

## 6.141 S14 Final Debate Schedule

### Monday, April 28 1-2 pm

Deliberative robot architectures are more likely than reactive robot architectures to enable reliable performance of real-world tasks.

<b>G</b>	<i>Pro</i>	<i>Con</i>
	Justin	Caitlin
	Lindsay	Kyra

Given two proposals with comparable peer reviews, U.S. funding agencies should favor proposals for research on embodied intelligence over proposals for research on disembodied intelligence.

<b>J</b>	<i>Pro</i>	<i>Con</i>
	Dalitso	Ariana
	George	Vicki

### Monday, April 28 3-4 pm

Humans will eventually grant civil rights to robots.

<b>A</b>	<i>Pro</i>	<i>Con</i>	<b>B</b>	<i>Pro</i>	<i>Con</i>
	Dan	Katherine		Travis	Alex
	Laura	Tej		Cory	Becca

### Wednesday, April 30 1-2 pm

Topic H I: The robotics community should curtail its research activities in order to prevent the emergence of robots that are as capable as humans.

<b>H</b>	<i>Pro</i>	<i>Con</i>	<b>I</b>	<i>Pro</i>	<i>Con</i>
	Jacob	Bianca		Geoff	Kerry
	Steven	Caelan		Isaac	Victoria

### Wednesday, April 30 3-4 pm

Topic C D: Robots should be developed to replace humans in the performance of dull, dirty and dangerous jobs, even if such development means that many humans will lose their jobs.

<b>C</b>	<i>Pro</i>	<i>Con</i>	<b>D</b>	<i>Pro</i>	<i>Con</i>
	Clark	Charlotte		Emad	Henry
	Jessica	Naomi		Aziz	Christina

### Friday, May 2 1-2 pm

Topic E, F: People should grant robots the ability to autonomously discharge deadly weapons.

<b>E</b>	<i>Pro</i>	<i>Con</i>	<b>F</b>	<i>Pro</i>	<i>Con</i>
	Eric	Ami		Will	Veronica
	Mycal	Catherine		Victor	Matt