



**Hosted on the 50th Anniversary
of the National Forensic
Association**

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Tournament Schedule

*All tournament schedule times are written in Central Standard Time.
Please adjust your tournament schedule accordingly.*

Thursday, April 15

6:00pm Opening Assembly
6:30pm General Business Meeting &
Student Meeting

Friday, April 16

9:30am Extemp Prep
10:00am Round 1A (PRO, EXT)
11:15am Extemp Prep
11:45am Round 2A (PRO, EXT)
12:00pm LD Round 1
1:00pm Lunch Break
1:45pm Extemp Prep
2:15pm Round 3A (PRO, EXT)
2:45pm LD Round 2
3:30pm Round 1D (IMP, DUO, POI)
5:00pm Round 2D (IMP, DUO, POI)
5:30pm LD Round 3
6:30pm Round 3D (IMP, DUO, POI)

Saturday, April 17

10:00am Round 1C (POE, INF, PERS)
11:00am LD round 4
11:30am Round 2C (POE, INF, PERS)
1:00pm Lunch Break
2:00pm Round 3C (POE, INF, PERS)
2:45pm LD Round 5
3:30pm Round 1B (RC, ADS, DI)
5:00pm Round 2B (RC, ADS, DI)
5:45pm LD Round 6
6:30pm Round 3B (RC, ADS, DI)
6:45pm LD Development Discussion
8:00pm LD Bracket Released

Sunday, April 18

9:00am Flight A Postings
9:30am Extemp Draw

10:00am Octofinals A (PRO, EXT)
11:00am LD Triple Octofinals
10:45am Flight D Postings
11:30am Octofinals D (IMP, DUO, POI)
1:00pm Lunch Break
1:30pm Flight C Postings
2:00pm Octofinals C (POE, INF, PERS)
2:45pm LD Double Octofinals
3:00pm Flight D Postings
3:30pm Octofinals B (RC, ADS, DI)
4:15pm Flight A+D Postings
5:00pm Quarterfinals A+D (DUO, EXT, IMP, POI, PRO)
LD Octofinals
5:45pm LD Octofinals
6:00pm Flight B+C Postings
6:30pm Quarterfinals B+C (ADS, DI, INF, PER, POE, RC)

Monday, April 19

9:30am Extemp Prep
10:00am Semifinals A+D (DUO, EXT, IMP, POI, PRO)
11:00am LD Quarterfinals
10:45am Flight B+C Postings
11:30am Semifinals B+C (ADS, DI, INF, PER, POE, RC)
1:00pm Lunch Break
1:15pm Flight A+D Postings
1:45pm Extemp Draw
2:00pm Finals A+D (DUO, EXT, IMP, POI, PRO)
LD Semifinals
2:45pm LD Semifinals
3:00pm Flight B+C Postings
3:30pm Finals B+C (ADS, DI, INF, PER, POE, RC)
LD Finals
4:30pm LD Finals
6:30pm Awards

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NFA History

In 1971, Dr. Seth Hawkins, concluding that the needs of the forensics community warranted a national individual events tournament, invented a national championship in individual events, declared it official by fiat and sent invitations. The tournament featured Prose, Poetry, Extemporaneous, Impromptu, After-Dinner Speaking, and Oratory. The tournament was attended by 23 schools, including George Mason University, Ball State University, Defiance College, Eastern Kentucky University, Eastern Michigan University, Evangel College, Georgetown College, Heidelberg College, University of Kentucky, Lehigh University, University of Southern Maine, University of Maryland, Miami University, Niagara University, Ohio University, Ohio Northern University, Purdue University, Sheperd University, Southern Connecticut State University, St. John's College, St. Rose College, West Chester University, and Wright State University.

In January 1973, a draft constitution for the National Forensic Association was written to create a governing body for the tournament. The constitution was accepted at the tournament, hosted by Eastern Michigan University, in April.

Since 1971, the growth of the organization we now know as NFA is evidence of the association's devoted mission of expanding and enhancing comprehensive collegiate education opportunities in speech communication nationwide. The NFA national tournament has been hosted every year since 1971 until 2020, when the Covid-19 pandemic forced the cancelation of the tournament to be hosted by the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater. In its place, the NFA council under the guidance of then President Karen Morris organized a virtual Performances of Distinction festival for graduating seniors and true novices to compete for a chance to have their work archived with national final round videos from previous years. This year, 2021, the NFA Championship Tournament returns for the 50th anniversary of the organization in a live virtual format

Despite the recent challenges forensics has encountered because of the pandemic, the activity remains strong, its coaches and students resilient, and the National Forensic Association continues its rich tradition of excellence in the forensics competition.

From NFA President Megan Koch

April 16, 2021

A year ago, on what should have been the first day of NFA, I remember logging into Zoom to talk to my team and mourn the loss of our season. We weren't quite comfortable with Zoom, so it was laughably awkward - we played a Kahoot, commiserated about classes, speculated on the future, and sent love to our seniors. It was sad and scary but there was some comfort in knowing that as a team and as a community we were all, somehow, together.

And then this past summer the coaches and tech gurus of Forensics came together to ensure that there would indeed be a 2021 season. We hosted workshops about cameras, e-ballots and online tournaments. We scrounged up safe places for students to perform. We debated access and equity, shared tips and resources. We supported each other through lockdowns and family emergencies, traded Zoom tips and gardening victories. By the fall, we were able to do what felt impossible in April 2020: we coached our students and hosted tournaments online. It was a huge undertaking, and it was scary, but there was a lot of comfort in knowing that coaches and students were all stepping into this new medium together.

