



The English-Speaking Union of Japan University Debating Competition 2015

Results

Dates: 3 October 2015 (Preliminary Debates)
4 October 2015 (Final Debates)

Place: National Olympics Memorial Youth Center, Tokyo, Japan

Tournament Director: Keiichiro Furuya

Motions:

- R1:** This House would introduce a LGBT quota in sports teams.
スポーツチームに LGBT のクォータを導入する。
- R2:** Assuming that the love is quantifiable, this House would prohibit couples who score in the bottom 20 percentile from getting married.
愛が定量的に計ることが出来る前提の下、同手法の測定下 20 パーセンタイルにいるカップルの結婚を禁止する。
- R3:** This House would shut down universities that constantly produce large number of graduates who fail to get employed (employment includes, but is not limited to; professional career, bar exam, academia).
進路が決まらない学生を継続的に多数輩出する大学を閉校する。
- R4:** This House believes that opinion polls do more harm than good for democracy.
世論調査は、民主主義にとって有害な側面の方が有益な側面よりも強い。

Quarter Finals:

This House would not accept impossibility defense.(i.e. a legal defense against a crime which only failed because it was factually/legally impossible to commit)

不能犯の抗弁 (犯罪を意図したにも関わらず、その行為の性質上当該の結果を発生させることができなかった事例) を認めない。

Semi Finals:

This House would allow states that accept refugees to seize the overseas assets of the states the refugees come from, in order to cover the cost of accepting the refugees.

難民を受け入れた国家は、難民受け入れ国の海外資産を接收し、難民受け入れの費用に充てることを認める。

Final:

This House regrets the decline of communal values in modern society.

現代社会で共同体の価値観が衰退していることを憂慮する。

Results of the Preliminary Debates

Rank	Name	Wins	Total Score
1	Waseda University 1	4	805.50
2	University of Tokyo 1	4	792.00
3	Keio University 1	3	779.50
4	Kyoto University	3	770.00
5	University of Tokyo 2	3	768.50
6	Nagoya University	3	764.92
7	International Christian University 1	3	759.67
8	Waseda University 2	3	758.42

Results of the Final Debates:

1st Prize	University of Tokyo 1	(Yasufumi Tozuka, Fumiko Hirasawa)
2nd Prize	Waseda University 1	(Tatsumi Uchiyama, Shingo Fujita)
3rd Prize	Keio University 1	(Shimon Nakayama, Kentaro Hoshiba)
	University of Tokyo 2	(Masaya Sasaki, Atsunaka Fukushima)
Quarter Finalist	International Christian University 1	(Chizuru Yamasaki, Takuto Toyama)
	Kyoto University	(Hiroki Yokoyama, Nobumasa Tagai)
	Nagoya University	(Kouji Imai, Takuya Kitaoka)
	Waseda University 2	(Masaru Urano, Tamane Sasaki)

Baroness Brigstocke Best Speaker Prize:

Shingo Fujita (Waseda University 1), Tatsumi Uchiyama (Waseda University 1)

Participating Universities (27 universities, 32 teams)

Aoyama Gakuin University	Sophia University
Chiba University of Commerce	Takasaki City University of Economics
Hitotsubashi University	Takushoku University
International Christian University	Tokyo Metropolitan University
Kanagawa University	Tokyo University of Marine Science and Technology
Keio University	Tokyo University of Science
Kobe University	Tsuda College
Kyoto University	University of Kitakyushu
Nagoya University	University of Tokyo
Osaka Prefecture University	Waseda University
Ritsumeikan University	Yokohama City University
Seikei University	
Shibaura Institute of Technology	

