

ROSEMOUNT IRISH INVITATIONAL

Oct 1 - 1, 2016

AFF	POINTS	NEG	POINTS
Rosemount GC	(20-30)	Edina MI	(20-30)
Grant Cridlebaugh	24	Mythili Iyer	28

Winner: Edina MI debating on the Neg Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_  
 School/Team  
 Signature: Matthew Davis

Comments & Reason for Decision:

*If you want to debate plan/counterplan - then you better read a plan.*

Aff - I like the case, but your cross-ex answers seemed to give up a lot of ground. Be careful in ex. Also, in answering ex questions, I'd recommend pointing to evidence on-case or saying that evidence will be offered if the argument becomes an issue. You make a lot of claims about env. impacts when you don't read any env. ev. in the AC.

CX - I think I'd avoid using the term counterplan in a LD debate typically. While I don't mind the terminology, I don't think it's need here.

IAR - Your approach is very "policy," which is fine, but your arguments are very "blippy" in that they don't have any evidential support. You've got to address her args head-on, not just indirectly. When you make this "future plan" argument, you aren't providing an inherent barrier in the SQ.

Neg - I like your ex questions, but I'd keep praising the Aff's answers when they make evidence-based claims on the w/o the ev. in their AC.

INE - Very solid! I would suggest being a little clearer on your sources (I think you actually missed some authors in your on-case attacks). Otherwise, a solid start!

INR - Good coverage here, but I'd also recommend crystallizing the debate into voting issues at the end of the speech. Be careful how you address his claim that you are just banning in the future, as he is making this a big issue.

RFD: The aff gets stuck on this plan vs counterplan debate, when (if we're going to use policy terminology) is actually plan vs. inevitability/Inherency debate. The neg does a better job directly engaging with the aff case, while the aff seems to avoid direct clash by the use of analogies ("just b/c a country wants something d/a make it ethical") that the opponent is actually responding to (she says she wants it to stop deaths from climate change, which she says makes it ethical). Overall, the neg does a better job of proving that Gen 4 reectors are better at (S) and so there is no need for the ban.

Good debate + Good luck!

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White, Rachel

St. Croix Prep

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Edina AG		Eagan PS	
Amrutha Garimella	<u>25</u>	Pavan Sakhamuru	<u>26</u>

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

Signature: Rachel White

### Comments & Reason for Decision:

- Aff needed to deal with contentions 1 + 2 in AR 1 + did not really touch on it
  - Neg did a good job on capitalizing on this error
- Aff presentation of ~~aspects~~ contentions + rebuttals became less + less organized over time + the description of worlds in both ~~rebuttals~~ made for less time for issue by issue rebuttal.
- Neg's argument that a bombing of nuclear power plant did not happen yet + therefore it is not a worthy concern worth contending was weak but the aff did not capitalize
- Good 18 yrs point on aff → capitalize on it now
- Well organized Neg

Reason for decision

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Mohamed,

Aisha

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AFF

Lakeville GG

Grace Geertsema

POINTS

(20-30)

28

NEG

St Thomas Academy/Visitation SK

Sophia Kuriscak

POINTS

(20-30)

28

Winner: STA/Visitation SK debating on the Neg Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: Aisha Mohamed

Comments & Reason for Decision:

- Great job using New Cross-X to restore your case.
- There needs to be more work done on the NC.
- You are amazing at rebuttals but you need to have better time manag. so you can do more work on the NC.
- Great Weighing in the #2 ZAR.

RFD: Inegate because of the desai ~~ination~~ evidence & the Japan evidence.

- Be careful of how you come across during cross-x. Let your opponent speak & be polite!!!
- Your arguments forcing the aff into defending sovereignty & how why you pre-clude aff offense need more work.
- Good NR!

Both: Move clash on the CO2 evidence.

Clash at the FW level rather than talking past one another.