I've been told, and have said, that we are "resilient," and I'm at a point where I am sick of calling this resiliency. I don't know about you, but I don't feel resilient most of the time. But what I do feel is overwhelming awe at the students whose messages couldn't be constrained by a pandemic, and by coaches who worked so hard to make sure those messages, and that art, had a platform on which to compete and a community with which to celebrate.

As we begin the fiftieth anniversary of NFA Nationals and launch our first virtual NFA National Tournament, I hope we can continue to celebrate the students and the many ways in which art, scholarship and service intersect to form this gorgeously vibrant community. Thank you to our community of coaches, students, alumni, friends and family. Thank you to the NFA Council, Ben Stewart at Speechwire and our fantastic tournament director, John Boyer. Please continue to inspire and be inspired, give and accept grace, laud our performers and lift up their messages. I am incredibly excited that we are stepping into this next era of NFA together.

With appreciation,

Megan Koch Acting NFA President

From Tournament Director John Boyer

April 13, 2021

If you are reading this letter, it means that against all odds and despite the best efforts of a global pandemic, we are about to begin the first online National Forensic Association Championship Tournament – the 49th Championship Tournament in the 50th year of the Association. As I write this letter there is an alternate universe and far better timeline, where teams are beginning to trickle into their hotels in Chicago, to get ready to celebrate this monumental birthday. Don't worry, we'll celebrate soon enough. However, this online tournament IS a celebration of all that our activity has fought to overcome for the past 13 months. We've missed out on van rides, seen budgets cut, and watched technology fail. But through it all, we've seen alumni engagement increase, teams crossing regional boundaries, and learned how to engage and advocate through a computer screen. Most importantly and despite the hardships, you have persevered and thrived, and I am proud that our organization is able to provide you the platform you deserve.

There is a long list of people to thank and I'll do so repeatedly over next four days, but my family and my team are first on the list. The amount of support I've received from my wife and from Lafayette College is nothing short of incredible. In preparation for my focus being on this tournament, my team has become self-sufficient, it's almost like they don't even need me anymore. My Director, Scott Placke, has shouldered a lot of the load and kept my plate clear to focus on this tournament. This experience has reminded me just how important a strong support network is.

Speaking of that, this tournament would be impossible without the help of some very important people. Ben Stewart at SpeechWire is a dear friend and incredible asset to our activity. His tireless dedication to improving his own software at my sometimes frivolous demand is remarkable. This tournament would not have happened without his advice and counsel. Dawn Lowry from George Mason University has been amazing to work with as the Vice President for Tournament Administration. I didn't know what it would be like to be Tournament Director, but one thing I learned really quickly is that the job is a lot easier when you can trust that people have your back. If you ever need someone to have your back, make sure it is Dawn. Last year was supposed to be my trial run learning from our former NFA President Karen Morris and Tournament Director Justin Rudnick. Despite losing that opportunity to learn from two of the best, they have made themselves and their resources available to me all year and this tournament would not have been possible without their support. Finally, this tournament would not have happened without Megan Koch. We just get each other. I can't imagine figuring out how this whole thing works with anyone else. Her support for students and their advocacies is unparalleled and has ensured that the tournament remained focused on what is important. I owe a giant thanks to all of them and the entire National Council that has been there with advice and support every step of the way.

I'm excited to get the tournament underway and I think we have a lot of new features and improvements to roll out this year. Despite not having hosts to work with, we've worked hard to provide a dedicated and diverse judging pool. We've tried to listen to student and coach concerns. From block scheduling, to LD judge strikes, and to judge certification, every effort has been made to improve your NFA Championship Tournament experience. Some of these changes we've been waiting a year for and we are proud of these improvements and more! Welcome to the 2021 NFA Championship Tournament,

John Boyer
NFA Tournament Director
Lafayette College

NFA Hosts

2021	NFA Council (Virtual Tournament)	1995	Eastern Michigan University
2020	University of Wisconsin-Whitewater	1994	Western Kentucky University
2019	Santa Ana, California	1993	Bloomsburg State University
2018	University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh	1992	Mankato State University
2017	University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire	1991	Marshall University
2016	Ball State University	1990	Mankato State University
2015	Ohio University	1989	Upsala College
2014	Eastern Michigan University	1988	Arizona State University
2013	Marshall University	1987	Mankato State University
2012	Ohio University	1986	Bloomsburg College
2011	Illinois State University	1985	Marshall University
2010	Ohio University	1984	Georgia State University
2009	Missouri State University & Drury University	1983	Illinois State University
2008	Tennessee State University	1982	Ohio State University
2007	Berry College	1981	Western Kentucky University
2006	University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire	1980	University of Montevallo
2005	University of Akron	1979	University of Wisconsin-Whitewater
2004	Western Illinois University	1978	Monmouth University
2003	Ball State University	1977	George Mason University
2002	Berry College	1976	California State University-Los Angeles
2001	Western Kentucky University	1975	Niagara State University
2000	Ohio University	1974	Plattsburgh State University
1999	Eastern Michigan University	1973	Eastern Michigan University
1998	Western Illinois University	1972	Ohio Northern University
1997	Ball State University	1971	Ohio Northern University
1996	Western Illinois University		

