

Debate questions HUMR5132 autumn 2014, Wednesday 3 December

Location: Juridisk eksamenssal, Domus Academica

09.30 - 10.00	Neither children/students nor teachers should be permitted to wear religious symbols and clothing in public schools and universities.	For: Emilia Against: Inga
10.05 - 10.35	Denying a blind student admission to professional clinical studies in psychology does not constitute unlawful discrimination, since practicing psychologists need to be able to see their patients' reactions and expressions during therapy.	For: Momoka Against: Diana
10.40 - 11.10	Judges should only enforce a minimum core of socio-economic rights.	For: Ilaria Against: Shimul
11.15 - 11.45	The use of positive discrimination (special measures) that put women in an advantaged position violates men's right not to be discriminated against.	For: Duc Tien Against: Eunjae
30 Minutes lunch break		
12.15 - 12.45	Underage girls need parental permission to have an abortion.	For: Stine Against: Alupo
12.50 - 13.20	When water resources are used for dam projects in ancestral lands, indigenous peoples must provide their consent before a project can begin.	For: Ahn Tu Against: Peter
13.25 - 13.55	The balance between the freedom of expression and the protection against racial discrimination has shifted too far in favor of protection against racial discrimination.	For: Katarina Against: Xili
14.00 - 14.30	All human beings, regardless of disability, enjoy legal capacity on an equal basis with others in all aspects of life. This implies that other people can never substitute the person when it comes to taking decisions. Supported decision-making is the only acceptable approach.	For: Shuai Against: Christina

Debate questions HUMR5132 autumn 2014, Thursday 4 December

Location: seminar room Asbjørn Eide, NCHR

09.30 - 10.00	Religious communities enjoy full freedom when it comes to forming their employment policies.	For: Paul Against: Fan
10.05 - 10.35	Ritual circumcision of boys violates international human rights.	For: Marianne Against: Ana Belén
10.40 - 11.10	A doctor who out of religious reasons refuses to shake hands with the patients, and therefore is dismissed, is the victim of unlawful discrimination.	For: Eivind Against: Swizeen
11.15 - 11.45	In post-conflict societies, common interests of reconciliation must prevail over the right of individuals to know the truth about disappeared relatives.	For: Apriline Against: Windi
30 Minutes lunch break		
12.15 - 12.45	Laws that prohibit blasphemy are incompatible with the right to question and criticize dogmas of power.	For: Maria Against: Tianyu
12.50 - 13.20	Children have all of the rights that adults possess.	For: Nana Against: Hannah
13.25 - 13.55	It is unlawful discrimination if heterosexual couples are permitted to adopt children while homosexual couples are not.	For: Alison Against: Marie Christine