

In your email (to moderndaydebate@gmail.com), please share the following information in the exact format below at the start of your email:

“Hi, my name is _____ and I’d like to debate on **_topic** _____ and my position on topic _____ is _____. I’d like to debate the person named _____. The link to my YouTube channel is here: _____.”

You must be willing to go on camera.

You can’t wear a mask during the debate.

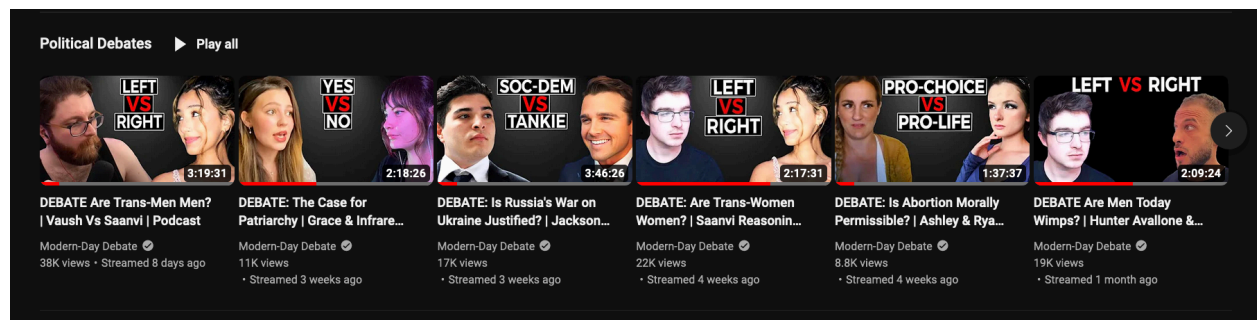
You can’t pre-record your opening statement to then play it during the debate.

Please don’t persuade me to have you on, it’s really about whether the topic fits well with our audience.

We can get you booked much faster if you’re already in touch with an opponent(s) (not necessarily someone that’s been on MDD before). A lot of debates get booked because people got in a spat on Twitter and want to take the debate to MDD.

*If you agree to a debate and back out (especially a few hours below), you need to have a person that can sub in for you. Backing out a few hours beforehand and leaving the other debaters (**most first-time debates are a 2v2**) and the moderator out to dry is not OK.

*If you agree to debate, I will need you to take **30 seconds to use your phone** to take a side shot of your **face** looking like you are looking at the debate opponent (not the camera) like the examples below, where both eyes can be seen but you’re still looking to the side (e.g., a quarter turn)



Last, we nearly always host new people in a 2v2 debate (or several) before allowing a 1v1 just to get a feel for them.