NFA Member List

Arizona State University
Arkansas State University
Ball State University
Belmont University
Bradley University
Butler University
California State University,
Chico
California State University,
Fullerton
California State University, Los
Angeles
California State University,
Sacramento
Capital University
Carroll College
Central Michigan University
College of Wooster
Concordia College-Moorhead
Concordia University, Irvine
Cornell University
Crowder College
Diablo Valley College
Eastern Illinois University
Eastern Michigan University
El Paso Community College
Emerson College
George Fox University
George Mason University
Grand Canyon University
Hastings College
Hillsdale College
Hofstra University
Humboldt State University
Illinois College
Illinois State University
Ithaca College
James Madison University
John Carroll University
Kansas City Kansas Community
College

Lafayette College
Lewis & Clark College
Lone Star College-North Harris
Lower Columbia College
Macalester College
Marshall University
McKendree University
Minnesota State University,
Mankato
Missouri State University
Missouri Valley College
Modesto Junior College
Nassau Community College
North Central College
Northern Illinois University
Northwest College
Northwestern University
Notre Dame University
Oakton Community College
Ohio University
Pacific University
Park University
Pennsylvania State University
Prairie View A&M University
Purdue University
Queens College
Rice University
San Diego State University
San Joaquin Delta College
San Jose State University
Seton Hall University
Simpson College
Southern Illinois University,
Edwardsville
Southwest Minnesota State
University
St. Joseph's University
Tennessee State University
Texas State University
Truman State University
University of Akron

University of Alabama
University of California,
Berkeley
University of Central Florida
University of Central Missouri
University of Illinois at Chicago
University of Illinois at Urbana-
Champaign
University of Louisiana at
Lafayette
University of Minnesota
University of Nebraska-Lincoln
University of Northern Iowa
University of North Texas
University of South Florida St.
Petersburg
University of Texas at Austin
University of Texas at El Paso
University of the Pacific
University of Utah
University of Washington
Bothell
University of Wisconsin-Eau
Claire
University of Wisconsin-
Madison
University of Wisconsin-
Whitewater
Vanderbilt University
Washburn University
Wayne State University
Webster University
West Chester University
Western Kentucky University
William Carey Forensics
Wisconsin Indianhead Technical
College
Yale University

Sarah Meinen Jedd	Bradley University	Matthew Collie	Minnesota State University, Mankato
Jamie Riewerts	Bradley University	Eric Long	Bradley University
Will Koch	Illinois State University	Amber (Neuenschwander)	Eastern Michigan University
Justin Zabor	Ohio University	Price	
Kelly (Lloyd) Adreani	Eastern Michigan University	Nina Brennan	Eastern Michigan University
Ryan Hershberger	Eastern Michigan University	Ken Young	Bradley University
John Boyer	Otterbein College	AJ Moorehead	Arizona State University
Jim Dobson	Northern Arizona University	Alison Fisher Bodkin	Bradley University
Shane Mecham	Truman State University	Benjamin Jedd	Bradley University
Richard Besel	North Central College	Vance Pierce	Bradley University
Heidi Sulzman	Arizona State University	Tomeka Robinson	McNeese State University
Nelsan Ellis	Illinois State University		
Marianne LeGreco	Bradley University	<u>2006-2010</u>	
		Robert Cannon	Glendale Community College
<u>2001-2005</u>		Annie Kincade	Illinois State University
Aaron Unseth	University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire	Dillon White	Northwestern University
John Coleman	Berry College	Angie Dunk	Illinois State University
Robert Barnhart	Ohio University	Carrie Guggenmos	Western Kentucky University
Erin Gallagher Barnhart	Ohio University		
Bryan McCann	Illinois State University	<u>2011-2015</u>	
Robb Telfer	Illinois State University	Ryan Cashman	Illinois State University
Shannon Maney	Illinois State University	Maureen Brothman	Illinois State University

Larry Schnoor President's Award

2002	Eddie Myers	University of West Florida
2011	Dennis Beagan	Eastern Michigan University
2014	Michael Dreher	Bethel University
2015	Larry Schnoor	Minnesota State University, Mankato
2016	Randy Richardson	Berry College

Distinguished Service Award

George Armstrong	Bradley University
I.E. Listserv	Cornell University
Margaret Greynolds	Georgetown College
Ed Harris	Suffolk University
Seth Hawkins	Southern Connecticut University
Bill Henderson	University of Northern Iowa
Vicki Karns	Suffolk University
Michael P. Kelley	California State University-Los Angeles
Michael Leiboff	Mansfield State University
Al Montanaro	Plattsburgh State University
Chris Reynolds	University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire/Otterbein College
Robbi Rowe	Stetson University
Larry Schnoor	Minnesota State University, Mankato
Walter Stump	University of Southern Maine
Michael Tew	Eastern Michigan University

Eddie Myers Award

2004	Randy Richardson	Berry College
2005	Ray Quiel	Eastern Michigan University
2005	Harry Strine	Bloomsburg University
2006	Mark Hickman	West Chest University
2006	Ed Hinck	Central Michigan University
2006	Karen Morris	University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
2008	Susan Millsap	Otterbein College
2008	Dan Smith	Bradley University
2008	Bruce Wickelgren	Suffolk University
2009	Richard Paine	North Central College
2009	Dave Trumble	St. Anselm's College
2011	Kelly Larson	Missouri Southern College
2013	Brendan Kelly	University of West Florida
2013	George LaMaster	Marian University
2014	Audrey Cunningham	University of Indianapolis
2015	Mary Birkholt	Creighton University
2016	Marlin Bates	University of the Pacific
2019	Leah White	Minnesota State University, Mankato
2020	Nicole Freeman	University of Central Missouri

Team Sweepstakes

2019 Bradley University
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1972 Ball State University
1971 Ohio University

