



Debating Society Germany e.V.

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Dear Colleagues, Parents, Students, Guests Of Honour,
Dear Friends and Fellow-Debaters,

On behalf of the Debating Society Germany may I extend a **cordial invitation** to you to join us in this year's

World Schools Debating Championship 2004 In Stuttgart, Germany

Wednesday 11th to Saturday 21st February 2004

In previous years we have been able to host teams variously from Czechia, Israel, Italy, Lithuania, Slovenia, Spain, and the USA, and this year there is promise of 30 teams from all over the world.

Debating will take place every day followed by a programme of visits and receptions. All accommodation will be in Maritim Hotel, situated right at the centre of Stuttgart offering a wide range of facilities and easy access to the Swabian capital's cultural highlights.

The **Quarter-Finals** will take place at

**Landtag von Baden-Württemberg – Wilhelms-Palais – Haus der Geschichte –
Altes Schloss on**

Wednesday, 18th February, from 3 pm till 4 pm.

The **Grand Final** will be held at

Liederhalle, Mozartsaal, 5pm on Friday, 20th February.

Format will be WSDC parliamentary, with points of information and with no cross-examination. Length of speeches will be eight minutes .

As our funding is still very hazardous, we would be very glad if you would give a small donation to the Debating Society Germany, BLZ 600 501 01 LB-BW, A/C no. 8204664.

Please let us know whether you will come, with how many people, and what probable age groups. Please mail answers direct to hoeness@schoolsdebate.de.

With best wishes,
Angelika Hoeness