

Round 1: Domestic

Speaker 1

1. Will the Republican Party face lasting damage due to the bruising battle over Speaker of the House in the 2024 elections?
2. What steps should the Biden Administration take to address illegal border crossings?
3. What impact will the growing prevalence of sports betting have on America?

Speaker 2

1. Will there be a debt ceiling crisis in 2023?
2. What can the GOP do to win Michigan's Senate seat in 2024?
3. Should progressives make a campaign finance reform amendment to the U.S. Constitution a priority?

Speaker 3

1. Does Sarah Huckabee Sanders have a shot as a future presidential candidate?
2. How should the federal government address aquifers in the Midwest?
3. Are bump stock bans constitutionally sound?

Speaker 4

1. Are increased regulations a viable solution for preventing another Southwest-like situation from affecting air travelers?
2. Should the United States abandon sanctions as a soft power tool?
3. Will Donald Trump pull out of the Presidential race before the end of the year?

Speaker 5

1. How should the Biden Administration approach the new Israeli government?
2. Should the United States abandon ethanol subsidies?
3. Will the Supreme Court keep Title 42 later this year?

Speaker 6

1. Are the GOP's midterm failures more of a product of poor candidate quality or poor messaging?
2. Should Donald Trump lose the 2024 GOP nomination, will he run as an independent candidate?
3. Should the United States increase its defense budget?

Speaker 7

1. Will the United States stock market face another volatile year in 2023?
2. Should George Santos resign?
3. Are strikes by academic workers at U.C. Berkeley a sign of shifting waters in academia?

Speaker 8

1. Are runoff elections a concept that should be embraced by more states?
2. Should special education programs be granted greater levels of federal funding?
3. Would U.S. bison populations benefit from more Native American stewardship?

Round 2: International

Speaker 1

1. Should more countries impose COVID testing rules on Chinese travelers?
2. Will 2023 usher in a major global recession?
3. Why did Juan Guaidó fail to unseat Nicolás Maduro in the Venezuelan election?

Speaker 2

1. Have anti-government protests in Iran run out of steam?
2. What lessons about drone warfare can the world glean from the Russia-Ukrainian conflict?
3. What is causing Mexico to lose its war on drugs?

Speaker 3

1. Is pursuing Crimea a prudent move for Ukraine?
2. Should a criminal investigation of Bolsonaro by Lula's government be conducted?
3. Is right-wing extremism becoming a large-scale national security problem in Germany?

Speaker 4

1. Will the new right-wing Israeli government spark another intifada?
2. Will the Russian-Ukrainian conflict reach an end in 2023?
3. Should the European Union forge a closer relationship with Latin American countries?

Speaker 5

1. How will growing inflation impact Justin Trudeau's government?
2. How will the recent increase in Japanese military spending affect Japan's East Asian neighbors?
3. What effect has populism had on Spain?

Speaker 6

1. Was India right to postpone its census?
2. Will Putin be replaced as the leader of Russia in 2023?
3. Is it time for Great Britain to do away with the House of Lords?

Speaker 7

1. What steps should be taken to realign Sudan's democratic transition?
2. What steps should Mexico take regarding immigration restrictions?
3. What steps can Dina Boluarte take to ease political tensions in Peru?

Speaker 8

1. Is NATO losing strength as a result of tensions between Germany and Poland?
2. Is a continued alliance with Russia prudent for Belarus?
3. What can Italy do to improve its economic status?

Round 3: Culture

Speaker 1

1. Was the recent seizure of Andrew Tate's assets justified?
2. Are Andrew Tate's comments about "the Matrix" based in reality?
3. Have influencers like Andrew Tate caused a discernible rise in toxic masculinity?

Speaker 2

1. Was the Biden Administration right to trade Brittney Griner for Viktor Bout?
2. Was Michael Strahan right to call out Skip Bayless for "inhumane" comments regarding Damar Hamlin's injuries?
3. Should Turner Network Television move away from the NBA?

Speaker 3

1. Are Ye's recent comments indicative of growing tolerance toward anti-Semitic rhetoric in the United States?
2. Should Netflix and Spotify purge their platforms of Ye's content?
3. Does Ye stand a chance in the 2024 presidential election?

Speaker 4

1. Does the Catholic Church need to continue the path paved by Pope Francis or revert to that of Pope Benedict XVI?
2. Should more cities follow Hamtramck City Council and legalize animal sacrifice?
3. Is religious freedom in America under attack?

Speaker 5

1. Will Elon Musk's acquisition of Twitter lead to the platform towards a brighter financial future?
2. Are the "Twitter Files" cause for concern?
3. Has free speech on Twitter prospered under Elon Musk's leadership?

Speaker 6

1. Is federal marijuana legalization inevitable?
2. Will recent settlements from CVS and Walgreens have any effect on the opioid crisis?
3. Should more cities embrace syringe exchange programs?

Speaker 7

1. Is Volodymyr Zelenskyy in over his head?
2. Did Volodymyr Zelenskyy's Vogue photoshoot undermine the severity of the Russian-Ukrainian conflict?
3. Were Volodymyr Zelenskyy's comments at the Golden Globes grounded in reality?

Speaker 8

1. Was reinstating Bob Iger the right move for Disney?
2. Are the Golden Globes dying?
3. Does *Avatar: The Way of Water* deserve the backlash it has received from Native American groups for cultural appropriation?