Individual Sweepstakes

2019 Andrea Ambam- Western Kentucky Univ.
2018 Abigail Onwunali- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2017 Jerome Gregory- Bradley University
2016 Farrah Bara- University of Texas at Austin
2015 Jerome Gregory- Bradley University
2014 Andrew Neylon- Ball State University
2013 Kaybee Brown- Bradley University
2012 Jacoby Cochran- Bradley University
2011 Jacoby Cochran- Bradley University
2010 Dan Glaser- Ohio University
2009 Joele Denis- Western Kentucky University
2008 Jessy Ohl- Kansas State University
2007 Kashif Powell- Morehouse College
2006 Paul Davis- Arizona State University
2005 Antonio Moorehead- Arizona State Univ.
2004 John Coleman- Berry College
2003 Meredith Schnug- Miami University
2002 Eric Long- Bradley University
2001 Steve Zammit- Cornell University
2000 Dan Hungerman- Miami University
1999 Brian Davis- Arizona State University
1998 Grant Ward- Illinois State University
1997 Brendan Kelly- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1997 Chris Grove- Illinois State University
1996 August Benassi- Bradley University
1995 Jason Berke- Illinois State University
1994 Andy Wood- Berry College
1993 Jason Berke- Illinois State University
1992 Ronnie Stewart- Bradley University
1991 Karon Bowers- Bradley University
1990 Stephanie Kaplan- Univ. of WI-Madison
1989 Cam Jones- Cornell University
1988 Brenda Dempsey- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1987 Laura Duncan- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1986 Greg Dolph- Bradley University
1985 John Broer- Miami University
1984 Brad Johansen- Bradley University
1983 Mike Jones- Eastern Michigan University
1982 Theresa McElwee- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1981 Jon Capecci- Eastern Michigan University
1980 Jon Capecci- Eastern Michigan University
1979 George Denger- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1978 William Young- Univ. of Southern CA
1977 Michael Garcia- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1976 Irene Ziegler- Stetson University
1975 Bobbi Rowe- Stetson University
1974 Bobbi Rowe- Stetson University
1973 Jim Molnar- Ohio University
1972 Jim Molnar- Ohio University
1971 Robert Reider- Ohio University

Lincoln-Douglas Sweepstakes

2019	Western Kentucky University
2018	Western Kentucky University
2017	Western Kentucky University
2016	Western Kentucky University
2015	Western Kentucky University
2014	Western Kentucky University
2013	Western Kentucky University
2012	Truman State University
2011	Western Kentucky University
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2008	Western Kentucky University
2007	Western Kentucky University
2006	Western Kentucky University
2004	Western Kentucky University
2003	Creighton University
2002	Creighton University
2001	Missouri Southern State College
2000	Central Missouri State University
1999	Western Kentucky University
1998	Western Kentucky University
1997	Colorado State University
1996	Western Kentucky University
1995	Western Kentucky University
1994	Ohio State University
1993	Suffolk University
1992	Ohio University

Performances of Highest Distinction 2020

Performer of Highest Distinction	Saeed Malami	Lafayette College
After-Dinner Speaking	Daniel Altabet	George Mason University
Dramatic Interpretation	Trijae	Bradley University
Duo Interpretation	Craig Heyne & Jolie Sherman	Illinois State University
Extemporaneous Speaking	Nader Syed	University of Texas at Austin
Impromptu Speaking	Andrew Yohanan	Bradley University
Informative Speaking	Dinah Chukwu	University of Texas at Austin
Lincoln-Douglas Debate	Alex Rivera	Western Kentucky University
Persuasion	John Henry	George Mason University
Poetry Interpretation	Saeed Malami	Lafayette College
Program Oral Interpretation	Faith LoPiccolo	Western Kentucky University
Prose Interpretation	Trijae	Bradley University

Impromptu Speaking

2019	Jordan Auzenne- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2018	Annie Schuver- Bradley University
2017	Kohinoor Gill- Arizona State University
2016	Jerome Gregory- Bradley University
2015	Paige Settles- Western Kentucky Univ.
2014	Patrick Seick- Eastern Michigan Univ.
2013	Andrew Neylon- Ball State University
2012	Joshua Hiew- Northwestern University
2011	Shira DeCovnick- Northwestern Univ.
2010	Todd Rainey- Western Kentucky Univ.
2009	Meredith Regan- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2008	Jessica Furgerson- Western Kentucky Univ.
2007	Joelle Perry- Western Kentucky Univ.
2006	Saeed Jones- Western Kentucky Univ.
2005	Antonio Moorehead- Arizona State Univ.
2004	Allison Rank- Miami University
2003	Rob Barnhart- Ohio University
2002	Rob Barnhart- Ohio University
2001	Bryan McCann- Illinois State University
2000	Nathan Mather- Northwestern Univ.
1999	Chris Kristofco- St. Joseph's University
1998	Chris Kristofco- St. Joseph's University
1997	Mike Thompson- Miami University
1996	Paul Higday- Univ. of Pennsylvania
1995	Jeff Archibald- Cornell University
1994	Kevin Minch- Wayne State University
1993	Eric Martin- Bradley University
1992	Ronnie Stewart- Bradley University
1991	Nick Fynn- Ohio University
1990	Ed Wisniowski- Illinois State University
1989	Cam Jones- Cornell University
1988	Cam Jones- Cornell University
1987	Scott Wilson- University of Minnesota
1986	Mitchell Fay- Univ. of WI-Eau Claire
1985	Michell Patrick- LaSalle University
1984	David Alabach- Bradley University
1983	Sam Marcossou- Bradley University
1982	Tom McCarthy- Bradley University
1981	Mary Foersch- University of Virginia
1980	Justin Hughes- Oberlin College
1979	George Denger- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1978	William Young- Univ. of California
1977	Butch Maltby- Wheaton College
1976	Alberto Coll- Princeton University
1975	Jan Marrow- California State University
1974	Alberto Coll- Princeton University
1973	Jerry Bluhm- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1972	Michael Muth- Ohio University
1971	Lisa Uhrig- Ball State University

