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DEBATE ORKSHOPS

The Mackinac Center for Public Policy is proud to sponsor annual High School Debate Workshops designed to enhance the debate season for all schools through informative SPEAKERS, FREE MATERIALS, AND A VIGOROUS EXCHANGE OF IDEAS.

BOUT THE WORKSHOPS:

Over 7,000 students and teachers have sharpened their forensic skills at our Debate Workshops. This comprehensive one-day program informs debaters on the current debate resolution through expert speakers, hard-to-find resource materials, and in-depth discussions. Schools may send as many participants as they wish. Space is limited, however, and reservations are taken on a first-come, firstserved basis.

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Mackina Center Debate Workshops equip students and coaches with the facts and intellectual firepower they need for a season of tough competition. Past teams have applied new skills and ideas they learned at the Debate Workshops to capture championships in the Detroit Public School Debate League and the American Association of Christian Schools debate competitions.

EGISTRATION:

Cost is \$5 per participant, lunch included. All debaters will receive valuable articles, reports, and studies. Each team will also receive a helpful study guide offering economic-based affirmative and negative positions on the topic. For more information, contact workshop director Elizabeth Moser: (989) 631-0900, Fax (989) 631-0964, E-mail: moser@mackinac.org

Greeting and registration for all seminars begin at 8:30 AM. Sessions begin promptly at 9:00 AM and close by 1:45 PM.

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Gregory Rehmke directs the Foundation for Economic Education's High School Speech and Debate Program. For 15 years, Greg has published resource books, study guides and newsletters for high school debate students and lectured at debate seminars and workshops around the country.



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Richard Edwards, Ph.D. coached competitive national intercollegiate debate programs for 24 years at Baylor University, Georgia State University, and the University of Iowa. He served on the Topic Selection Committee which selects the high school debate topic, including four terms as the chair of the Wording



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