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Oct 1 - 1, 2016

AFF

Edina SC

Sandra Chen

POINTS

(20-30)

29.0

NEG

Apple Valley CR

Cori Roberts

POINTS

(20-30)

29.1

Winner: Apple Valley CR debating on the Neg Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: Cur

Comments & Reason for Decision:

Aff - very complex case 3 contentions w/ up to 7 points each, full of Stats. Good offensive. Shotgun Approach. Presents herself well.

Neg - insightful cross. methodical. Rapid speaker - I missed first 2 or 3 sentences as my mind adjusted + came up to speed, had to fill in the blanks. Interesting exch. as Aff + Neg discussed what was needed to counter + win. Much to cross apply.

Primary Factors in Decision:

Colonization argument - interesting, however I didn't feel that there was enough linkage to value or enough evidence that Nuclear was the sole or major cause.

Germany argument - Aff proved 40% + 16% gap on existence of Nuclear. No clear evidence that removing nuclear would result in 100% alt energy. Neg, successfully argued that removal of nuke would result in more fossil.

Decision: Neg

Well done by both parties.

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Higgin-Houser,  
Dori

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Apple Valley

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West Des Moines Valley WG

POINTS  
(20-30)

26  
26

NEG

Edina AM

POINTS  
(20-30)

27

✓ Will Golay

✓ Anand Mittal

Winner: Anand Mittal debating on the Neg Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_  
School/Team

Signature: Dori Higgin-Houser

Comments & Reason for Decision:

Will 6:06 solid arguments less evidence overall  
R1 while weathers elite contention backed by solid evidence

"Hard-wired to be racist"  
No evidence provided for this questionable concept

"can't make selfish choices if not free of oppression in the first place", no evidence

- rate of speech more reasonable towards the end

- It was helpful when you moved your computer to the side - it's helpful to see your mouth as you speak

- Speed of speech extremely fast, even when slowed by request, lacked any voice inflection - very monotone  
Suggest less volume of material in favor of less speed & monotone - will improve score

Anand 2:42 7:02 slightly more believable argument

Realism argument believable as presented

argument of realness underlying opponents' argument believable - suggest you use 'self-focused' rather than 'selfish' or another alternate that is more accurate

Impact of waste as major argument point good point

Rate of speech reasonable, undisturbable inflection good, emphasis effective.

Suggest your 'winning' be presented as against the opponents' argument and not opposite - subtle but important to differentiate.

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St Thomas Academy/Visitation SK

POINTS  
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29

Sophia Kuriscak

NEG

Apple Valley KA

POINTS  
(20-30)

29

Kenan Anderson

Winner: Apple Valley KA debating on the NEG Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: [Signature]

Comments & Reason for Decision:

SA  
You needed to make a bigger deal over the  
Shoemaker card in the 2AR. But you did not  
whose deal was better than the 2AR which made  
the point transitions to later. The summary example  
came to a wash.

KA.  
Your rebuttal card was defense was  
the point bases of effective delivery  
overall you had more responses to  
the question in first rebuttal but she  
did blow it up in 2AR said that  
matter

RFD: the general example came back to answer.  
So I cut up value of McDonald's giving  
me more a clear win through some structure  
defense. Also, understand that one has point  
because it did talk about his value and  
examples but he had pretty small answers

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McGinnis, David

West Des Moines Valley

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Apple Valley SA

Serena Abraham

POINTS

(20-30)

27

NEG

Rosemount JS

Jason Senthil

POINTS

(20-30)

25.5

Winner: Aff - AV debating on the Aff Side (Aff for Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_  
School/Team Side (Aff for Neg)  
Signature: [Signature]

Comments & Reason for Decision:

Aff - Why are you reading warming impacts at the end of the case?

Neg ignores the storage argument which takes out his "renewables don't work" arg

The transition time arg is good + better 2nd weighing could be won if here but aff extends the 5-10 year evidence and the pol. attention arg - shift is key to motivating renewables

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AFF

Edina AS

Aiden Swan

POINTS

(20-30)

28

NEG

Lakeville GG

Grace Geertsema

POINTS

(20-30)

28

Winner: LAKEVILLE School/Team debating on the NEG Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win?  
Signature: [Handwritten Signature]

Comments & Reason for Decision:

AC: EVIDENCE IS A LITTLE POWER-TAGGED. WORK ON FINDING MORE PRECISE INFO

NC: TOO MUCH OF THE EV IS GENERIC ABOUT ENV IS IMPORTANT W/O RESPECT TO NUKE POW, NR NEEDED TO BE MORE THOROUGH W/ RESPECT TO SIGNPOSTING AND GROUPING

ZAR: MORE EFFICIENCY IS NEEDED - SPECIFIC WARRANTS WERE NOT EXTENDED, JUST CLAIMS. SOME MORE EV COMP WOULD BE GOOD.

