



Yale Debate Association 28th Annual Yale Invitational Tournament

Hello all!

We're so excited to have you all join us for the tournament next weekend! To (somewhat) make up for the unfortunate reality of debate-from-home, our hospitality team has been busy putting together some exciting events, open to everyone involved in the tournament (competitors, parents, judges, coaches, volunteers). **Please register for the events you are interested in attending below, as soon as possible (spots are limited!)** Webinar links will be sent via email closer to the date of the event (check your spam if you don't see it in your inbox). Coaches - please forward this to your teams, or anyone else you believe might be interested!

Register for all events at bit.ly/YaleInvitational2020Events

YDA Demonstration Debate

Time: Friday, Oct. 2, 3:00pm-4:00pm EST

Two excellent teams representing the Yale Debate Association, the country's #1-ranked parliamentary debate team, will duke it out live. This is a great opportunity to learn more about college parliamentary debate, or simply watch great debaters in action!

Yale YDA Student Panel

Time: Saturday, Oct. 3, 8:00-9:00pm EST

A panel of YDAers will be available to answer any questions you may have about their experiences with Yale, debate at Yale, student life, the application process, and more! *Disclaimer: panelists are not affiliated with Yale administration or the admissions office, but will speak to their own experience!*

Keynote Speaker: Howard Dean

Time: Sunday, Oct. 4, 5:00-6:00pm EST, including a Q&A portion

Topic: Preserving democratic society during an international trend towards authoritarianism

Howard Dean is a senior fellow at the Yale Jackson Institute for Global Affairs. He is a former chairman of the DNC, six-term governor of Vermont, and presidential candidate. His full biography can be found at jackson.yale.edu/person/howard-dean/.