



The Anglo Mexican  
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# THE ANGLO-ESU PUBLIC SPEAKING COMPETITION

Compete for a chance to win a roundtrip  
to London, UK and represent Mexico.

**Category A** - 11 to 15 years old  
**Category B** - 16 to 20 years old

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**MARCH 5th  
and 7th, 2020**

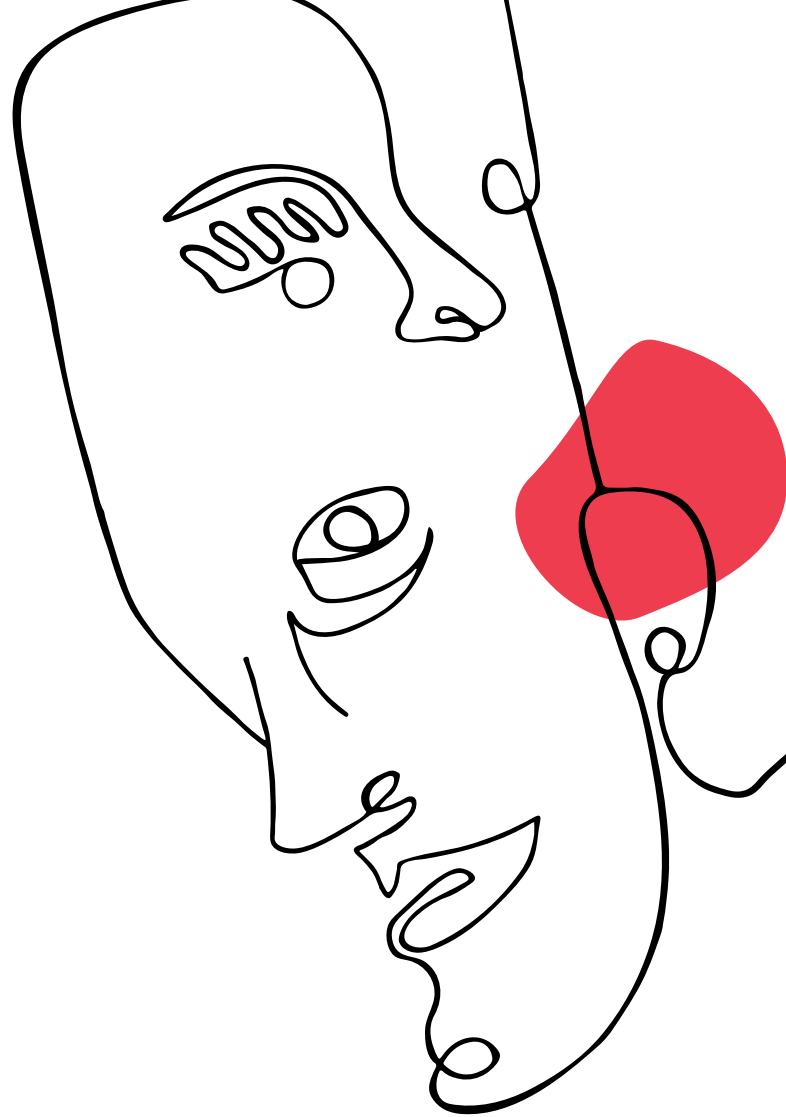


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# GUIDELINES 2020

The Anglo-ESU Public Speaking Competition is organized by The Anglo Mexican Foundation, in conjunction with the English-Speaking Union, México and the Asociación Mexicana de Debate, AC.

The objective is to provide students with an opportunity to develop the vital skills that enable them to speak with confidence in public. Not only does the competition enhance public speaking and critical thinking skills, but it also allows students to perform before an audience. This makes it an engaging and exciting experience for everyone involved as oratory, storytelling and a cohesive narrative are interwoven into speeches given by students about philosophical and relevant topics they give their personal touch to. Moreover, this competition will also serve as the qualification phase in Mexico for the International Public Speaking Competition



## Eligibility

The competition is open to anyone with at least a level equivalent to B2 of English according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages and that complies with one of the following:

### AGE CATEGORIES

**Category A: 11 to 15 years old**

**Category B: 16 to 20 years old\***

All contestants under the age of 18 must provide a consent form signed by their parents or legal guardian. You can find the document titled "Consentimiento de los padres o tutor" in the documents section. Please email this form along with the proof of payment to [competition@tamf.org.mx](mailto:competition@tamf.org.mx)

## Competition format

This competition will take place in the format of the English-Speaking Union's (ESU) International Public Speaking Competition (IPSC).

