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#### The Aff’s failure to defend benefits of United States Federal Government economic engagement toward Cuba, Mexico, or Venezuela undermines debate’s transformative and intellectual potential

#### Resolved requires a policy

**Louisiana House** 3-8-2005, <http://house.louisiana.gov/house-glossary.htm>

Resolution A legislative instrument that generally is used for making declarations, stating policies,

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, 13.1 , 6.8 , and 7.4)

#### Federal government is the national government

Black’s Law 4 (Dictionary, 8th Edition, June 1, 2004, pg.716.)

Federal government. 1. A national government that exercises some degree of control over

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C.J.S. United States - - 2-3]

#### “Economic engagement” is limited to expanding economic ties

**Celik 11** (Arda Can Çelik, graduate M.A in political science and international relations at Uppsala University Sweden, 2011, “Economic sanctions and engagement policies,” http://www.grin.com/en/e-book/175204/economic-sanctions-and-engagement-policies)

Introduction¶ Economic engagement policies are strategic integration behaviour which involves with the target state

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*position of one state affects the position of others in the same direction*.

#### A general subject isn’t enough—debate requires a specific point of difference with fairly and predictably divided ground in order to promote effective exchange – that’s key to inculcate decision making and advocacy skills

Steinberg and Freeley 13, \* David, Lecturer in Communication studies and rhetoric. Advisor to Miami Urban Debate League. Director of Debate at U Miami, Former President of CEDA. And \*\* Austin, attorney who focuses on criminal, personal injury and civil rights law, JD, Suffolk University, Argumentation and Debate, Critical Thinking for Reasoned Decision Making, 121-4

Debate is a means of settling differences, so there must be a controversy,

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particular point of difference, which will be outlined in the following discussion.

#### That’s key to social improvements in every and all facets of life – only portable skill means our framework turns case

Steinberg & Freeley 8 \*Austin J. Freeley is a Boston based attorney who focuses on criminal, personal injury and civil rights law, AND \*\*David L. Steinberg , Lecturer of Communication Studies @ U Miami, Argumentation and Debate: Critical Thinking for Reasoned Decision Making pp9-10

If we assume it to be possible without recourse to violence to reach agreement on

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in our intelligent self-interest to reach these decisions through reasoned debate.

#### Their framework’s exclusive, moralizing presupposition that they have to be outside of the state prevents self-reflexivity and results in the total breakdown of dialogue and engagement

Keenan, 1998 (Alan, Ph.D., Member of the Committee on Degrees in Social Studies at Harvard University, Theory and Event, Vol. 2 No. 1, http://muse.jhu.edu.proxy2.cl.msu.edu/journals/theory\_and\_event/v002/2.1keenan.html)

The anti-political nature of guilt, in turn, helps explain the political

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their belief in the futility, aggressivity, and dreariness of political action.

#### Self-reflexivity is vital to preventing mass violence and genocide

Patricia Roberts-Miller 3 is Associate Professor of Rhetoric at the University of Texas "Fighting Without Hatred:Hannah Ar endt ' s Agonistic Rhetoric" JAC 22.2 2003

Totalitarianism and the Competitive Space of Agonism

Arendt is probably most famous for her analysis of totalitarianism (especially her The Origins

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not relativist, adversarial but not violent, independent but not expressivist rhetoric.

#### Switch-side is key to effective deliberative discourse – forces critical thinking and better advocacy of one’s positions

Keller et al 1 – Asst. professor School of Social Service Administration U. of Chicago (Thomas E., James K., and Tracly K., Asst. professor School of Social Service Administration U. of Chicago, professor of Social Work, and doctoral student School of Social Work, “Student debates in policy courses: promoting policy practice skills and knowledge through active learning,” Journal of Social Work Education, Spr/Summer 2001, EBSCOhost)

SOCIAL WORKERS HAVE a professional responsibility to shape social policy and legislation (National Association

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yield a reevaluation and reconstruction of knowledge and beliefs pertaining to the issue.

#### That’s the lynchpin of solving all existential problems ---our K turns the whole case

Christian O. Lundberg 10 Professor of Communications @ University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, “Tradition of Debate in North Carolina” in Navigating Opportunity: Policy Debate in the 21st Century By Allan D. Louden, p311

The second major problem with the critique that identifies a naivety in articulating debate and

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with the existential challenges to democracy [in an] increasingly complex world.

