

2017 State Debate Information Manual

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Dear Debate Coaches,

On behalf of the Illinois High School Association Board of Directors, the IHSA staff and member schools, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the IHSA state debate tournament. A special welcome is extended to all of the participants. All should be commended for the hard work, preparation and dedication which enable schools to achieve success in many levels at this tournament. I also want to specifically welcome the debate coaches who have trained and prepared so many students in anticipation of this weekend.

The State Committee providing leadership and expert advice for the administration of this tournament consists of:

State Final Manager

Lainee McGraw, Orland Park (Sandburg)

Tab Room

Mike Colletti, Palos Hills (Stagg)

Policy

Tara Tate, Glenview (Glenbrook South) Robert Berry, Chicago (Northside) Dave Weston, Winnetka (New Trier) Michael Greenstein, Northbrook (Glenbrook North)

Lincoln Douglas

Nicole Kroepel, Belvidere (North) Katie Cole, Flossmoor (Homewood Flossmoor)

Congressional

Tim Waters, Rolling Meadows Dave Schnell, Mt. Prospect (Prospect)

Public Forum

Martin Zacharia, Palatine (Fremd) Brian Voss, Libertyville Angelo Cavoto, Chicago (Back of the Yards)

Members of the state final committee work tirelessly to assure that the experience at the state tournament is the best possible. The IHSA is very thankful for their willingness to serve in this capacity.

Please read this manual carefully as it will address most of your questions about the facilities and the tournament. If you have additional questions, you may certainly contact me, any member of the committee or UIS.

The IHSA believes that interscholastic activities enrich the educational experience. Regardless of the outcome of the tournament, we know what is gained by our member schools through this event is priceless. This tournament is an extension of the classroom and we look for our coaches to provide the leadership to make the experience great for all.

See you at State!

Sincerely,

Susie Knoblauch



Tournament Locations

The information contained in this manual reflects plans that have been made to provide your school an outstanding State Tournament experience. Please remember, such things as on-site problems occurring during the tournament may make it necessary for the State Final Tournament Committee and/or the State Final Manager/University of Illinois Springfield to make adjustments.

<u>Registration</u> – Thursday, March 16 in the Public Affairs Center Food Emporium Concourse (lower level) from 6:00 pm-9:00 pm.

Tournament Headquarters/Tabulation – Public Affairs Center Conference Room E

Coaches Room - PAC Restaurant

<u>Competition Rooms</u> – Brookens Library (BRK), University Hall (UHB), and Public Affairs Center (PAC).

Student Holding Area - Cafeteria, Public Affairs Center, Food Emporium, Capital Perks

<u>Awards</u> – Public Affairs Center – Food Emporium Saturday March 18th at approximately 4:30 pm

Concessions - Cafeteria, Public Affairs Center, Food Emporium, Capital Perks

<u>State Final Merchandise</u>- State Final Merchandise will be available for purchase from Minerva Sportswear in the Public Affairs Center Food Emporium Concourse. http://www.minervapromotions.com/ihsa/

Registration Information

UIS Public Affairs Center – Food Emporium

Policy, L-D, and Public Forum Registration: 6:00 pm-9:00 pm Thursday, March 16 in the Public Affairs Center Food Emporium

Rounds begin 8:30 am Friday, March 17 in the PAC, BRK, and UHB.

Event Fees: Make check payable to the Illinois High School Association

Policy - \$50 per team LD - \$25 per student Congress - \$15 per student Public Forum - \$25 per team

UIS 2014-2015 Visitor and Residential Student Parking Map





PARKING INFORMATION

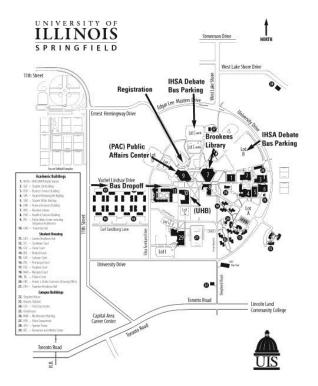
Please read the following information carefully and refer to the map of University of Illinois at Springfield. It is important that you park in the designated areas to avoid being ticketed or towed. All parking at UIS is free.

- Buses and School Vans should enter the UIS campus on Vachel Lindsay Drive to unload and load students at the location where Vachel Lindsay Drive and Edna Ferber Lane merge. No parking is allowed, as this is for drop off and pick up purposes only.
- Buses and School Vans must only park in Lot C North and/or the northern section of Lot B.
- Visitors are welcome to park in Lots D, C-North, and B.