Students will compete individually.

## Preliminary Stage

The Preliminary Stage of the competition will be held in the afternoon of March 5th. Contestants will present both a prepared speech and an impromptu speech. Participants must write and deliver a 5-minute speech, the title and content must relate to the theme for the competition. Participants may interpret the theme in any way they wish but may not use the theme as the title of their speech.

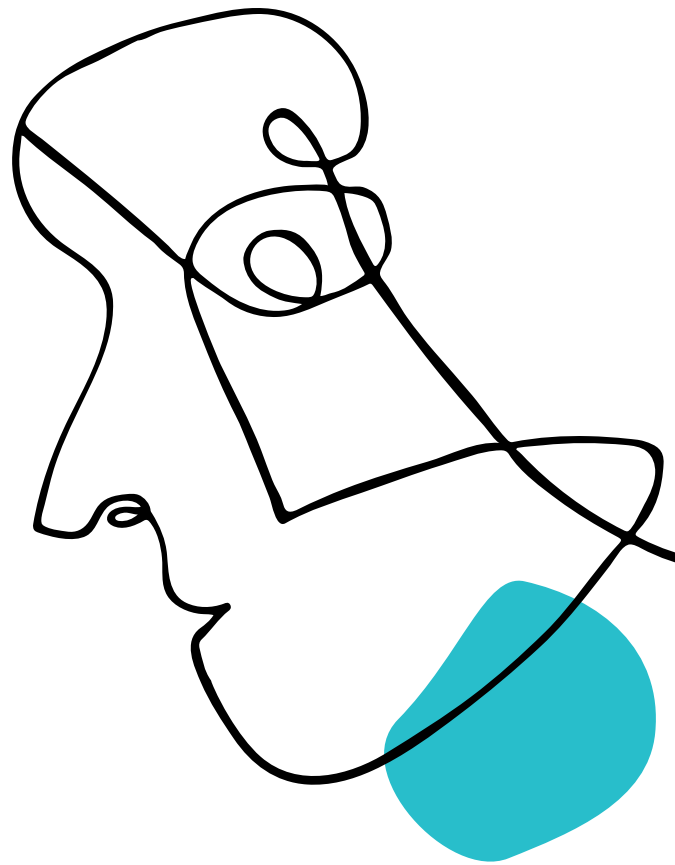
The theme for the prepared speech for Category A is:

**"Think globally, act locally"**

The theme for the prepared speech for Category B is:

**"Not everything that is faced can be changed, but nothing can be changed until it is faced".**

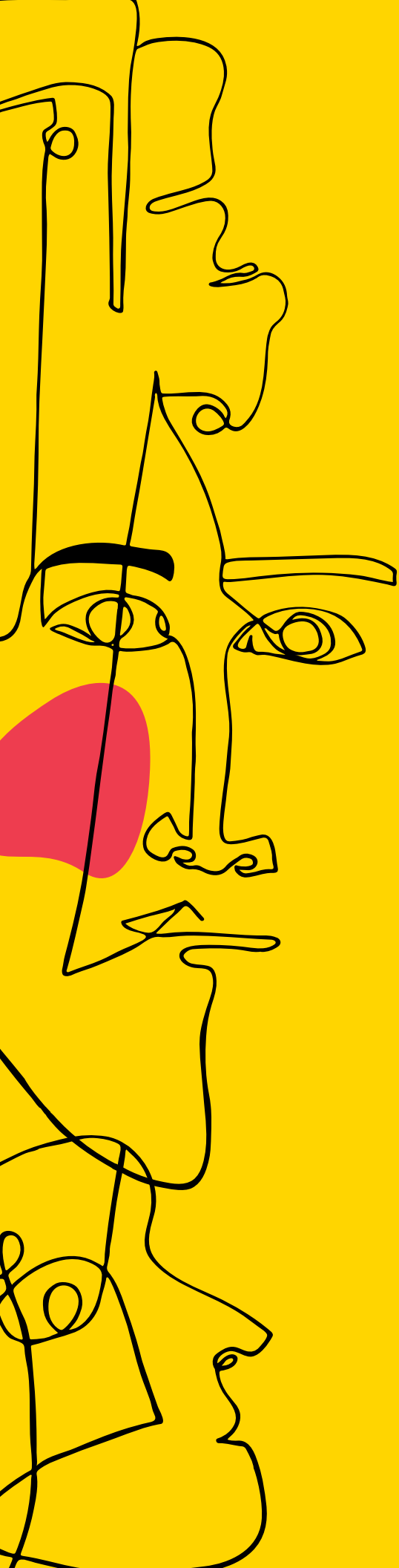
The topic of the impromptu speech will be provided by the organizers on the same day the competition is held and will be based on a general multicultural theme. Contestants will have 15 minutes to prepare their 3-minute impromptu speech.



