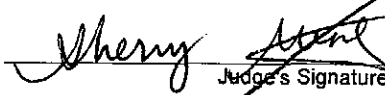


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FLIP: 13 Flores - Knorr v. 30 Cohen - Cohen

Varsity Public Forum		Shuyan Hong (#37) — Sherry Meng (17)			
Octo-Finals		Room 705	Sat 02/11/17 12:15PM		
Speaker	Pro	Points (20-30)	Speaker	Con	Points (20-30)
1st	Knorr	28	1st	J. Cohen	29
2nd	Flores	28	2nd	S. Cohen	30
The winner of this debate was Pro <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> Con (Circle Winner)			 Judge's Signature		
Is this a low point win? <u>no</u>			<u>Corona del Sol, Parent</u> School / Affiliation / Occupation		


Comments & Reason for Decision:

Both had great cases. Both articulated well.
 A lot of great questions ~~during~~ during cross.
 Key voter becomes whether embargo served the purpose or whether it is better off to lift it.
 Pro had economical impacts that would be positive, but was refuted by the credibility of Cuba. Biotech & natural disaster relief contentions did not seem to weigh enough.
 Con showed that even lifting the embargo, the benefit will go to government, which will enhance the dictatorship. Also went through was real examples in Burma.

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FLIP: 40 Tomooka - Thomas v. 37 Sidapara - Niu

Varsity Public Forum		John Doller (*35)	
Octo-Finals		Room 702	Sat 02/11/17 12:15PM
Speaker	Pro 1	Points (20-30)	Speaker
1st	<u>Thomas</u>	<u>25</u>	1st
2nd	<u>Tomooka</u>	<u>29</u>	2nd
			Con 2
			Points (20-30)
			1st
			<u>Niu</u>
			2nd
			<u>Sidapara</u>
The winner of this debate was			
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Pro <input type="radio"/> Con (Circle Winner)		 Judge's Signature	
Is this a low point win? <u>No</u>		<u>HAMILTON</u> School / Affiliation / Occupation	

Comments & Reason for Decision:

Solid round. Both teams had well defined contentions and supporting evidence.

Con failed to convince us that I should believe theoretical or analogous evidence over 60 years of embargo history.

Technicality over defn of embargo not effective for Con

Pro successfully established the framework and deftly argued within it. Con voter in summary (Lanthornianism) did not fit within the framework.

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FLIP: 47 Bauman - Deaver v. 5 Cardone - Rusk

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Varsity Public Forum		Sreenu Raju (*16)	
Octo-Finals		Room 706	Sat 02/11/17 12:15PM
Speaker	Pro	Points (20-30)	Speaker
1st	Cardone	29	1st Bauman
2nd	Rusk	30	2nd Deaver
The winner of this debate was		Dean Veschio	
Pro Con		Judge's Signature	
(Circle Winner)		Basis / Flag / MSK	
Is this a low point win? <u>No</u>		School / Affiliation / Occupation	

Comments & Reason for Decision:

Cardone (Pro)

1. Human Rights
2. HR Issues ~ "Adv. in studies"
3. Human Doc - did people against Corruption

Bauman (Con)

1. NOT improve human rights w/out will of improve HR Act...

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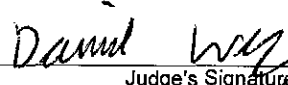
Pro said is n4 → A. Obama = protests
 omb lifting sanction a good thing b. restricted internet | Freedom of speech
 d. Will of help citizen of Cuba
 ~ Economic = ↓ Compensation (Labor tax)
 due gov control economy.
 ~ Sanctions - lifting embargo will be helping govern.

CF - Con took cross fire - close call

Speaker 3 (Clash) ~ Cuban democ act - we won't lift embargo if certain things happen - & achievable
 ~ embargo - crashed economy
 - HR - worse → into economy will help the people
 * - Private sector ↑ & Omba reg - = demo starts
 - Moral

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FLIP: 17 Jiang - Frazey v. 16 Raju - Goswick

Varsity Public Forum			Daniel Waks (*57)		
Octo-Finals			Room 703		Sat 02/11/17 12:15PM
Speaker	Pro	Points (20-30)	Speaker	Con	Points (20-30)
1st	Frazey	27	1st	Goswick	28
2nd	Jiang	28	2nd	Raju	28
The winner of this debate was			 Judge's Signature BASIS PHX / Coach School / Affiliation / Occupation		
Pro <input type="radio"/> Con <input checked="" type="radio"/> (Circle Winner) Is this a low point win? <u>No</u>					

Comments & Reason for Decision:

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Con:

- Bring up China and other censored media earlier; its good!
- C2 seemed unnecessary
- Enforce leverage ^{embargo} aspect more often

Pro:

- Flow farm/agriculture importance through
- Describe detail of gain of capitalism on culture a bit more
- Range of detail on regard to impact

Both:

- Strong cases
- Intense crossfires

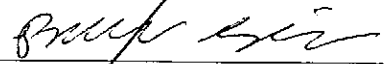
Reason:

- pro had evidence for link but should enhance large-scale impact/description
- econ. trend is occurring under status quo
- pro didn't enforce some of the best points:
 - Malnutrition
 - liberalization
 - Anti police-state

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FLIP: 38 Parau - Kim v. 35 Wang - Ramesh