#### And independently a voting issue for fairness – monopolizing strategy makes discussion one-sided and subverts inclusion of the neg – it’s a prior question and means they shouldn’t get to weigh the aff

Galloway 7—Samford Comm prof (Ryan, Contemporary Argumentation and Debate, Vol. 28, 2007)

Debate as a dialogue sets an argumentative table, where all parties receive a relatively

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**substitutes for topical action do not accrue the dialogical benefits** of topical advocacy.

#### Fairness matters – only way to access social justice and a better debate community

Rawls 99

[John Rawls, Professor of Political Philosophy at Harvard University “A Theory of Justice. Revised ed.” Harvard University Press, 1999.]

One should not be misled, then, by the somewhat unusual conditions which characterize

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women] at odds and allows them to be guided by their prejudices.

## Engagement

#### Latin America improving now – inequality and poverty decreasing

Ferreira 12 (Francisco H. G. , head Economist at the World Bank's Research Department and a Research Fellow at the Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA, Bonn). During his World Bank career, he has also served as Deputy Chief Economist for Latin America and the Caribbean, and as a co-Director of the World Development Report 2006, on Equity and Development. He has published widely in the fields of poverty, inequality, and the political economy of development, and serves on the editorial boards of the Journal of Economic Inequality, the Review of Income and Wealth, the World Bank Economic Review and the Economic Analysis Review, Economic Mobility and the Rise of the Latin American Middle Class, Julian Messina, Jamele Rigolini, Luis-Felipe Lopez-Calva, Maria Ana Lugo, Renos Vakis, Luis Felipe Ló, pez-Calva, Page xi, <http://books.google.com/books?hl=en&lr=&id=BfGvmd4mSe0C&oi=fnd&pg=PP1&dq=latin+america+progress+socioeconomic&ots=rAMn0rJqxV&sig=AKE8fOjyIlvJ2pqz3tpkluCV4os#v=snippet&q=%22decline%20in%20poverty%22&f=false>)

That remains true today: apart from South Africa and Swaziland. all other countries

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millennium. The year 2003 stands out as a break in the series.

#### No prior questions

Owen 2 (David Owen, Reader of Political Theory at the Univ. of Southampton, Millennium Vol 31 No 3 2002 p. 655-7)

Commenting on the ‘philosophical turn’ in IR, Wæver remarks that ‘[a]

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the first and second dangers, and so a potentially vicious circle arises.

#### No intervention impact

**Gray 7**—Director of the Centre for Strategic Studies and Professor of International Relations and Strategic Studies at the University of Reading, graduate of the Universities of Manchester and Oxford, Founder and Senior Associate to the National Institute for Public Policy, formerly with the International Institute for Strategic Studies and the Hudson Institute (Colin, July, “The Implications of Preemptive and Preventive War Doctrines: A Reconsideration”, <http://www.ciaonet.org/wps/ssi10561/ssi10561.pdf>)

7. A policy that favors preventive warfare expresses a futile quest for absolute security

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strategy, though not always policy, **must be nothing if not pragmatic**.

#### No impact to the environment

Holly Doremus 2k Professor of Law at UC Davis, "The Rhetoric and Reality of Nature Protection: Toward a New Discourse," Winter 2000 Washington & Lee Law Review 57 Wash & Lee L. Rev. 11, lexis

Reluctant to concede such losses, tellers of the ecological horror story highlight how close

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material benefits of destructive decisions frequently will exceed their identifiable material costs. n221

## Pedagogy

#### Simulation of Latin American policymaking is key to social progress – prefer specificity

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(“An Updated Assessment of the Trade and Poverty Nexus in Latin America,” p. 375-377)//BB

Despite the move towards more open trade regimes, Latin American economies are still ¶

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to overstate the importance of strengthening the capacity of policymaking in this area.

#### Even if the judge is an educator that’s not a reason to vote affirmative – our method solves skills better

#### Their use of decolonization as a metaphor for debate is only a way to assuage our guilt--- it doesn’t create change and is an independent reason to reject the aff because it makes us LESS likely to change our own role in the system

Tuck 12—Assistant Professor of Educational Foundations at the State University of New York at New Paltz. (Eve, Decolonization is not a metaphor, Decolonization: Indigeneity, Education & Society, Vol. 1, No. 1, 2012, pp. 1-40)

Decolonization as metaphor allows people to equivocate. In reality, the tracks walk all

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unsettle innocence, which we discuss in the final section of this article.