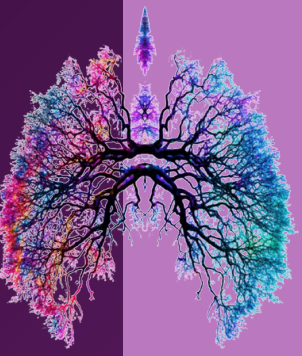




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RESPIRARE 2025

Veritas Vox

The Debate Competition

REGISTRATION FEES: 250/-

PRIZE POOL:

**2000/- with medals and
certificate**



Date:

3/10/2025



Pathology lecture hall

Scan QR code:



**FOR MORE INFORMATION
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RULES:

1. Participation and Round Structure

Individual entries will be accepted for the elimination round of the debate.

The debate consists of two rounds:

i. Elimination Round: 1 vs 1 (Offline)

ii. Final Round: Top 8 participants (Offline)

Both rounds will take place on the same day.

2. Allotment of Sides

Participants will be randomly allotted their side: FOR or AGAINST the topic.

Side allocation will be disclosed two days before the event.

3. Elimination Round (1 vs 1)

TOPIC: Is hierarchy in medical field hindering learning and collaboration or is it necessary for effective healthcare delivery.

Each participant will have 2 minutes to present their argument on the given topic.

REBUTTAL: Following each participant's initial argument, the opposing participant may

pose questions or counterarguments. Each participant will have 1 minute to respond.

AUDIENCE QUESTIONS: After both participants have presented their arguments, the audience and judges will have the opportunity to ask questions. Each participant will have 30 seconds to respond to audience questions.

4. Final Round

The Top 8 participants will be selected based on their performance in the elimination round.

The final round will consist of two teams (FOR and AGAINST) formed based on rankings

from the judges. The sides will be decided on the spot.

The topic will be given on the spot, and teams will be given sufficient time to prepare.

RULES:

Each participant will have 2 minutes and 30 seconds to present their arguments.

REBUTTAL: After the presentations, each team will have a total of 10 minutes for rebuttals. This will be divided into 5 minutes per team (each team member may contribute to the rebuttal).

5. Final Round Instructions

Detailed instructions regarding the final round will be provided at the venue.

6. General Rules

- Professionalism: Participants must maintain a high standard of professionalism at all times. Foul language or unprofessional conduct will not be tolerated.**
- Adherence to Time Limits: All participants must strictly adhere to the allocated time for each segment. Judges will enforce time limits.**
- Judge's Decision: The decision of the judges is final and binding.**

7. Additional Guidelines

Participants are encouraged to stay well-prepared and informed on the topic in advance.

The focus of the debate should be on constructive discourse, logical reasoning, and respectful interaction

8. Prize pool is subject to change.