

The Institute for Principle Studies Presents

# FIRST LOOK 2021

**A Topic Conference on the 2021-2022 Stoa Team Policy Debate Resolution!**

## This Is Not A Typical Debate Camp!

There are no lectures on debate theory, no lab groups, and no practice rounds. The focus is on learning about the resolution.

Debaters at NITOC have regularly quoted experts who have spoken at prior First Look conferences. This is your best opportunity to interact with experts on the Artificial Intelligence topic—experts who everyone will be quoting this debate season.

Don't miss this chance to see and hear our nation's experts clash on the Artificial Intelligence debate!

## What To Expect

*Past speakers from 2016-2020 included:*

- Policy Analysts
- Government Department Officials
- Private Business Representatives
- Field Experts
- Published Ph.D.'s
- Think-Tank Directors
- University Professors

**We Expect an Equally Powerful Lineup of Speakers this Year!**



### WHEN:

Friday | Sept. 24 | 9am-4pm  
Saturday | Sept. 25 | 9am-3pm

### WHERE:

Indepedent Institute  
100 Swan Way, Suite 102  
Oakland, CA 94621

### IN-PERSON COST:

\$75.00 per person  
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### REGISTRATION:

[www.PrincipleStudies.org/First-Look](http://www.PrincipleStudies.org/First-Look)

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**Head-Knowledge,  
Resources & Case Ideas  
Are The Fruit Of This  
Conference!**

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## SPEAKER LINE UP!

*See Website for Bios*



**Dr. Bryan Dixon, Ph.D.**

Associate Professor in the Department of  
Computer Science CSU Chico



**Dr. Moayed D. Daneshyari, Ph.D.**

Department of Computer Science at CSU East Bay



**Dr. Ciro M. Lopez, Ph.D.**

Branch Head of the Digital Community of Practice  
Digital Warfare Office of the U.S. Navy



**Alexis Hancock**

Director of Engineering at Electronic Frontier Foundation



**Daniel Castro**

Vice President at the Information Technology &  
Innovation Foundation



**Gregory Rehmke**

Program Director of Economic Thinking



**Dr. Robert J. Marks II, Ph.D.**

Director & Senior Fellow at the Walter Bradley  
Center for Natural & Artificial Intelligence at the  
Discovery Institute



**Mike Winther**

President of IPS

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