ZAR & ZNR NEED TO COMPARE IMPACTS TO FUTURE GENS & IMMEDIATE HARMS. BOTH LEVEL AS USEFUL. LIKELIHOOD. ONLY ONE IS NOT

ZAR EXTRAPOLATIONS ARE RHETORICALLY ARGUMENTATIVE. DIFF FROM THE [Handwritten] AR

NEG EV IS MORE DIRECTLY COMPARATIVE AND MAGNITUDE OF IMPACT SEEMS HIGHER - AND

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# Pierce-Ramsdell, Hayley

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Edina

AFF

West Des Moines Valley GJ

Gus Johnson

POINTS  
(20-30)

27

NEG

Apple Valley HD

Henry Dikeman

POINTS  
(20-30)

29.5

Winner: Apple Valley HD School/Team debating on the NEG Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: Hayley RR

### Comments & Reason for Decision:

**Gus:** - Speaking fast is fine, but make sure you slow down for AUTHOR names. I would suggest breaking up into several contentions - easier for me to flow and for you to extend.

- If he doesn't make any responses to workers - **DO NOT** ask him in CX!! Just clearly extend it in 1AR and try to outpace with it!!! Now he can say that he has a response ...
- You need **EXTENSIONS** to say that you solve oppression. You make **NONE**.
- Work on signposting and responding directly to the responses he makes against you.
- You need to avoid the line-by-line when he is all over the flow. Focus on WEIGHING the arguments in the round. Otherwise, you remind me of all of his extensions on the flow.

**Henry:** - Good CX skills. Nice.

- The NC itself is solid. The one part that I would be careful ~~about~~ because you only have 1 true Desal solve card... if someone takes out this link to Desal... your done.
- Work on time allocation in the 1NR. Especially on his Extinction OV/"CI" on elites could've been way more efficient. You end up dropping the workers arguments.
- Good 2NR. Make sure that you are linking back to the CR more frequently.
- Honestly... this was the best 2NR that I have seen in a long time - really nice work.
- One thing that would just add to the 2NR is a world's comparison and giving me clearer voters. Exp: lynchpin voters about dropped arguments

**RFD:** I negate. At the end of the round, the sheer amount of dropped argumentation done by the Aff coming out of the 1AR is why it is easy for me to vote Neg. ~~is~~ All the neg had to do was extend desal and link it to a FW to win ... and he did that within the first :30 sec of the 2NR.

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Opatz, Zach

Edina

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AFF

West Des Moines Valley AC

POINTS  
(20-30)

20

Anna Correa

NEG

Lakeville KD

POINTS  
(20-30)

20

Kelby Drogemuller

Winner: Anna Correa debating on the AFF Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? NO

Signature: Zachary Opatz

Comments & Reason for Decision:

<p>NEG argued the environment was more important to protect before people and</p> <p>AFF argued nuclear power was worse for the environment.</p> <p>Strong points</p> <p>professional</p> <p>stumbled over a few words</p> <p>make sure your questions are clear</p>	<p>NEG</p> <p>Strong points</p> <p>professional</p> <p>make sure you ask a question you want answered</p>
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Bernard,

# ROSEMOUNT IRISH INVITATIONAL

Debbie

Apple Valley

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AFF

Edina RM

POINTS  
(20 - 30)

28

Rahil Modi

NEG

West Des Moines Valley JM

POINTS  
(20 - 30)

~~28~~ 29

James Meng

Winner: West Des Moines Valley JM debating on the NEG Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: N. Bernard

Comments & Reason for Decision:

NEG - your argument was presented a little more clearly AND more convincingly.

AFF

especially ~~AC~~ <sup>AC</sup>  
• some of your presentation was hard to understand - not enunciated clearly. I appreciated your sign posts to help me follow.  
• some of your rebuttals did not seem convincing to me - your points were not as strong as the NEG side made

NEG

• arguments laid out clearly, built on each other, clear delivery. Easier to follow your flow and arguments.  
• you clicked your ~~pen~~ <sup>pen</sup> a lot during your closing arguments - this can be distracting  
• clear argument of points



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AFF

Apple Valley TE

POINTS  
(20-30)

29

Trinity Ek

NEG

Edina PS

POINTS  
(20-30)

28

Prasoon Sinha

Winner: Apple Valley TE debating on the Aff Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: Dennis Geertsema

Comments & Reason for Decision:

- AFF
- \* Your AC. Speech is set at a good pace + easy to follow - good job
  - \* Great use of emphasis in your AR2+1 AND would like to hear more of it in your AC
  - \* Good job on pushing your evidence AND extending open arguments

- NEG
- \* Good job on N.C. speech. You emphasize key points really well.
  - \* I thought your rebuttals were weak in your AC speech but did well in your NR.
  - \* However I thought the AR2 C2 was left open too much, the arguments are reasonable
  - \* I would have liked to hear more push on the MIT card as well as cover the structure. But you put up good rebuttals just thought this card ~~could~~ would put up little resistance.

TIP: 1st rounds can be tough reading thru your speech, practice warmups if you didn't already to avoid stumbles

nitpick - I mentioned prior to the round, "out of respect please stand during cross-x, you may sit for your speech if reading from a laptop" - instead you preferred to sit.