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Eric A. Bauman  
**Ahsan, Talha**

Eagan

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Edina NH	(20-30)	West Des Moines Valley LB	(20-30)
Noel Hayward	<u>27</u>	Lucas Bryant	<u>27</u>

Winner: West Des Moines debating on the Neg Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? ?

Signature: Eric A. Bauman

Comments & Reason for Decision:

Aff: you did a good job holding your own, I get it, this was a messy round. The Hitler thing was a bit... messy. I get you got confused, but I would have something for that next time

Neg: good speed and <sup>diction</sup> ~~clarity~~, well executed and delivered. I have no problem with swearing myself, but I know some judges count down for it. Good job overall, but thanks for not obliterating Edina on the Hitler comment. I do think it was very kind of you to forgive him - lots of policy debaters wouldn't do that.

Good round over all, you both did a very good job! ☺

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Pierce-

Ramsdell,  
Harley

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Edina

AFF

Lakeville AV

Alexia VonRuden

POINTS

(20-30)

30

NEG

Roseville Area EB

Elizabeth Booms

POINTS

(20-30)

29

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

Signature: [Handwritten Signature]

Comments & Reason for Decision:

AFF

IAC: I want you to weigh more and number your responses!  
- Really good clear voice and decent speed!  
- Slow down a bit for author last name  
- I like the Extinction impact but have more warrants for 1) it will happen and 2) you solve  
- :46 left, either add more or slow down

EX:  
- Good confidence in answers! It is okay to say "Yes" or "No" and not explain.  
- Look at me the whole time

EX:  
- Good clarifications but try and make it clear that she cross replied case to make it easy on you.  
- Read her case in your prep time and ask more q's

IAR:  
- Smart strategy on NC to AC  
- Number your arguments so it seems like new  
- Really good work on her contention try and be more specific on 2nd card.  
- You need to extend more in order to link more clearly. Really good coverage you just extend more to

PAR: TELL ME WHY YOU WIN!  
- All you have to do is weigh in the PAR. \*you don't have to  
- Good min of her offense when to specific cards  
- Good weighing in PAR and summation of round

NEG

I want more confidence out of you!

EX:  
- Clarification is fine but make sure you have a point and idea of how to get a concession.  
- Look at me the whole time

IND:  
- You have same V so just drop and read Cr.  
- Essentially min harms to future gen... so drop and link into harms  
- I like your contentions!  
- You are arguing same thing on Cr level  
- Try not to cross apply your case. Use analytics or cards to refute her case.  
↳ cross apply = less for her to cover in IAR

EX:  
- Good answers in ex but be more confident  
- Try and know your case a bit more to sound more confident!

ANR

- The F.W. boils down to Util so you can just say whoever min harms more wins  
- Your only offense is your Hansen card so you should spend the most amt time here.  
- Be more confident! You are smart, own it!  
- You need to weigh whose harm is worse!  
\* You had :30 left use it to weigh the round!

RFD: The frameworks of the AFF and Neg are essentially both Util so whoever min harms will win. The AFF wins the extinction impact on magnitude as she disproves the probability of the Neg solving climate change.

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AFF

St. Croix Prep JN

Jake Neau

POINTS

(20 - 30)

28

NEG

St Thomas Academy/Visitation DO

David O'Neill

POINTS

(20 - 30)

29

Winner: St Thomas Academy debating on the Neg Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_  
School/Team  
Signature: [Signature]

Comments & Reason for Decision:

Aff - definitions were difficult to hear, watch the swaying while reading. the contentions were all good. Need a clear answer to what public health is (economic, medical, etc). Good answers to other CX questions.

Neg - quick, clear case built. not sure what opening added (grooming part?) Rebuttal went very well down the list - lost time with card, & missed out on 5th contention. Good points on nonunique parts of argument.

Aff - good notes on parts of your case Neg did not address - the groundwater issue & attacks. got more shaky when addressing Negative case, also created a bit of a strawman by saying neg was arguing for only nuclear (or implying so)

Neg - very good rebuttal - particularly on criterion level. good on point that renewables aren't able to take over immediately.

