

Minnesota Debate Advocacy Workshop 2014

The Minnesota Debate and Advocacy Workshop (MDAW) is a collaborative effort of the Minnesota Urban Debate League (MNUDL), Augsburg College, the University of Minnesota, and other members of the debate community in the Twin Cities. Its mission is to provide a high quality summer camp experience at the lowest possible cost to students from the upper Midwest region. Our goal is to serve the need for an inexpensive, commuter-friendly, summer debate workshop, and to help increase debate and institute attendance here in the upper Midwest.

Why MDAW?

MDAW Students Get TONS of Practice from Daily Debates! With daily drills, practice rounds and speech re-dos, our campers will have loads of experience to prepare them for the upcoming debate topic. Attending for two weeks? That's 16+ practice rounds! Attending for three weeks? That's 25+ practice debate rounds – the equivalent of more than three regular season tournaments on the topic.

MDAW Faculty Have Diverse Skill Sets. From respected debate teachers to college National Debate Tournament qualifiers, our lab leaders possess a wide range of experience. We recruit only the best and work hard to provide a diversity of skills to our campers. Whether you're a novice, junior varsity, or varsity debater, we have staffs that specialize in teaching to your experience with debate. Want to learn more about critical and performative debate? We have plenty of staff to teach you the ins and outs. Focused on developing your aptitude with counter plans? We can teach you that as well!

MDAW is a Great Bargain. Our camp operates on a not-for-profit basis. This allows us to provide the best value for our campers and their families. We have plenty of scholarship opportunities available, and a competitive pricing model to ensure that our camp is accessible for all campers.

Camps Available:

- 3 Week High School Camp – June 21st – July 12th, 2014
- 2 Week High School Camp – June 21st – July 5th, 2014
- The Art of Persuasion: Introduction to High School Speech and Argumentation (Lincoln Douglas, Public Forum, and Classic Debaters – July 7th – 12th, 2014
- 1 Week Middle School Day Camp – June 16th – June 20th, 2014

Scholarships are available. You must apply by April 15th, 2014. Please contact Mai Yer Vang, at vangmy@augsborg.edu or 612-330-1730.
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