Which two witnesses on the other side of the case presented the most convincing evidence? Discuss specific reasons for your opinion.
  - b. What was your person's views on Genghis Khan or his descendants? Discuss specific examples and reasons for this.
2. The second third of the essay will address these questions:
  - a. Which aspects of the simulation were the most helpful to you? Discuss specific reasons for your opinion.
  - b. Which aspects of the simulation could be improved or changed? Discuss specific reasons for your opinion.
3. The second half of the essay will address this question:
  - a. In your own opinion (as a twenty-first century student), were Chinggis Khan and his descendants uncivilized conquerors and rulers in the 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> centuries? Discuss specific reasons for your opinion.

### *Jurors:*

1. The first third of the essay will address these questions:
  - a. Which one of the prosecution witnesses presented the most convincing evidence supporting that side of the case? Discuss specific reasons for your opinion.
  - b. Which one of the defense witnesses presented the most convincing evidence supporting that side of the case? Discuss specific reasons for your opinion.
2. The second third of the essay will address these questions:
  - a. Which aspects of the simulation were the most valuable? Discuss specific reasons for your opinion.
  - b. Which aspects of the simulation could be improved or changed? Discuss specific reasons for your opinion.
3. The final third of the essay will address these questions:
  - a. Provide two critiques of the class as a whole or individuals that they could improve upon. Give specific examples.
  - b. Provide two areas of strength of the class as a whole or individuals that they did well during the Trial. Give specific examples.