Varsity Public Forum			Mrs. Joseph (*41)		
Octo-Finals			Room 701		Sat 02/11/17 12:15PM
Speaker	Pro	Points (20-30)	Speaker	Con	Points (20-30)
1st	Wang	28	1st	Kim	29
2nd	Ramesh	30	2nd	Parau	28
The winner of this debate was			 Judge's Signature CHHS / ASU / Student School / Affiliation / Occupation		
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Pro <input type="radio"/> Con (Circle Winner)					
Is this a low point win? <u>NO</u>					

Comments & Reason for Decision:

Very close, but I have to vote for Aff.
 I took Neg's assertion that only the Cuban people should be considered, since the debate focussed almost entirely on benefits to the Cuban people in particular. In addition, I took their ~~economic model~~ model for the states are being embargoed and change, since the debate extended past Obama and Raul's diplomacy. I also was persuaded by Aff's claim that HTMS or embargo could increase birth death.

As always, however, the inputs helped to our side over. Since Neg did not prove that economic change cannot occur without democracy in Cuba, and due to the unclear distribution of wealth among the private owners, I was inclined to accept Aff's economic impact of

\$1.6 billion dollars, and greater access to medical care, ~~and greater access to medical care~~ ~~and greater access to medical care~~

Though they do ~~prove~~ that Cuba has a better healthcare system than many countries, notably Brazil, and the birth death contention was not concrete.

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1:45	
1:47	

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 TOMMY STEVENS

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FLIP: 9 Nguyen - Schulman v. 35 Jung - Long

Varsity Public Forum			Craig Mick (*19) TOMMY STEVENS (47)		
Octo-Finals			Room 708		Sat 02/11/17 12:15PM
Speaker	Pro	Points (20-30)	Speaker	Con	Points (20-30)
1st	NGUYEN	28	1st	JUNG	27
2nd	SCHULMAN	28	2nd	LONG	26
The winner of this debate was			 Judge's Signature		
(Pro) Con (Circle Winner)					
Is this a low point win? <u>NO</u>			Perry / SW Engineer School / Affiliation / Occupation		

Comments & Reason for Decision:

Pro

Has many good points in framework well explained

Good job in targeting each of the con's arguments

Good pace of speaking last but still easy to follow

- need to explain more on how removing sanctions will turn you away from communism.

Con

Very concise framework easy to follow and understand.

- need to develop the arguments in more convincing way by explaining ~~the~~ concept of "over heating" and how military will get all benefit of FDI investment.

- need to counter pro's arguments "Tie people to Gov" "shift away from central economy"

- Good arg development by partner on follow up speak

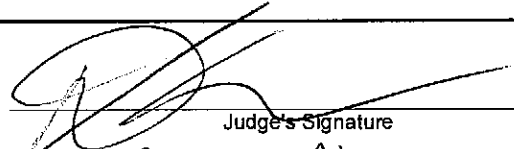
- slow down just a little on practice fast pace man

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FLIP: 53 Casey - Jazo v. 37 Kukunoor - Amin

Slow down speaking

Varsity Public Forum			Jody Volk (#26) Denise Harper 8		
Octo-Finals			Room 704		Sat 02/11/17 12:15PM
Speaker	Pro	Points (20-30)	Speaker	Con	Points (20-30)
1st	Amin	28	1st	Jazo	27
2nd	Kukunoor	24	2nd	Casey	26
The winner of this debate was			 Judge's Signature		
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Is this a low point win? <u>yes</u>					

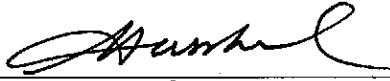
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Even though I agreed with Con's framework that the quality of life outweighs the impacts of the economy, ~~I don't feel~~ they did not adequately demonstrate that the embargo has reduced human rights abuses. As pro pointed out - it has been 55 years, there has not been a significant decrease in violations. Also pro pointed out that we can exert economic power over Cuba which is more powerful than political. Both sides put up an excellent fight. This was a difficult decision (but I voted Pro)

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FLIP: 49 Jasso - Kief v. 46 Cardellini - Coben

Varsity Public Forum			Murshed Alam (*50)		
Octo-Finals			Room 707		Sat 02/11/17 12:15PM
Speaker	Pro	Points (20-30)	Speaker	Con	Points (20-30)
1st	Coben	28	1st	Kief	27
2nd	Cardellini	27	2nd	Jasso	27
The winner of this debate was			 Judge's Signature GCA School / Affiliation / Occupation		
(Pro) Con (Circle Winner) Is this a low point win? <u>No</u>					

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Coben
 ⊕ democracy
 - credibility
 ⊕ Opportunity cost
 - job - 80%
 = \$
 - Bonus pay cost

Prep Time

Kief
 ⊕ weakness of govt
 ⊕ Economic govt
 - \$ not going to people
 ⊕ Warm USA

Prep time = 1.5m
 575

Cardellini
 - HR Violations
 - Democracy
 - Internet
 → Russia relationship
 → 90 vs. 10%
 → Piracy 33B loss

Jasso
 ① Warning American Business
 ② Internet is illegal
 ③ Carvo will not charge.
 ④ Cubans blame Maximism
Opportunity Cost
 - money will go to govt.
 → Preferring USA