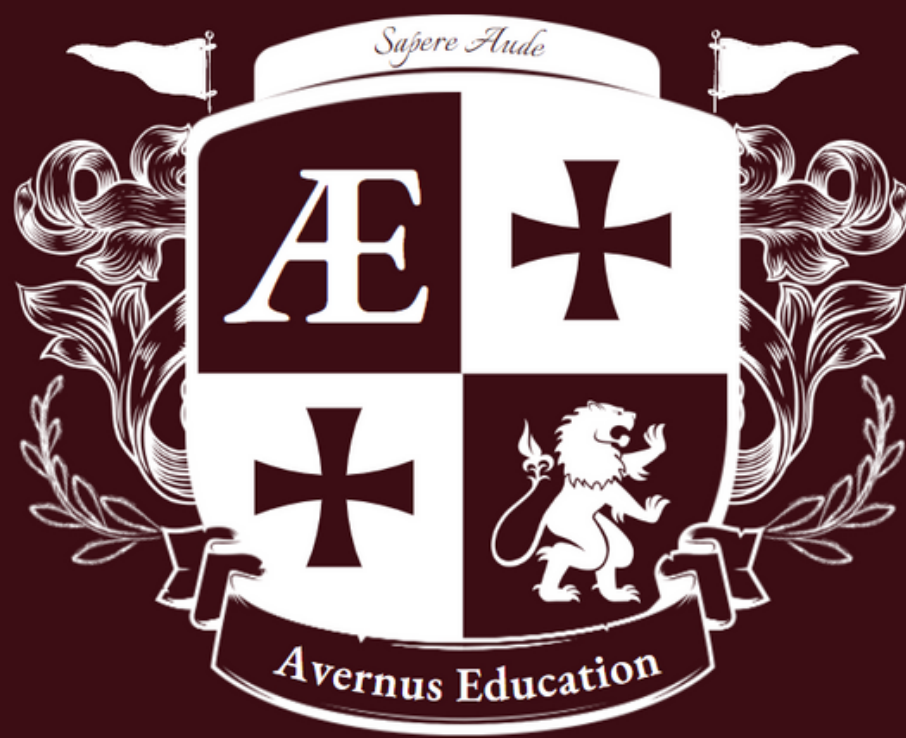


AVERNUS EDUCATION

International Essay Competition *2023/24*



CATEGORIES

MEDICINE
PSYCHOLOGY
ECONOMICS
ENGINEERING
LAW
HISTORY AND POLITICS

SENIOR (17-19) | JUNIOR (14-16)

SUBMISSIONS OPEN NOVEMBER 13TH 2023, CLOSE FEBRUARY 19TH 2024

WINNERS RECEIVE SCHOLARSHIPS AND COMMENDATIONS

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Welcome



Welcome to our prestigious International Essay Competition. At Avernus Education we are thrilled to provide a platform for young minds to showcase their prowess in Medicine, Engineering, Law, Economics, Psychology, History and Politics. These varied subject categories underscore the importance of interdisciplinary study, a crucial foundation for future leaders in our increasingly interconnected world.

Why Do Students Benefit From Participating?

Win Scholarships: Winners receive a unique 100% Scholarship Award to our Oxford University Summer Programme! All Shortlisted Entries receive partial scholarships or credits for online courses.

Showcase Your Knowledge: Dive deep into your chosen subject and present your insights to a global audience.

Boost Your Academic Profile: A win or participation can be a standout feature on your academic and University application profile, particularly for competitive UK Universities (such as Oxbridge and the G5)

Critical Thinking Development: The essay topics are designed to stimulate critical thinking and analytical skills. By dissecting complex issues and formulating well-reasoned arguments, students sharpen their cognitive abilities.

Networking Opportunities: Winners and participants get the chance to interact with fellow students, educators, and professionals in the field. These interactions can lead to lasting connections that might be beneficial in future academic or professional endeavors. All those shortlisted will become part of the Avernus Alumni network, with future invite to conferences and events.

Medicine



Senior Category (Ages 17-19)

“How has the COVID-19 pandemic reshaped the global approach to public health, and what lessons should be carried into the future?”

“Analyse the role of artificial intelligence in diagnostic medicine and its potential effects on healthcare professions.”

Junior Category (Ages 14-16)

“Discuss the ethical implications of genetic engineering and its impact on the future of medicine.”

“How do lifestyle choices impact long-term health, and what strategies can be implemented to promote healthier living from a young age?”

Engineering



Senior Category (Ages 17-19)

“How will sustainable engineering need to adapt in response to the ever-changing face of climate change?”

“As society moves towards renewable energy, evaluate the engineering challenges and opportunities presented by the integration of large-scale energy storage systems with existing power grids.”

Junior Category (Ages 14-16)

“What role should young engineers play in advocating for and designing sustainable and environmentally friendly practices?”

“As technology advances, how do we ensure safety and ethical considerations in the development of AI?”

Psychology



Senior Category (Ages 17-19)

"Analyse the psychological consequences of long-term remote learning on students."

"Investigate the role of psychological factors in addiction and the implications for treatment."

Junior Category (Ages 14-16)

"Analyse the effects of sleep deprivation on learning and memory among school students."

"Explore the concept of resilience in adolescents: What factors contribute to overcoming adversity?"

Economics



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Senior Category (Ages 17-19)

"Investigate the role of cryptocurrencies in the modern economy and their potential to disrupt traditional banking."

"Evaluate the economic consequences of income inequality and potential policies to address it."

Junior Category (Ages 14-16)

"Discuss the role of economic incentives in promoting recycling and sustainable consumption among households."

"Explore how advancements in technology are changing the landscape of traditional jobs for the next generation."



Senior Category (Ages 17-19)

“How do museums impact the way we look at the past?”

“To succeed as a nation, you need a functional government” – What do you think of this statement?

Junior Category (Ages 14-16)

How does the study of history impact our understanding of current global crises?”

“What role do social media and 'instant history' play in shaping young people's perception of the past and present?”

Senior Category (Ages 17-19)

“In an increasingly digital world, how should international law evolve to address the challenges of digital sovereignty?”

“As space becomes the next frontier, how should legal frameworks develop to govern the use and exploration of outer space?”

Junior Category (Ages 14-16)

“What is the role of youth in shaping the future of law in an era of rapid technological advancement?”

“How should laws evolve to protect the environment for future generations in the face of immediate economic interests?”

The Rules



Only ONE essay submission per applicant

Word Limit:

Senior: 1300-1800 words

Junior: 1000-1200 words

Submit in PDF format:

Typed in Times New Roman, 12-point font, double-spaced.

Originality:

Ensure your essay is original and free from plagiarism
(which includes use of 'Chatbots')

Properly reference any citations.

Language:

All essays must be in English.

Monday 19th February deadline

Scholarships



Winners receive an exclusive Avernus Education Scholarship worth over £5000 - granting them free entrance to our exclusive summer camp at Oxford University!



Runners Up receive 5 hours worth of Credits for Avernus courses, conferences and tutoring services

All those shortlisted receive a signed Certificate of Completion and a written reference upon request

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Submission



Submit entries via the link below:

[Click Here to Submit Your Essay.](#)

All entries must be received by 19th February 2024

11:59pm GMT

Please contact a member of our team if you wish for further guidance on completing your essay, or if you have any questions at all. Good Luck!