Extemporaneous Speaking

2019	Aaron Lutz- Lewis & Clark College
2018	Arel Rende- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2017	Arel Rende- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2016	Farrah Bara- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2015	Farrah Bara- Univ. Texas at Austin
2014	Carolyn Evans- Western Kentucky Univ.
2013	Alexis Elliott- Western Kentucky Univ.
2012	Joshua Hiew- Northwestern University
2011	Joshua Hiew- Northwestern University
2010	Seth Peckham- Western Kentucky Univ.
2009	Austin Wright- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2008	Merry Regan- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2007	Jill Collum- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2006	Liz Coleman- New York University
2005	John Geibel- St. Joseph's University
2004	Michael Chen- Seton Hall University
2003	Jason Warren- Northwestern University
2002	Rob Barnhart- Ohio University
2001	Matt Ross- Ohio University
2000	Greg Lipper- Northwestern University
1999	Chris Kristofco- St. Joseph's University
1998	Colin O'Brien- Ohio State University
1997	Brian Cooper- Univ. of CO-Boulder
1996	Ted Scutti- Univ. of Southern Colorado
1995	Paul Higday- Univ. of Pennsylvania
1994	Tom Costigan- Illinois State University
1993	Patrick O'Shaughnessy- Bradley Univ.
1992	Patrick O'Shaughnessy- Bradley Univ.
1991	Nick Fynn- Ohio University
1990	Kimberly Fisher- Arizona State Univ.
1989	Mike Jacoby- Bradley University
1988	Mike Jacoby- Bradley University
1987	David Bickford- Brown University
1986	David Bickford- Brown University
1985	David Bickford- Brown University
1984	Michael Paton- Ohio State University
1983	Roger Aden- Univ. of NE- Lincoln
1982	Kate Joeckel- Univ. of NE-Lincoln
1981	Andy Heaton- Bradley University
1980	Sean Aiken- St. Olaf College
1979	George Denger- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1978	Steve Walton- Kansas State University
1977	Butch Maltby- Wheaton College
1976	Kevin Brady- Princeton University
1975	Don Rice- Ohio University
1974	Alberto Coll- Princeton University
1973	Jerry Bluhm- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1972	Fred Schmidt- Georgetown University
1971	Rob Frazier- Lehigh University

Poetry

2019 Larranz Guider- Univ. of Minnesota
2018 Abigail Onwunali- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2017 Megan Magee- Bradley University
2016 Abigail Onwunali- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2015 Sebastian Orozco- Western Kentucky Univ.
2014 Lindsey White- Western Kentucky Univ.
2013 Tyler Rife- Western Kentucky Univ.
2012 Cecil Blutchter- Bradley University
2011 Chelsea Harman- Western Kentucky Univ.
2010 Dan Glaser- Ohio University
2009 Joele Denis- Western Kentucky Univ.
2008 Claerence Ball- Tennessee State Univ.
2007 Kashif Powell- Morehouse University
2006 Paul Davis- Arizona State University
2005 Antonio Moorehead- Arizona State Univ.
2004 David Montgomerie- Illinois State Univ.
2003 Antonio Moorehead- Arizona State Univ.
2002 Joshua Green- Miami University
2001 Joshua Green- Miami University
2000 Khadeejah Johnson- Arizona State Univ.
1999 Robert Milz- Northern Arizona Univ.
1998 Heidi Sulzman- Arizona State Univ.
1997 Latonya Mason- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1996 Kevin Rolston- St. Joseph's University
1995 Heidi Sulzman- Arizona State Univ.
1994 David Kneebone- Indiana University
1993 Michael Malloy- St. Joseph's University
1992 Antoine McKay- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1991 William Coelius- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1990 Sarah Braun- Bradley University
1989 Sarah Braun- Bradley University
1988 Liesel Reinhart- University of Colorado
1987 Laura Duncan- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1986 Kathy Kasdorf- Illinois State University
1985 Greg Dolph- Bradley University
1984 Lisa Philips- Ohio State University
1983 John Allen- Illinois State University
1982 Cindy Rieke- Illinois State University
1981 Carolyn Mungo- Bradley University
1980 Laura Gordon- Clarion University
1979 Pam Wallace- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1978 William Young- Univ. of Southern CA
1977 Michael Garcia- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1976 Sandra Tett- Northern Michigan Univ.
1975 Mary Stout- Marshall University
1974 Darrell Pop- Heidelberg College
1973 Michelle Morris- Univ. of Montevallo
1972 David Beal- Ohio University
1971 Jim Molnar- Ohio University