## Finals

Finals will be held on March 7th with the participation of the 30 best speakers from each category from the Preliminary Stage. They will present the same speech from the Preliminary Stage and will prepare impromptu speeches as well.

*For further details regarding the format, including the judging criteria and more, please download the IPSC Guidelines from the documents section.*



# PRIZES

- **The best speaker from Category B will win a round trip to London, United Kingdom and have all expenses paid to participate in the ESU IPSC to be held from May 10th until May 16th, 2020.**
- The best speaker from Category A will win an Amazon.com Gift Card with a value of \$3000 MXN.
- Second and third best speakers from each category will win an Amazon.com Gift Card with a value of \$500 MXN.
- All contestants involved in the competition will receive a certificate acknowledging their participation.

## Registration

- If you are part of a school that belongs to the Mexican Debating Circuit, please ask your Debate Coach to sign you up.
- Sign up here: <https://forms.gle/eE4Bt8j2HCxpgN8P6>
- Final registration entries are due March 1st

## Fees and banking information

Participants should pay an entry fee by March 1st and send their proof of payment to [competition@tamf.org.mx](mailto:competition@tamf.org.mx) Entry fees depend on the following:

- **\$250 MXN** per independent student or entry that does not provide judges.
- **\$180 MXN** per student if signed by a school that provides a judge each day for every 1 to 5 students
- **\$150 MXN** The Anglo Community

### Banking account information:

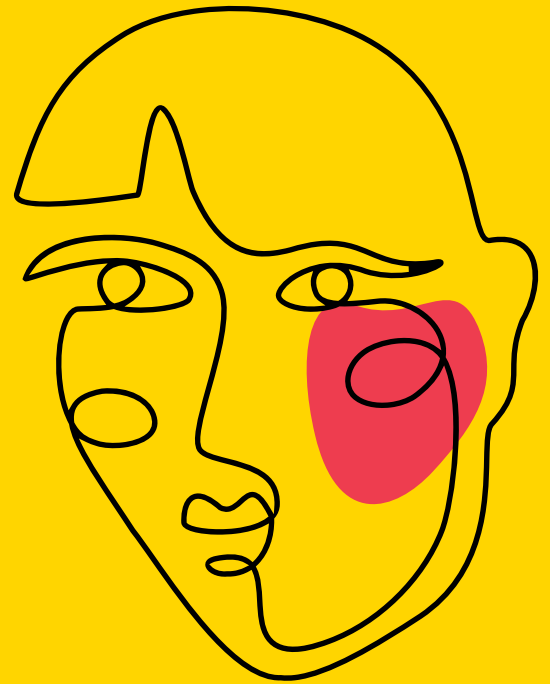
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# ORGANIZERS



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## **The Anglo Mexican Foundation, AC**

The Anglo Mexican Foundation (TAMF) is recognized as one of the most important not for profit educational organizations in Mexico. Its main activities are linked to English language teaching, examinations and teacher training, formal education and social contribution in the form of cultural activities and scholarships for teachers of English. The foundation has been active in Mexico for over 75 years.



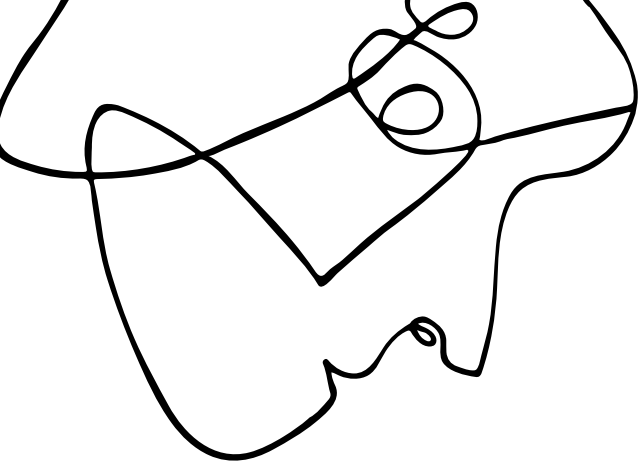
## **English Speaking Union, Mexico**

The English-Speaking Union was founded in the belief that more effective communication between nations would lead to improved global understanding and ultimately, world peace. This belief holds true today and there are currently 54 international English-Speaking Unions spanning the globe. The Mexico Chapter works to give young people the speaking and listening skills and the cross-cultural understanding they need to thrive.



