

## Tilbury House Intervarsity 2005

### Feedback and press

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### Some impressions from last year's IV ...

(...) Just to say that this was one fabulous competition, and an incredible feat for a university running their first IV. Everything ran smoothly, and the people were great.

It was also fantastic value for money - 60 euros per team, including two nights accommodation (in such a nice youth hostel, it could easily pass for a hotel), unlimited free food and booze, travel costs within Cologne paid for, and even a guided tour round the town.

With flights from England between £30 - £50 return, there's really no excuse not to be there next year!

*David Tan, Finalist, via email over the BD list*

„Very british“ ging es am Sonntag im Spanischen Bau des Kölner Rathauses zu, denn beim Redewettstreit „Tilbury House Intervarsity 2005“ wurde im Senatssaal nach den strikten Regeln des britischen Parlaments diskutiert - und zwar komplett auf Englisch. (...)

Die Parteien lieferten sich ein gut strukturiertes, leidenschaftlich vorge-tragenes und mit viel Witz versehenes Rededuell, das schließlich das Team aus Manchester für sich entscheiden konnte. (...)

*Kölnische Rundschau, 7.3.2005  
(regional newspaper)*

Hello German friends!!

(...) Thank you so much for your IV it was wicked and we had an amazing time and we love your for ever. (...)

*Paul Novelle, Manchester, best speaker of the final, winning team.*

(...) Das übt die Rhetorik, das übt für den späteren Beruf - (...)

*Ruhr Nachrichten, 7.3.2005  
(regional newspaper)*

Thank you very much for the fantastic debate. It was without doubt the best organised tournament I have ever had the pleasure to attend, with a great choice of motions and some excellent parties. We at Nottingham look forward to next year's debate (...)

*Christopher Jackson, Nottingham*