



## C-SPAN ANNOUNCES COVERAGE DETAILS FOR PRESIDENTIAL & VICE PRESIDENTIAL DEBATES

(September 21, 2016) – As part of its ongoing 2016 Road to the White House programming, C-SPAN will have LIVE coverage of the presidential debates between Donald Trump and Hillary Clinton on September 26, October 9, and October 19 and the vice presidential debate between Mike Pence and Tim Kaine on October 4.

### C-SPAN programming for each debate will include:

- 7:30pm** One hour debate preview that will explain the format, rules and questions in the debate
- 8:30pm** C-SPAN goes inside the debate hall 30 minutes prior: hear remarks from the Commission on Presidential Debates, University President & debate moderator
- 9:00pm** Debate LIVE on C-SPAN and C-SPAN2 (C-SPAN will have split-screen showing both candidates throughout the debate)
- 10:30pm** Post debate reaction LIVE on C-SPAN where the viewers, listeners, and social media commenters have the platform to gauge Americans reaction to the debate.
- 10:30pm** LIVE coverage from the spin room on C-SPAN2
- 11:30pm** Debate will re-air on C-SPAN
- 1:00am** Post debate reaction LIVE on C-SPAN with viewer calls and social media comments after the re-air

Additional access to the debates in their entirety and without commentary will be available online via [www.c-span.org](http://www.c-span.org). C-SPAN will live stream each debate allowing users the option of choosing either a split screen or switched camera feed to watch the event online via desktop, phone or tablet. Video on demand of the entire debate as well as every question and answer clipped and searchable by topic or keyword will be available. Users can also clip their own favorite moments to share on social media even while the debate is ongoing. Archived video of Presidential debates from 1960 to 2012 are accessible on the page via the C-SPAN Video Library. For additional interactive debate coverage, follow C-SPAN on all social media platforms and download the free C-SPAN Radio App to listen from anywhere.

### 2016 presidential and vice presidential debates:

Monday, September 26

*Hofstra University, Hempstead, NY*

Tuesday, October 4

*Longwood University, Farmville, VA (Vice Presidential)*

Sunday, October 9

*Washington University in St. Louis, MO (Town Meeting)*

Wednesday, October 19

*University of Nevada, Las Vegas, NV*

**About C-SPAN:**

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