Prose

2019 Alli Kennon- Hastings College
2018 Abigail Onwunali- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2017 Abigail Onwunali- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2016 Abigail Onwunali- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2015 Karen Bagoumian- Eastern Michigan Univ.
2014 Elle Pratt- Western Kentucky University
2013 Brooke Stevenson- Bradley University
2012 Camille Yameen- Bradley University
2011 Jasmine McLeod- California State Univ. - Long Beach
2010 Chris Fowler- Creighton University
2009 Amanda Samoyloff- California State University-Long Beach
2008 Adam Sharples- Bradley University
2007 Chris Griesinger- Eastern Michigan Univ.
2006 Lacy Lowrey- Bradley University
2005 Scott Pyle- Bradley University
2004 Jacob Hodgson- Eastern Michigan Univ.
2003 Mike Slefinger- Illinois State University
2002 Joshua Green- Miami University
2001 Joe O'Brien- St. Joseph's University
2000 Robert Pieranunzi- Indiana University
1999 Robert Pieranunzi- Indiana University
1998 Jill McCall- Bradley University
1997 Heidi Sulzman- Arizona State Univ.
1996 James Dobson- Northern Arizona Univ.
1995 Ed Reed- Bradley University
1994 Laial Dahr- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1993 Jason Davidson- Bradley University
1992 William Coelius- Eastern Michigan University
1991 Amy Olsen- Bradley University
1990 Jean Lamarra- Brooklyn College
1989 Robert Adanto- Arizona State Univ.
1988 Todd Tesen- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1987 Debbie Belskie- Ohio University
1986 Greg Dolph- Bradley University
1985 Tony Maull- George Mason University
1984 Tim Clue- Bradley University
1983 Bobbye Perrin- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1982 Cindy Rieke- Illinois State University
1981 Roland Spies- Illinois State University
1980 Morty Ross- Clark College
1979 Michael Garcia- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1978 Mark Ferguson- Bowling Green Univ.
1977 Michael Garcia- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1976 Roscoe C. Burkes- Northern Illinois Univ.
1975 Carol Pounder- Ithaca College
1974 Judy Blackwell- Albion College
1973 Darrell Pope- Heidelberg College
1972 Jim Molnar- Ohio University
1971 Jim Molnar- Ohio University

Persuasive Speaking

2019 Andrea Ambam- Western Kentucky Univ.
2018 Kate Rich- Illinois State University
2017 Jerome Gregory- Bradley University
2016 Farrah Bara- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2015 Sydney Machesky- Wayne State Univ.
2014 Nick Gilyard- Western Kentucky Univ.
2013 Jacoby Cochran- Bradley University
2012 William Igbokwe- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2011 Jacoby Cochran- Bradley University
2010 Patrick Campbell- Bradley University
2009 Austin Wright- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2008 Jessy Ohl- Kansas State University
2007 Chris Griesinger- Eastern Michigan Univ.
2006 Chris Brasfield- Western Kentucky Univ.
2005 Jonathan Carter- Northwestern Univ.
2004 Kelly Bender- Univ. of WI-Eau Claire
2003 Ben Schneider- Univ. of WI-Eau Claire
2002 Chris Lahna- Miami University
2001 Steve Zammit- Cornell University
2000 Dan Hungerman- Miami University
1999 Amanda Hickman- Miami University
1998 Christine Smith- Bradley University
1997 Chris Grove- Illinois State University
1996 Shawn Harris- Univ. of WI-Eau Claire
1995 Jayme Wilson- Eastern Michigan Univ. of WI-Eau Claire
1994 Andy Wood- Berry College
1993 George LaMaster- Bradley University
1992 Todd Prins- Univ. of Northern Iowa
1991 Athena Papachronis- Bradley University
1990 Stephanie Kaplan- Univ. of WI-Madison
1989 Betsy Hefferman- Univ. of WI-Madison
1988 Brenda Dempsey- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1987 Jane Moreland- Illinois State University
1986 Kay Hriensaitong- Bradley University
1985 John Broer- Miami University
1984 Inta Lusic- George Mason University
1983 Michael Jones- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1982 Dennis Upah- Bradley University
1981 Annemarie Mungo- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1980 Sean O'Rourke- Humboldt State Univ.
1979 George Denger- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1978 John Rodden- LaSalle University
1977 Ruth Brenner- Univ. of WI-Eau Claire
1976 Mohammad- Los Angeles Valley College
1975 Sue Sciame- Ball State University
1974 Joe Matthews- Defiance College
1973 Barry Ybrra- California Lutheran
1972 Mark Graff- Ohio Northern University
1971 Ruth Brisbain- Defiance College

Informative Speaking

2019 Ally Knighton- Lewis & Clark College
2018 Suchinder Kalyan- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2017 Derrek Chung- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2016 Kevin King- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2015 Kevin King- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2014 Adam Rayzor- Bradley University
2013 Ryan Tinlin- Bradley University
2012 Tyler Dailey- Western Kentucky Univ.
2011 Blake Longfellow- Bradley University
2010 Dillon White- Northwestern University
2009 Robert Cannon- Glendale Community College
2008 Jessy Ohl- Kansas State University
2007 Kashif Powell- Morehouse College
2006 Kyle Schultz- Illinois State University
2005 Lydia Nelson- Western Kentucky Univ/
2004 Caleb Williams- Western Kentucky Univ.
2003 Annalisa Esposito- Eastern Michigan Univ.
2002 Meredith Schnug- Miami University
2001 Martine Note- Bradley University
2000 Will Koch- Illinois State University
1999 Will Major- Illinois State University
1998 Ann Hackel- Univ. of WI-Eau Claire
1997 Ryan Hershberger- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1996 Mona Dworsack- Illinois State Univ.
1995 Bob Moore- Illinois State University
1994 Ed Reed- Bradley University
1993 Ed Reed- Bradley University
1992 Brian Gardner- Morehead State Univ.
1991 Tony Brooks- Bradley University
1990 Stephanie Kaplan- Univ. of WI-Madison
1989 Joey Callow- Miami University
1988 Brenda Dempsey- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1987 Theresa Buescher- Illinois State Univ.
1986 Brian Welch- Bradley University
1985 Brenda Dempsey- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1984 Bobbye Perrin- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1983 Rachel Holloway- Morehead State Univ.
1982 Rachel Holloway- Morehead State Univ.
1981 Jon Capecci- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1980 Kenda Creasy- Miami University
1979 Christina Reynolds- Ohio University
1978 William Young- Univ. of California
1977 Michael Garcia- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1976 Irene Ziegler- Stetson University
1975 Joey Golden- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1974 Giselle Quiqley- West Chester Univ.

