**PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS:**

- Bethany Lutheran College, Mankato, MN (BLC)
- Century College, White Bear Lake, MN (CEN)
- Gustavus Adolphus College, St. Peter, MN (GAC)
- South Dakota State University, Brookings, SD (SDS)
- University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN (UMN)

**Preliminary Rounds:**

3 wins/ 0 losses

- GAC SC (Emily Soeder - Andrea Carlile)
- SDS LP (Rachel Lewis - Jacob Plovanic)
- SDS RF (Aaron Rahlfs - Jason Frerichs)
- UMN BN (Brad Beherns -- Zane Nitzkorski)

2 wins/ 1 loss

- CEN LS (Mike LaPlante -- Tom Schally)
- GAC GP (Brandon Gillette - Justin Paul)
- GAC SK (Henry Stokman - Alex Knewton)
- SDS BT (Steven Brunner - Tim Tjeerdsma)
- BLC BaLa (Casey Barnes -- Ryan Latterman)
1 win/ 2 losses

- GAC BS (Chelsea Becker - Vanessa Slingsby)
- UMN WZ (Joseph Walla - Lee Zoss)
- UMN ZM (Kevin Zintner - Lindsey Marcy)
- UMN KH (Dan Kroll - Manazaz Humayum)
- UMN TD (Josh Tonsager - Sid Dangwal)

0 wins/ 3 losses

- BLC GG (Jessica Gehrke - Beth Gullixson)
- BLC LiBu (Stacy Lilientahl - Lisa Buchs)
- BLC GZ (Paul Gansen - Lynette Ziegler)

**Bronze Round**

- GAC SC (opp) def. SDS BT 2-0
- BLC BaLa (opp) def. SDS RF 2-0
- SDS LP (gov) def. GAD SK 1-1
- UMN BN (opp) def. GAC GP 1-1

**Gold Round:**

- UMN BN (gov) def. BLC BaLa 2-1
- GAC SC (opp) def. SDS LP 2-1
University of Minnesota's Gold Award winners: Zane Nitzkorski and Brad Behrens

Gustavus Adolphus College's Gold Award winners: Andrea Carlile and Emily Soeder

Top speakers: Aaron Rahlfs, Henry Stokman, Andrea Carlile, Zane Nitzkorski, Rachel Lewis, Brad Beherns
Individual Speakers

- 1 Andrea Carlile 86
- 2 Henry Stokman 85
- 3 Brad Beherns 84
- 4 Aaron Rahlfs 83
- tie 5 Zane Nitzkorski 83
- tie 5 Rachel Lewis 83
- 7 Jason Frerichs 82
- 8 Jacob Plovanic 82
- 9 Josh Tonsager 81
- tie 10 Tim Tjeerdsma 81
- tie 10 Brandon Gillette 81
- 12 Thom Schally 80
- 12 Kevin Zintner 80
- 12 Emily Soeder 80
- 12 Casey Barnes 80
- 12 Alex Knewton 80
- 17 Stacy Lilienthal 79
- 17 Ryan Latterman 79
- 17 Joseph Walla 79
- 17 Chelsea Becker 79
- 21 Steven Brunner 77
- 21 Lisa Buchs 77
- 21 Justin Paul 77
- 21 Dan Kroll 77
- 25 Mike LaPlante 76
- 25 Manazaz Humayun 76

Topics

Round 1: Resolved: Presidential campaigns will be limited to three months.

Round 2: This House would put more civilians in outer space.

Round 3: (Case Study) Paige is a patient who recently had surgery on her arm. She was treated by Dr. Robert Smith, who, unknown to her, doesn't have a good reputation around the clinic. Dr. Smith is thought of as a competent doctor who has brought many patients into the clinic, but he sometimes rushes through his work. It seems his practice is getting in the way of his golf game and social life. Paige's arm is not healing properly and after a few weeks of pain and frustration, Paige asks her friend, Dr. Vanessa Walters, a co-worker of Dr. Smith, if Dr. Smith is a good doctor. In this case, the Government team must defend the position that: Dr. Walters is morally obligated to tell Paige about Dr. Smith's reputation.

Bronze: This House would make bilingualism a goal for all U. S. public school students.

Gold: This House believes that John Kerry should be the next President of the United States.