

ONTARIO HIGH SCHOOL
ETHICS BOWL

SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 2020
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

University of Toronto Mississauga

Description of Roles

The table below outlines the roles we are seeking volunteers for, along with the training required/recommended for each position and an estimate of the hours required for such training. On the day of the event, we hope that each volunteer will be able to help for at least 2 hours, though they are certainly welcomed to stay for the whole event.

Role	Main duties	Training and hours
<i>Head Judges¹</i>	-Same duties as Judges, plus the following: -Be in charge of a team (3-4 people) of judges and help to orient them throughout the event. -Referee either semi-finals or finals (or both).	-Read through judge duties, grading-scheme, and cases - pg 37-44 (1-2 hrs). -Prepare questions for teams. -Attend judges training session. (1-2 hrs). [required] -Arrive a bit earlier to the event (0.5 hrs).
<i>Judges</i>	-Referee and score matches. -Score teams. -Ask critical questions during matches.	-Read through judge duties, grading-scheme, and cases - pg 37-44 (1-2 hrs). -Prepare questions for teams. -Attend judges training session. (1-2 hrs). [recommended] -Arrive a bit earlier to the event (0.5 hrs).
<i>Moderators</i>	-Deliver opening words for matches. -Ensure that time is kept during matches. -Ensure that rules are adhered to during matches.	-Read through moderators instructions and script - pg 45-48 (1-2 hours). -Arrive a bit earlier to the event.
<i>Clean and Set-up Crew</i>	-Standard duties.	-N/A

Notes

- The finals and semi-finals will be refereed by head judges to ensure consistency in assessment throughout the event.
- The training session for judges will take place in the last week of Feb, or first week of March before the event. We will go over the rules as they pertain to judges. The aim is to ensure that everyone will grade teams using the criteria that characterize the Ethics Bowl.
- It is possible to serve in more than one role, and we will try to ensure that no volunteer serves as just moderator (unless they so prefer).
- Volunteers must arrive early for a mini-orientation session.
- For more information on each role, please see the official documents attached to the email, including the set of cases to be used at the event.

¹ This is not a position found in the official booklet, but one we created to streamline the event. Head judges will be selected from among those who apply to serve as judges and are willing to volunteer for all or most of the event.