After-Dinner Speaking

2019 Andrea Ambam- Western Kentucky Univ.
2018 Seis Steves- Univ. of Texas at Austin
2017 Andrea Ambam- Western Kentucky Univ.
2016 Sami White- Eastern Michigan Univ.
2015 Berkley Conner- Ball State University
2014 Patrick Seick- Eastern Michigan Univ.
2013 Brooke Stevenson- Bradley University
2012 Ryan Cashman- Illinois State University
2011 Ryan Cashman- Illinois State University
2010 Joe Cozza- Illinois State University
2009 Michael Norris- Illinois State University
2008 Emily Hopper- University of Alabama
2007 Chris Griesinger- Eastern Michigan Univ.
2006 Annie Kincade- Illinois State University
2005 Richard Yu- Clemson University
2004 Shannon Maney- Illinois State Univ.
2003 Robb Telfer- Illinois State University
2002 Robb Telfer- Illinois State University
2001 Kami Kosenko- Bradley University
2000 Amber Price- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1999 Dana Lovecchio- Bradley University
1998 Brendan Kelly- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1997 David Lindrum- Berry College
1996 Ben Lohman- Bradley University
1995 Leigh Stickler- Indiana University
1994 Calvin Fong- Bradley University
1993 Trace Milan- Arizona State University
1992 Steve Futterman- Miami University
1991 Jeff Seasholtz- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1990 Joel Schwartzberg- Emerson College
1989 Jeff Sculley- Bradley University
1988 Kim Roe- Eastern Michigan University
1987 Kim Roe- Eastern Michigan University
1986 Kim Roe- Eastern Michigan University
1985 Melissa Dean- Miami University
1984 Tim Muelhoff- Miami University
1983 Martha Ford- Ohio State University
1982 Mike Bailey- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1981 Jon Capecci- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1980 Jon Capecci- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1979 Ric Roe- Ohio State University
1978 Connie Day- Marshall University
1977 Jerry Neil- University of Tennessee
1976 Mark Hickman- Glenville State Univ.
1975 Randy Miller- Elizabethtown University
1974 Darryl Dean- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1973 David Beal- Ohio University
1972 Judy Sturgis- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1971 Cathie Craig- Georgetown College

Rhetorical Criticism

2019 Derek Collins- Western Kentucky Univ.
2018 Andrea Ambam- Western Kentucky Univ.
2017 Miriann Fant- Ball State University
2016 Bri Kirkham- Ball State University
2015 Jerome Gregory- Bradley University
2014 Andrew Neylon- Ball State University
2013 Jacoby Cochran- Bradley University
2012 Jacoby Cochran- Bradley University
2011 Liz Miller- Miami University
2010 James McGraw- St. Joseph's University
2009 Dan Glaser- Ohio University
2008 Jessie Ohl- Kansas State University
2007 Kashif Powell- Morehouse College
2006 Collin McDonnell- Bradley University
2005 Brandon Wood- Illinois State University
2004 Antonio Moorehead- Arizona State Univ.
2003 Meredith Schnug- Miami University
2002 Chris Lahna- Miami University
2001 Chris Lahna- Miami University
2000 Dan Hungerman- Miami University
1999 Amanda Hickman- Miami University
1998 Kristen Saponaro- St. Joseph's Univ.
1997 Heather Blair- Ohio State University
1996 Jayme Wilson- Eastern Michigan Univ.
1995 Jason Berke- Illinois State University
1994 Danielle Rogowski- Oakland University
1993 Robin Silbergleid- Illinois State Univ.
1992 Ronnie Stewart- Bradley University
1991 Karon Bowers- Bradley University
1990 Stephanie Kaplan- Univ. of WI-Madison
1989 Stephanie Kaplan- Univ. of WI-Madison
1988 John Welk- North Central College
1987 Michael Stotts- Univ. of WI-Madison
1986 Jim McCafferty- George Mason Univ.
1985 Tracy Anderson- Bradley University
1984 Steve Sudhoff- Bradley University
1983 Sam Marcossou- Bradley University
1982 Brian Marsh- Illinois State University
1981 Denise Bostdorff- Bowling Green Univ.
1980 Kathy Fig- Moorhead State University
1979 Eileen Scallen- St. Olaf College
1978 Ray Quiel- Eastern Michigan University
1977 Christine Neiditch- George Mason Univ.
1976 Stephen Collie- Illinois State University
1975 Dot Freeman- Ball State University

