



## The Fourteenth Japanese Speech Contest for University Student - Results

### Speech Category:

**Winner** – Shuyuan (Shelly) Chen, 2<sup>nd</sup> year at SOAS University of London

Title: アイドル文化の夢と闇 ファンダムによって形作られていく若者の価値観

*The dream and darkness of 'idol culture', how values of young generation are shaped by 'fandom'*

**2nd Place** – Alexander Thacker, 4<sup>th</sup> year at University of Sheffield

Title: 日本の皇室はこれからどうあるべきか: ある提案

*The End of the Heisei: The Japanese Imperial Household System*

**3rd Place** – Callum Sarracino, 4<sup>th</sup> year at University of Edinburgh

Title: 『聲の形』: 漫画にある社会問題を乗り越える力

*"A Silent Voice": The Power within Manga to Overcome Societal Prejudice.*

### Runners Up:

Adaora King, 4<sup>th</sup> year at SOAS University of London

John Trusted, 3<sup>rd</sup> year at University of Oxford

Andrew King, 2<sup>nd</sup> year at Durham University

### Group Presentation Category

University of Bristol Team: たこ焼き Takoyaki

Title: 外国の料理

*Foreign Food*

Group Members: Lucas Dale, Max Whale, Shuye Liu, Janie Tey

University of Oxford Team: メロンパン Melon Bread

Title: 私たちの履歴と 東ヨーロッパの文化

*The Eastern European Culture and our Backgrounds*

Group Members: Adela Bulumac, Katherine Kessler

University of Sheffield Team: クケリ Kukeri

Title: イギリスは変ですね!

*Britain is strange, isn't it?*

Group Members: Vesela Georgieva, Rachel Crossley, Adam

Bannister, Kezzia Dennis

### Individual Presentation Category:

**Winner** – Karolina Jankiewicz, 4<sup>th</sup> year at Imperial College London

Title: 30年の変化: 1989年以降のポーランド

*30 years of change: Poland after 1989*

**2nd Place** – Jin Hui Teh, 4<sup>th</sup> year at Imperial College London

Title: マレーシアの民族の多様性と調和

*Malaysia: Racial Diversity and Harmony*

### Runners Up

Morgan Cliff, 2<sup>nd</sup> year at Newcastle University

Julia Follan, 1<sup>st</sup> year at University of Oxford

Kathleen Ann O'Neil, 1<sup>st</sup> year at University of Edinburgh



SOAS University of London Team: あれ? Huh?

Title: メルティング・ポット: これはわたし達の国の料理?

*Melting Pot: Are These Our Countries' Food?*

Group Members: Lingyi Liu, Anustup Garai, Zachery Grayling

University of Edinburgh Team: ザーネッシーズ The Nessies

Title: ロックネスモンスター

*Loch Ness Monster*

Group Members: Francesca Lutje-Wilkes, Lily Davey, Olivia

Scuplak

Imperial College London Team: 身長差20センチの二人

The Duo With A 20cm Height Difference

Title: 中国のダブルイレブン

*'Double Eleven' in China*

Group Members: Kailun Peng, Jiaying Zhuang