SUMMARY Great job by both debaters. This was an excellent round. Not RFD came down to a structural decision as both had two contentions AND the round was pretty even on arguments but not on cover enough ground by the NEG. THANK YOU + Good luck!

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St Thomas Academy/Visitation NW	(20-30)	Edina JR	(20-30)
Nick Weir	28	Jonah Rosenthal	27

Winner: Nick Weir School/Team debating on the Aff Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: Aleezeh

Comments & Reason for Decision:

Aff

Strong constructive

- try to ask questions in ex rather than making statements
- rebuttal on your side was well done, but I would have liked to move on to the neg
- try to conclude by linking to the FW
- overview felt unnecessary, just jump to the flow

Neg

- I was a bit confused on what your first block in response to his observation was saying, clarify before
- the "overview" would have been better placed at the end of the speech
- NR is poorly organized
- I didn't see a lot of links to FW
- good responses but difficult to follow

RFD: Aff did better on FW, some neg arguments didn't seem to link back to the criterion at all

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Ahlstrom, Mark

St Thomas Academy/Visitation

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West Des Moines Valley CT

POINTS

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29.5

Conal Thomas-McGinnis

NEG

Lakeville EH

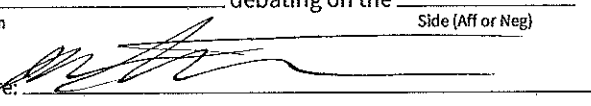
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29

Elliot Harvanko

Winner: WDM CT debating on the Aff Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: 

Comments & Reason for Decision:

How do you know neg ethic is Normative in IAC?  
- good, efficient IAR.

Need cited cards for your factual claims on  
- work on clarity @ speed. a bit slurred  
- You Need some Fw to eval under, sentimentalism leads to litte room. Pk, Fw last. a little different.  
- thinking radiation causes cancer is sufficient in sentimentalism  
- NO! Dont concede sentimentalism comes 1st  
- on to the right arg with skelly believes

Neg concedes way too much on the framework level. This rules out most of the ~~the~~ Neg offense  
Aff effectively extends this

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FoGarty, John  
~~Charrier, Andy~~  
Edina

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AFF

St Thomas Academy/Visitation LW

Lauren Wohlberg

POINTS  
(20-30)

28

NEG

West Des Moines Valley MS

Manasi Singh

POINTS  
(20-30)

29

Winner: Manasi debating on the Neg Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? NO

Signature: Dh. Jant

Comments & Reason for Decision:

Due to time comments are brief

Lauren - Nice opening, clear frame work with citations  
on Cross lack of specifics was not covered adequately.

MANASI - Solid opening, Slim Risk is an opportunity to cover  
"Charroby is not slim"

Debate Hinges on Benefits to all nations:

Argument of financial/developing benefits of  
less developed nations without an alternative  
source of energy (clear alternative) to allow  
development to continue

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Rosenthal,

Barry

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Lakeville AL		West Des Moines Valley AJ	
Alec Loftus	<u>29</u>	Animesh Joshi	<u>28</u>

Winner: Lakeville AL debating on the Aff Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_  
School/Team

Signature: B Rosenthal

Comments & Reason for Decision:

~~Both~~ frameworks were both well developed  
Aff did better job of undercutting Neg FW  
Neg FW of individual right to build a nuc power plant  
seem too rigid

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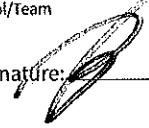
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Megan

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Lakeville

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AFF		POINTS	NEG	POINTS
Apple Valley JB		(20-30)	Edina MK	(20-30)
John Boals		26	Mark Kivimaki	27
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Winner: <u>AV JB</u>	debating on the	<u>Aff</u>	Low point win?	<u>X</u>
School/Team		Side (Aff or Neg)		
Signature: 				

Comments & Reason for Decision:

Aff

I Really wanted another card in the II that makes a better link btwn nuclear Satellites + space debris and trigger happy world powers.

RFD

I would love to negate but the util impacts from the NPR card are too speculative, and Aff impacts are more tied to the empirical debate, so I affirm.  
LPN - Aff was very aggressive in CX

Neg

There have already been conflicts over water; you can find that evidence and have it in the 1st DA - esp given the aff response to the DeSal DA.  
↳ this is important because I really need a better empirical W coming off the NPR card in the 2N.

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You, Josh  
Apple Valley

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AFF

West Des Moines Valley AZ

Annie Zhang

POINTS  
(20-30)

28.5

NEG

Edina OJ

Om Jahagirdar

POINTS  
(20-30)

28.5

Winner: Edina OJ debating on the Neg Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

*Josh You*

Comments & Reason for Decision:

You need to go way harder on why the NC doesn't link to your flow.

Also give me a better reason why the NC impact is improbable.

You're missing a couple of steps with the Parfit argument. Util is the only way to handle identity reductionism because...?

- Thorium stuff needs a CP/ better evidence for why Thorium will replace uranium.

- 2N seems to hint at a PIC here? Kinda weird.

Warming → Extinction.  
Extinction is bad for oppressed peoples.