Duo Interpretation

2019	Joshua Beckles & Trijae Bradley University	1995	Lamont Vaughn & Jason Berke Illinois State University
2018	Andrea Ambam & Lyric Davis Western Kentucky University	1994	Lori Funk & Ken Volpp Bradley University
2017	Bianca Montgomery & Abigail Onwunali University of Texas at Austin	1993	Karl Holman & Michael Malloy St. Joseph's University
2016	Alexa Thomas & Lizzette Marrero University of Texas at Austin	1992	Stacy Nekula & Jodi Parks Illinois State University
2015	Huy Pham & Berkley Conner Ball State University	1991	Jeff Seasholtz & David Smith Eastern Michigan University
2014	Nick Gilyard & Ray Roberts Western Kentucky University	1990	Carolyn West & William Colieus Eastern Michigan University
2013	Robi Mahan & Mike Tristano Illinois State University	1989	Sarah Braun & Jim Farruggio Bradley University
2012	Jeremy Frazer & Nadine Ajaka Ohio University	1988	Kevin Spengel & Chris Mancini Bradley University
2011	Ethan Milspaugh & Chelsea Harman Western Kentucky University	1987	Ken Klawitter & Jim Skeffington Bradley University
2010	Brian Galston & Angelica Davis University of Texas at Austin	1986	Kevin Spengel & Greg Dolph Bradley University
2009	Cornelius Lee & Ashley Litsey Western Kentucky University	1985	Lisa Alexander & Greg Dolph Bradley University
2008	Emambu Atabong & Elijah Misigaro Bradley University	1984	Wally Gibson & Jim Wineburner Bradley University
2007	Katelyn Wood & Annie Kincade Illinois State University	1983	Mike Jones & Darrel Copp Eastern Michigan University
2006	Natalie Sintek & Lydia Nelson Western Kentucky University	1982	Michael Bailey & Theresa McElwee Eastern Michigan University
2005	Tyler Billman & Lacy Lowrey Bradley University	1981	Michael Bailey & Maureen Berke Eastern Michigan University
2004	Michael Marion & Nina Brennan Eastern Michigan University	1980	John Capecci & Theresa McElwee Eastern Michigan University
2003	Joshua Green & Leah Wessman Miami University	1979	Maureen McDonough & Theresa McElwee Eastern Michigan University
2002	Jaime Riewerts & Joseph Raab Bradley University	1978	Cynthia Meier & Michael Garcia Eastern Michigan University
2001	Zachary Dempsey & Alex Paez San Francisco State University	1977	Gary LaParl & Mark Hickman Marshall University
2000	Elizabeth Kenny & Robert Pieranuzi Indiana University	1976	Stuart & Mallet Morehouse College
1999	Romel Jamison & Nelsan Ellis Illinois State University	1975	Krohn & Stephen Ohio University
1998	Rob Allen & Ryan Morris Bradley University	1974	Kendig & Beal Ohio University
1997	Chad Olsen & Heidi Sulzman Arizona State University	1973	Bohannon & Deborah University of Southern Maine
1996	Chris Fleming & Adam Black Western Kentucky University	1972	Tony Trimble & Don Meade Eastern Kentucky University

Lincoln-Douglas Debate

2019	Anthony Survance- Western Kentucky University
2018	Colten White- University of Nebraska-Lincoln
2017	John Sahlman & Mark Allseits- Western Kentucky University
2016	Alex Glanzman- Kansas City, KS Community College
2015	Nefertiti Dukes- Western Kentucky University
2014	Spencer Orłowski- Western Kentucky University
2013	Susan Taylor- Western Kentucky University
2012	Alison Stickland- Drury University
2011	Sarah Spiker- Western Kentucky University
2010	Kaleb Jessee- Western Kentucky University
2009	Mike Storey- Creighton University
2008	Spencer Harris- Drury University
2007	Mike Storey- Creighton University
2006	Nick Dudley- University of Missouri
2005	Nick Dudley- University of Missouri
2004	John Henderson- Creighton University
2003	Jeremy Hollingshead- Missouri Southern University
2002	Lindsay Marquardt- University of Pennsylvania
2001	Colleen Karpinsky- St. Anselm's College
2000	Sean Williams- Central Missouri State
1999	Mike McDonner- Western Kentucky University
1998	Mike McDonner- Western Kentucky University
1997	Scott Smith- Ohio State University
1996	Robert Mattingly- Western Kentucky University
1995	Mary Cunningham- Suffolk University
1994	Paul Higday- University of Pennsylvania
1993	Robert Mattingly- Western Kentucky University
1992	Cindy Weisenbeck- University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
1991	Kevin Minch- Wayne State University

Dramatic Interpretation

2019	Sarah Courville- University of Texas at Austin
2018	Mariana Garcia- University of Texas at Austin
2017	Abigail Onwunali- University of Texas at Austin
2016	Abigail Onwunali- University of Texas at Austin
2015	Huy Pham- Ball State University
2014	Austin Groves- Western Kentucky University
2013	Ben Davis- North Central College
2012	Jasmine McLeod- California State University-Long Beach
2011	Elle Pratt- Bradley University
2010	Jerome Davis- Western Kentucky University
2009	Vanessa Carranza- Bradley University
2008	Emambu Atabong- Bradley University

Program Oral Interpretation

2019	Trijae- Bradley University
2018	Kirsten Bridgemen- Illinois State University

Experimental Events

2012	Forensics Criticism	Jeremy Johnson- Ripon College
2011	Editorial Impromptu	Joshua Hiew- Northwestern University
2009	Editorial Impromptu	Stan Polit- Northwestern University
2008	Biographical Informative	Stan Polit- Northwestern University
2007	Original Shakespeare	Paul Gillelaland- Univ. of WI- Eau Claire
1999	Dialogue Interpretation	Jill Valentine- Bradley University
1995	Argumentative Interpretation	August Benassi- Bradley University

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