Aff - brought up good points again on leaking into eco. using fuel to mine uranium (how that doesn't have a renewable counterpart), did not do enough to uphold criterion.

Value debate was a wash, but Neg persuaded more on criterion with clear explanation. Both did well on contentions, though Aff did stray into mischaracterizing on Neg point

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Schleck, Max  
Edina

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AFF

Eagan AS

Aarushi Sen

POINTS

(20 - 30)

29

NEG

Apple Valley NH

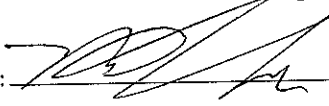
Nicholas Holland

POINTS

(20 - 30)

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

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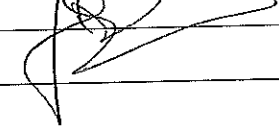
Comments & Reason for Decision:

RFD: overall means a pro-substance point on permitt, rather of you actually agree why a permit was bad you just said better or worse are moves on. So with regard to the permit I had to see Affirmative, this is because the California CWD. it was a substantial answer to the ZMR one was able to beat the neg or was own the neg because it said that permitts can be stop global warming and not further marginalize OJWS. one can still be made lessing concern from it I had to see it. The neg can't win even if they bring up the Borne? one can still allow any is needed to help bring up green neg but not was loss in the flow.

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West Des Moines Valley BK	28	Eagan KP	30
Braedon Kirkpatrick		Kayla Patyk	

Winner: KAYLA (Eagan KP) debating on the NEG side (Aff of Neg) N/A  
 School/Team: \_\_\_\_\_ Side (Aff of Neg): \_\_\_\_\_ Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: 

Comments & Reason for Decision:

AFFIRMATIVE:

PROS

- Good CASE PREPARATION
- closing arguments were good.

CONS:

- SOMETIMES IT IS UNCLEAR IN REBUTTAL ARGUMENTS.
- INCONSISTENCY IN SPEED OF ARGUMENTS = VARIED REBUTTAL, NOT CITING CLEARLY FLAWS OF OPPONENT
- IN REBUTTAL, UNABLE TO PROVIDE CLEAR JUSTIFICATIONS

NEGATIVE:

PROS

- VERY THOROUGH.
- CLEARLY ARTICULATING VARIOUS POINTS
- CITING latest developments, staying abreast.
- CONCISE & TO THE POINT. ARGUMENT WITH CLEARLY IDENTIFYING FLAWS IN OPPONENTS.
- VERY FOCUS PREPARATION

CONS:

- COULDN'T FIND ANY

CLEARLY, NEG WON THE ROUND.  
 WISHING BOTH OF THEM GOOD LUCK FOR REMAINING few



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**Torbert, John**  
West Des Moines Valley

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Edina NA		Roseville Area DU	
Nathan Annareddy	<u>28</u>	David Ukatu	<u>26</u>

Winner: EDINA School/Team debating on the AFF Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature: John Torbert

Comments & Reason for Decision:

FAMILY, I WAS NOT A HUGE FAN OF EITHER CASE BUT ON BALANCE, THOUGHT AFF CASE WAS STRONGER. AFF CASE TROUBLED ME WITH USE OF TERM DUMPING + ALLEGATION ON WEAPONS PRODUCTION + BRIBERY WHICH I DID NOT FEEL WERE FIRMLY SUPPORTED. HOWEVER, I FOUND THE NEG CASE TO BE LARGELY PROSPECTIVE + THUS LIKED AFF CASE BETTER.

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Linden, Jack  
Eagan

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AFF

Edina SO

Stella Olken-Hunt

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NEG

St. Croix Prep LT

Logan Tan

POINTS  
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Winner: Edina SO School/Team debating on the Aff Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win?