Venue Information

Grant Johnson University of Illinois Springfield One University Plaza, MS PAC 397 Springfield, Illinois 62703-5407 Phone: (217) 206-6150

Note: All competitors are responsible to keep rooms clean during competition





IHSA State Debate Championship University of Illinois Springfield Tentative Time Schedule March 16-18, 2017



Thursday, March 166:00-9:00 PMRegistration – Public Affairs Center – Food EmporiumSaturday, March 182:00 PMAll Coaches Meeting – PAC RestaurantSaturday, March 184:30 PMAwards—Public Affairs Center- Food Emporium

CONGRESSIONAL DEBATE SCHEDULE

Friday, March 17

8:00 a.m. 8:30-11:00 a.m. 1:00-3:30 p.m. 4:30-7:00 p.m. Congress Coaches /Judge Meeting– UHB 2034 Session 1 Session 2 Session 3

Saturday, March 18 10:00-12:00 p.m. 2:00-3:00 p.m.

Semifinals Super Congress

POLICY DEBATE SCHEDULE

Friday, March 17

8:30-10:30 a.m. 10:30-12:30 p.m. 2:00-4:00 p.m. 4:30-6:30 p.m. 7:00-9:00 p.m. Round 1 (teams and judges: forfeit after 5 minutes) Round 2 Round 3 Round 4 *Round 5

Saturday, March 18 8:00-10:00 a.m. 11:00-1:00 p.m. 2:00-4:00 p.m. 5:00-7:00 p.m.

*Round 5 (Octafinals) Quarterfinals (less than 40 teams) Semifinals Finals

LINCOLN-DOUGLAS and PUBLIC FORUM DEBATE SCHEDULE

Friday, March 17

8:30-10:30 a.m. 10:30-12:30 p.m. 2:00-4:00 p.m. 5:00-7:00 p.m. Round 1 (Rounds are double-flighted) Round 2 Round 3 Round 4

Saturday, March 18

8:00-10:00 a.m.	Round 5
11:00-1:00 p.m.	Octafinals
2:00-4:00 p.m.	Quarterfinals and Semifinals
5:00-6:15 p.m.	Finals

*If rounds are necessary

Results packets will be available at the Registration table after the conclusion of the awards ceremony. Absolutely none will be distributed early and none will be mailed.

UIS Food Services Available for the Tournament

Capitol Perks—in the Sangamon Auditorium lobby





Lattes, espressos, Brevé coffees * Fruit smoothies, ice cream, & teas Friday, March 17, 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Food Emporium—in Public Affairs Center Lower Level





Hot entrees and soups * Grilled-to-order sandwiches, fries, and sides Salad bar * Pizzeria * Beverages * Grab-n-go snacks

> Friday, March 17, 8:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m. Saturday, March 18, 8:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

Vending Machines—Throughout Campus

For menus and prices - http://www.uis.edu/foodservice/



Hotel Listing Locations near University of IL Springfield

Baymont Inn – Exit Toronto Road off I 55 5817 South 6th Street Springfield, IL 62703 217-529-6655

Days Inn – Exit Toronto Road off I 55 5970South 6th Street Springfield, IL 62703 217-529-1410

Comfort Inn & Suites 3675 South Sixth Street Springfield, IL 62703 217-529-1821

Quality Inn & Suites 3442 Freedom Drive Springfield, IL 62704-6516 217-787-2250

Hotels off Exit 94, I 55

Holiday Inn Express 3050 So. Dirksen Parkway Springfield, IL 62703 217-529-7771

Microtel Inn & Suites 2636 Sunrise Drive Springfield, IL 62703 217-753-2636

Country Inn & Suites 3092 Stevenson Drive Springfield, IL 62703 217-544-5151

Candlewood Suites 2501 Sunrise Drive Springfield, IL 62703 217-522-5100 Comfort Suites 2620 South Dirksen Parkway Springfield, IL 62703 217-753-4000