## **Asociación Mexicana de Debate, AC**

The Asociación Mexicana de Debate (AMD) or Mexican Debate Association holds the mission to help people further their critical thinking skills through tools found in competitive debate in order to become engaged citizens, practice values of tolerance, respect, teamwork and improve their researching skills in order to problem solve effectively. We see debate as a tool to promote a constructive exchange of ideas and contribute to the educational landscape in Mexico.



## Social Contribution

**The Anglo Public Speaking Competition (TAPSC) is a not-for-profit activity.** As such, we ask that the winners of the competition give back some of their time and experiences learnt through a social contribution program, to be defined by the Anglo.

## Photography and video permission

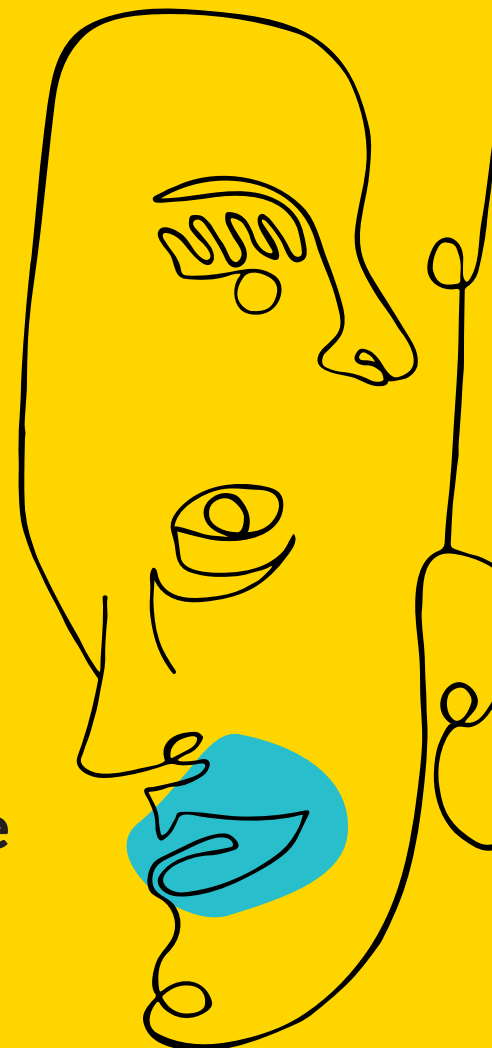
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### \*Contestant eligibility for category B:

- Be available to fully participate in the eliminatory rounds, final rounds, and the international competition.
- Being 16 years of age by May 10th, 2020 and not have turned 21 by May 16th, to be eligible to take part in the ESU's IPSC
- Hold a valid Mexican passport, the expiration date must be at least 6 months after the date of return to Mexico.
- The winner must get and provide an electronic copy of their international travel insurance.
- Minors (under 18 years old) or people under legal guardianship traveling alone or with a non-parental or legal guardian outside Mexican territory must fill out a SAM form of the Instituto Nacional de Migración (INM).
- The prize may be forfeited and awarded to the next best-placed speaker if the winner does not comply with all the above requirements.

## Report / tell us about your experience

**TAMF will ask the winner of Category B** to hand in a report of her/his experience at the end of the international programme. This report can be presented in written, video, or visual form.



# The Anglo Public Speaking Competition Schedule

## Schedule for March 5th

- 15:30- 16:00 Registration
- 16:00 - 16:10 Welcome
- 16:15 - 17:20 Impromptu Preparation and Presentations, R1
- 17:30 - 19:00 Prepared, R2


## Schedule for March 7th


### Category A

- 11:30 - 12:00 Registration
- 12:00 - 13:00 Impromptu Preparation Time and Presentations, R3
- 13:15 - 14:15 Impromptu Preparation Time and Presentations, R4
- 14:30 - 15:15 Finals: Prepared Speech
- 16:15 - 16:30 Announce winners

### Category B

- 9:30 - 10:00 Registration
- 10:00- 11:15 Impromptu Preparation Time and Presentations, R3
- 11:30 - 13:00 Prepared Speech, R4
- 13:00 - 13:15 Announce semifinalists
- 13:15 - 14:30 Semifinals: Impromptu R5
- 15:15 - 16:15 Finals : Prepared Speech
- 16:15 - 16:30 Announce winners

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