Signature: 

Comments & Reason for Decision:

I use the neg framework of quality of life and util.  
The Aff clearly shows that the potential harms of nuclear power would be detrimental to society and quality of life. The neg needs to show that there will be solvency for waste disposal in order to prevent aff impacts.  
I vote aff of the content, 3 of the Ac which weighs long term detrimental impacts.

- Very close round

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AFF

Lakeville RT

Ryan Tullis

POINTS  
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NEG

Edina BK

Biren Kayyal

POINTS  
(20-30)

28

Winner: Lakeville/Ryan Tullis debating on the Aff Side (Aff/Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: [Handwritten Signature]

Comments & Reason for Decision:

A/ If your opponent is just asking clarifying questions, use the time he is writing to attempt to restate your points; don't be rude, but use every chance you have the floor.  
The Neg dropped your C2; but you failed to extend this across the plan in the IAR. However, your IAR was otherwise well organized + delivered

N/ Ask more Cx questions -> have some stock questions if you're unsure. It's the only time you get to talk to your opponent directly. You need a value, otherwise a standard doesn't really achieve anything. Your opponent had util, so you can agree + move on.  
You dropped some key arguments in the INC  
Also the argument against the Aff's C3 was circular: money is sustainable b/c it creates power - sure, but what if the uranium runs out.  
Give the judge a roadmap of the INR  
All your rebuttal arguments need warrants  
Overall, the INR was confusing to flow.  
Use all your speaking time; even if it's just to rehash your arguments

RFD/ Overall, the Aff addressed all of the Negative's arguments in an organized and convincing manner.

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Hibbard, Sandi

Lakeville

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St. Croix Prep DG		(20-30)	Edina JS	(20-30)
Drew Grondahl		<u>27</u>	Jake Straub	<u>28</u>

Winner: Jake Straub - Edina debating on the Neg Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_  
 School/Team \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature: [Signature]

Comments & Reason for Decision:

- Good of answers & questions
  - Cover all contentions - only covered
  - Please road map
  - cards
  - voting
- the NC on your AC & C on Neg.*

- Good of questions & answers.
- Road mapped - thank you.
- Cards to cover AC.
- Covered all contentions
- voting
- cards

*\* Good round - keep up the great work \**

RFD: Covered all contentions. Cards covered anything left unanswered/said.

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AFF

St. Croix Prep AN

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Alex Nelson

NEG

Lakeville MH

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POINTS  
(20-30)

27

Morgyn Hibbard

Winner: St. Croix Prep debating on the Aff Side (Aff or Neg) Low point win? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: [Signature]

Comments & Reason for Decision:

- Since you're reading a semi-critical AC, the function of your arguments should be clearer. Is the Fox evidence in the IAR a reason to vote her down for having an anthropocentric mindset or just a defensive reason her contention doesn't link to your framework? If it's the latter, it may not be worth the time investment in the IAR (1 minute plus)
- Work on efficiency so you can have greater IAR coverage. You have enough speed that you should be able to devote significant time to both layers of the debate (the critical/philosophical level of whether the neg is anthropocentric, and the pragmatic question of whether nuclear power actually benefits the environment). You should leverage the bioD and marine conservation args more in your rebuttals

- Your framework is extremely similar to his, you don't need to spend so much time reading justifications that are essentially the same arguments he has in his case
- Pay more attention to the spiker he has at the top of his AC - you never gave why we have to choose between nuclear power and fossil fuels, and he argues that he does not have to provide an alternative. This is very important because all of your offense relies on fossil fuels being worse than nuclear power.
- You have good coverage in the 2N, but your response could be stronger. Specifically, you should have added evidence showing that nuclear power is low-carbon to combat his because that's what your case hinges on.

RFD: Neg never specifically answers the argument that rejecting anthropocentrism is our highest duty and the aff wins the IAR evidence that humans "protecting" the environment is an anthropocentric notion so only aff has offense under the anthro fr. The aff also wins that nuclear power is high-carbon accounting for milling and mining which turns the AC.