Crowne Plaza Hotel 3000 South Dirksen Parkway Springfield, IL 62703 217-529-7777

Drury Inn & Suites 3180 South Dirksen Parkway Springfield, IL 62703 217-529-3900

Hampton Inn 3185 South Dirksen Parkway Springfield, IL 62703 217-529-1100

Hilton Garden Inn 3100 South Dirksen Parkway Springfield, IL 62703 217-529-7171

Residence Inn 2915 Stanford Avenue Springfield, IL 62703 217-527-1100

Red Roof Inn 3200 Singer Avenue Springfield, IL 62703 217-753-4302

Super 8 Lodge East 1330 South Dirksen Parkway Springfield, IL 62703 217-528-8889

Directions from the Interstates to UIS Campus

From the north - using I-55:

Leave the interstate at the exit (#94) for Stevenson Drive. Turn right (west) at top of exit ramp, proceed through 2 traffic signals: at 3rd signal, turn left (south) into West Lake Shore Drive and continue to the edge of the UIS campus.

From the south - using I-55:

Leave the interstate at exit (#90) for Toronto Road. Turn right (east) at the top of exit ramp, proceed through small business area, over a rail crossing, past a Springfield Fire Dept. Station; follow the roadway as it curves left and passes CACC (Capital Area Career Center). Following CACC's campus, turn left (north) into the 11th St. extension road. Any of the next three right turns will lead you to the UIS campus. OR: Alternative route: when Toronto Road curves left and passes CACC, keep going ahead to the traffic light at the intersection with Shepherd Road (at the entrance to the Lincoln Land Community College campus); turn left (north) and proceed a short distance to the south edge of the UIS campus.

From the east - using US 36/72:

At intersection with I-55, choose I-55 South, following it to Stevenson Drive exit (#94). Turn right (west) at top of exit ramp, proceed through 2 traffic signals; at 3rd signal, turn left (south) into West Lake Shore Drive and continue to the edge of the UIS campus.

From the west - using US 36/72:

Leave highway by exit ramp to 6th St. North, drive a short distance to a traffic light, turn right (east) onto Hazel Dell, which curves and becomes 11th Street. This goes over I-55 on a bridge, to a stoplight. If you make a left turn at the light, it is again Hazel Dell and can be followed to West Lake Shore Drive (traffic light, small school bldg.) where you turn right (south) and reach the north boundary of UIS campus. If you proceed straight ahead through the traffic light at 11th /Hazel Dell, you are on the 11th St. Extension. Follow roadway to a STOP sign, at intersection of 11th St. Extension and campus roadway called Ernest Hemingway Drive, where the University of Illinois at Springfield sign is (considered the main entrance to the campus); make a left turn into the boulevard roadway (Hemingway Drive). At the next STOP sign, you are at the edge of the UIS campus. If you proceed straight ahead - through 2 stop signs - you will approach the "teardrop" entrance to the PAC building.

Directions from Springfield to the UIS Campus

From the City of Springfield to north edge of the UIS Campus:

Proceed south on South 6th Street (or South 11th) to south edge of town at Stevenson Drive. Turn left (east) on Stevenson and continue for about 1 1/2 miles to intersection with West Lake Shore Drive. (CVS Drug Store and Taco Bell are landmarks to look for.) Turn right (south) on West Lake Shore Drive, continue straight across country, to the edge of the UIS campus.

Alternate route from east side of town, via South Grand Avenue:

Depending upon the direction of travel, turn left/right onto Taylor Ave., from South Grand, proceed south on Taylor to the intersection with Stevenson Drive (at that location, Taylor becomes West Lake Drive on the other side. Then continue as described above straight to edge of UIS campus.)

Alternate route from south edge of Springfield:

Proceed south on 6th Street, past the intersection with Stevenson Drive, and the intersection with St. Joseph St.. At next traffic light, turn left (east) onto Hazel Dell Rd. Follow it around curve (it becomes 11th St. there), over the I-55 bridge to next traffic light. Go straight ahead on 11th St. Extension (new road*); through a railroad crossing, to a 4-way stop sign. A UIS main entrance marker is under construction at that intersection. Turn left (east) onto Hemingway Drive (a boulevarded roadway), to next stop sign. Go straight ahead for PAC building and then to the right for Lincoln Residence Hall, and other student housing units, plus Kiwanis Stadium.

OR: Turn left for all other locations, following the curving roadway through our campus.

* = At this intersection, a choice is available. Driver may turn left on Hazel Dell as it goes east, toward intersection with West Lake Shore Drive. Then a turn right (south) at that traffic light and follow W. Lake Shore Drive to the edge of the UIS campus.

Additional Maps and Direction are available at http://www.visit-springfieldillinois.com/Contact/Staff.asp

