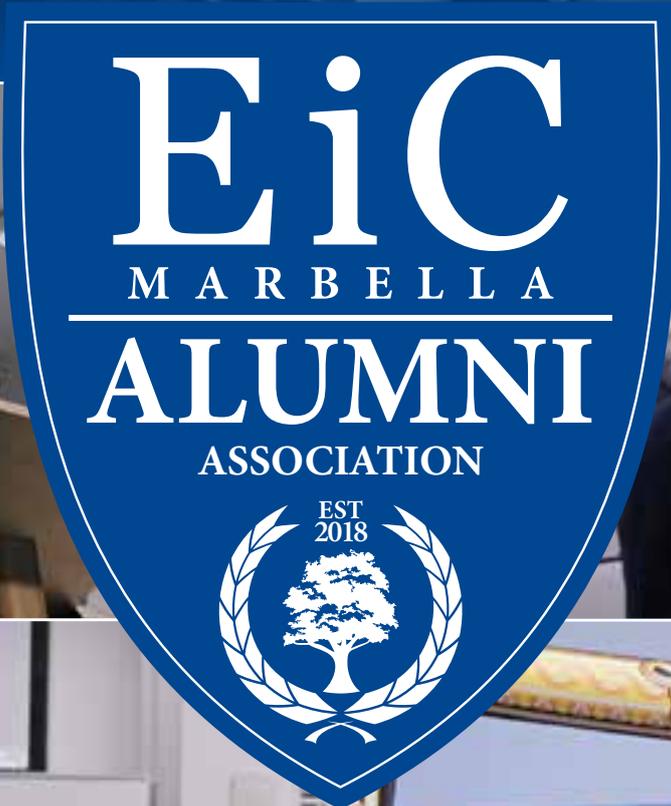


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First Speaker - **Robin Marr** - Y12



Second Speaker - **Patricio Balmaceda** - Y12



Third Speaker - **Samuel Slate** - Y12



Fourth Speaker - **Anthony Fridman** (CAPTAIN) - Y13



Reply - **Finnley Tacon** - Y12



## Opposition (Alumni\*)



First Speaker - **Eden Hurley** - (3rd year undergraduate; International Relations, University of Sussex/ COBIS ¼ Finalist 2015 - Bucharest)



Second Speaker - **Tobias Burke** (BA First Class Honours) - Currently reading MA at King's College London/ EYP Regional (Malaga) and National Champions (Bilbao/ COBIS ¼ Finalist 2015- Bucharest)





Third Speaker - **Danny Al-Khafaji** (International Relations and Politics - King's College London/ Chair of Libertarian Society/ Málaga UNICAJA Young Journalist of the Year/ COBIS World Champion 2017- Marbella)



Fourth Speaker - **Jonas Fleega** (4th year undergraduate; PPE, University College London /COBIS Finalist (Prague) Semi Finalist (The Hague) ¼ Finalists (Bucharest))

Reply - **Yousef Sharif** - (2nd year undergraduate; PPE, University College London/ COBIS World Champion 2016 - Mexico City) Executive of Speaker Relations at UCL Investment Society



Afterwards, there was plenty of time to share a drink or two and reminisce.

The success of such an event and indeed the Alumni itself, is based on the special bonds created at EIC. The hope is that this event will be the first of many and the network of ex students will grow and strengthen. Judging by the turnout and enthusiasm for this inaugural event the EIC Alumni is very much alive and here to stay!

Mr Long  
EIC Principal



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## Year 12 - Houses of Parliament

In arguably one of the most exciting fortnights in recent British political history, Year 12 students were given the opportunity to visit the Houses of Parliament to witness the mother of parliaments in full swing. Before we even passed through security we saw both pro- and anti-Brexit protestors exercising their democratic rights outside the building. Once in-



side, students were taken on a tour of the palace and given an insight into the history and its current function. Students saw Westminster Hall (built by the son of William the Conqueror in 1097 and the site of the trials of Charles I and Oliver Cromwell,



amongst other key historical events); St Stephen's Hall (the original Commons Chamber) and Iain Duncan Smith being interviewed in Central Lobby for BBC news.

We narrowly missed former Prime Minister Tony Blair, who was speaking in a committee chamber. We then were able to enter both the Commons and the Lords Chambers to hear Members of Parliament debating the European Union Withdrawal Bill. Following the tour, students took part in an excellent workshop 'Voting and Representation' which explored ideas key to the A level Politics course, such as the merits of different voting systems and the way in which representative democracy serves the British electorate. A mock election saw Kevin's APT party storm to victory with the promise to Make Britain Great Again. The students were very engaged throughout and superb ambassadors for EIC.

## Careers Week

**11th - 15th - February 2019**  
On these dates we will be celebrating careers week, if you would like to participate and share your university experiences and give any advice to our current EIC students, please contact us at: [eicalumni@eic.edu](mailto:eicalumni@eic.edu)

