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**Chung Ling Private
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ABOUT US

WolCE is a non-profit social enterprise that aims to provide practical education skills that are packaged in a format that breaks down interdisciplinary knowledge into real life application that can benefit students in a short-term with their interpersonal, thinking skills, and leadership.

ABOUT COMPETITION

ASDC or the Asian Schools Debating Championship is a debate tournament in the Asian Region for students between the ages of 11-19 that was founded in 2009 in the Philippines, and revived by WolCE in 2021.

ADJUDICATION CORE

The adjudication core for ASDC makes up some of the best debaters, and judges in the region.

TENTATIVE

This is a rough guide to how the entire competition is going to be run - do note that it is run entirely online., and there may be delays that could affect the tournament's tentative. However, as we've mastered running debate competitions, expect a maximum delay of 30 minutes only.

REGISTRATION PROCESS

All WolCE events are end-to-end automated - this means you can purchase a team slot from wolce.org/store for this competition without needing to make a bank transfer and checkout within 30 seconds!

SCHOLARSHIP

WolCE is one of the only debate organizers who offer scholarship for up to 90% off registration fees to deserving teams.

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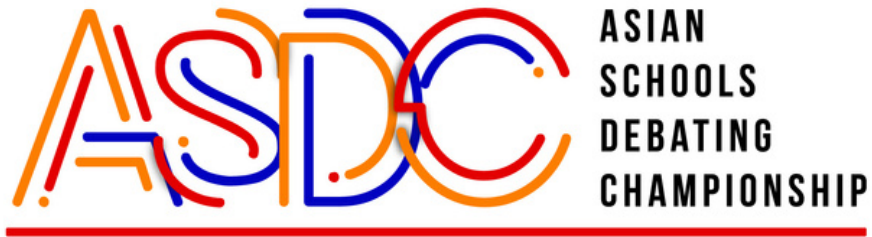


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WoLCE is a non-profit social enterprise that aims to provide practical education skills that are packaged in a format that breaks down interdisciplinary knowledge into real life application that can benefit students in a short-term with their interpersonal, thinking skills, and leadership. As of 2021, WoLCE has positively impacted the lives of over 5,000 individuals across 60 countries through our spars, workshops, training, and events.





The first ASDC was held in 2009 at the De La Salle University campus. In 2010, the tournament was held in the same location. Hosted by Daewon Foreign Language High School, the 2011 Edition of ASDC was held at Ewha Womans University in Seoul, Republic of Korea on July 22–28, 2011. In its 2012, The ASDC was held in Ipoh, Malaysia hosted by Sekolah Tunkul Abdul Rahman whilst its 2013 edition was hosted by Claret School of Quezon City. The tournament was held in Malaysia for the second time in 2014, hosted by Sri KDU Secondary School in Kuala Lumpur.

With participants from countries across Asia, the Asian Schools Debate Championship provides youths of Asia a chance to develop their potential in debate. The gathering of qualified talents from Asia not only allows for diverse, heated competition but also creates an opportunity for participants to share and learn diverse cultures. In doing so, this debate tournament aims to encourage exchange of ideas and interactions among Asian youth for the strengthening and expansion of the debate community in the Asian region.

Aims

1. To hone the potentials of the Asian youth and unleash their talents;
2. To inculcate the value of critical thinking and awareness to the future leaders of Asia;
3. To provide an avenue for academic discourse and cultural exchange amongst the youth;
4. To contribute to the social, cultural and intellectual growth of the Asia's young generations;

Tournament Format



ASDC uses the Asian Parliamentary debate format. It is a 3-on-3 parliamentary debate style that was founded in 1994 in University of Tasmania, Hobart, Australia. ASDC has also implemented a separate novice division break. The novice break is reserved for teams whose members have never participated in any international tournament before and whose team did not qualify for the open break.



LUC CHOONG



Malaysia

- **Champion:** UADC 2021
- **2x Champion:** Malaysian National
- **ESL Champion:** Monash Australs 2020
- **Champion:** Malaysian Debate Open 2019
- **Runner-Up, FBS & OBS:** Royals Intersarsity 2021
- **CA:** Malaysia Pre-ABP 2020



ROHAN KAPUR



Singapore

- **ABP 2021:** Grand Finalist
- **UADC 2020 & 2021:** Open Break
- **ABP 2020:** Open Break
- **Champion:** BAC Debate Open 2021
- **CA:** RV Debate Tournament 2022
- **CA:** Guangdong Debate Challenge 2022



GILLIAN SANDIGAN



Philippines

- **Open Break:** Nepal Australs 2021
- **Open Break:** Bali UADC 2021
- **Overall Best Adjudicator of the Philippines:** NDC 2022
- **Open Break:** National Debate Championship (NDC) 2019
- **Open Octo-Finalist:** PIDC 2019



ABHISHEK ACHARYA



India

- **Korea WUDC 2021:** Open Quarterfinals Panel
- **ABP 2021:** Open Quarterfinalist
- **UADC 2021 & 2020:** Open Break
- **WSDC 2021:** Breaking Adjudicator
- **Uhuru Worlds 2021:** Open Semifinalist
- **CA:** Uhuru Worlds, 2022

Tentative for ASDC 2022

Tentative Schedule (All timings in GMT+8)

27-28 August - Preliminary Rounds

Saturday, 27 August 2022 (GMT +8)

10:00 am - 10:30 am **Roll Call**

10:30 pm - 1:00 pm **Round 1**

1:00 pm - 1:30 pm **Lunch Break**

1:30 pm - 4:00 pm **Round 2**

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm **Round 3**

Sunday, 28 August 2022 (GMT +8)

10:00 am - 10:30 am **Roll Call**

10:30 am - 1:00 pm **Round 4**

1:00 pm - 1:30 pm **Lunch Break**

1:30 pm - 4:00 pm **Round 5**

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm **Round 6**

6:00 pm **Break Announcements**

7:00 - 8:00 pm **ASDC Main Council**

2-3 September- Elimination Rounds

Saturday, 2 September 2022 (GMT +8)

10:00 am - 10:30 am **Check in**

10:30 pm - 12:30 pm **Open Octo Finals**

12:30 pm - 1:00 pm **Lunch Break**

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm **Novice Quarter Finals**

3:00 pm - 5:00 pm **Open Quarter Finals**

Sunday, 3 September 2022 (GMT +8)

10:00 am - 10:30 am **Check in**

10:30 am - 12:30 pm **Open Semi Finals/Novice Semi Finals**

12:30 pm - 1:00 pm **Lunch Break**

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm **Novice Finals**

3:00 pm - 5:00 pm **Grand Finals**

5:00 pm **Closing Ceremony**

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SCHOLARSHIP FUND

WoLCE has regularly given scholarships to teams who deserve them. The application process for a scholarship is already included when registering for the tournament on the Event Page of the tournament. We have had the honour of funding so many great teams through tournaments, especially from teams in underprivileged areas where debate tournaments and opportunities are hard to access. Last year's annual Asian Schools Debate Championship was won by a Nepalese team who were the beneficiaries of our ASDC Scholarship as well. We are incredibly proud of them.

Scholarships up to

90%

**off registration fees are
available for deserving
teams.**

Apply now at wolce.org/asdc!



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