

106th

COMMUNICATION STUDIES SPEECH COMPETITION

Event Agenda

Video Opening: 50 Years of Speech Night

Welcome & Introductions: Alysa Taylor, Assistant Event Coordinator

Emcee Commentary: Katya Halstead, 100th Speech Night Winner

Keynote Address: Dr. Kristine Karnick / Chair, Department of Communication Studies

Guest Speaker: Faith Odiete, 2024 IUPUI Graduation Speaker

Speech Contest Presentations

Audience Voting Period & Guest Entertainment: Music (To Be Announced)

Award Ceremony: Katya Halstead, Laura-Lei Caplinger, and Alysa Taylor

Speech Contestants

Sophie Taylor - "The Connection" | *Cawthon*

Michelle Motley - "Sexual Education Matters" | *Sheeler*

Natalie Tisinger - "Abolition of Ca\$h Bail" | *Sisson*

Ali Byrne - "Detrimental Effects of Mental Health Stigma" | *Sheeler*

Molly Bates - "The Price We Pay" | *Cummings*

Maggie Hoppel - "Original Sin" | *Dorado Marsical*

Maithili Upadhyay - "Beyond the Pills: Nature's Own Promise" | *Plough*

Award Presentations

Katya Halstead Graphic Designer, Event Emcee, 100th Speech Competition Winner

Laura-Lei Caplinger Undergraduate Lab Director and Event Coordinator

Alysa Taylor Undergraduate Assistant Lab Director and Assistant Event Coordinator

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Speech Competition Judging Sheet

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Speaker Number	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6	#7
Speaker Name							
Attention Step Introduction	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10
Need Step The Problem	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10
Satisfaction The Plan	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10
Visualization The Benefits	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10
Action Audience's to-do List/Conclusion	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10
Clear/Convincing Language Transitions/Stylistic Devices/Passion	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10
Effective Sources 5 Sources Used and Cited	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10
Visual Aids Effective Design and Usage	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10
Delivery I Voice/Eye Contact/Gestures	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10
Delivery II Preparation/Practice Evident	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10
Total Score (out of 100)	/100	/100	/100	/100	/100	/100	/100
Rank Speakers Highest = 1 Lowest = 7							