

Brian,

I don't know what I would do, if C-Span didn't exist, to get honest and unfiltered news of persons and events. Your network is truly objective and tries with great diligence to present differing points of view.

However, (you know this was coming Brian, didn't you?) it is almost impossible for C-Span to present fair and balanced coverage when participants from the major universities and colleges are predominately from the left. It's just the nature of the beast, in America, that Georgetown, Yale, Harvard, Columbia, Stanford, Berkeley, Middlebury, George Washington, Emory, Howard, Radcliffe, Mount Holyoke, etc., are bastions of left-wing ideology.

It's not uncommon for a panel discussion from say, Georgetown, to be moderated by a Democrat, and have a majority of Democrats on the panel to the Republican voice is, shall we say, squelched? It is frustrating, Brian, altho' I do try to keep my cool when I'm watching, and listening to, the left-wing's ideologues who are, of course, cheered by the audience of students who are, overwhelmingly on the left. (I actually went to hear my Republican cheered, but it never happens)

I dislike, Brian, but it seems to me

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that Republicans are always being sneered at, or criticized for their "intolerance" when the intolerance from the left which won't allow a fair representation of viewpoints is never acknowledged.

It would be refreshing if C-Span could examine the politics of some of our major universities, plus it seems to me that it's important to shippell, or confirm, the myths that abound about "political-correctness" in thought and speech on our campuses. Some questions —

Are conservative faculty-members denied tenure at a far greater rate than faculty on the left? Are conservative speakers denied the same at campuses? Are student fees used for left-wing organization, and speakers, routinely whilst little money is used for the right? Is there freedom for conservatives to publish student newspapers without censorship? Do religious groups have the same freedoms, the same rights, to express their views as, say, homosexual and lesbian groups? Do women who oppose the radical, gender-based, feminist ideology of faculty members have freedom to appear, and speak, on campus? Do conservative and conservative-libertarians who are non-white, have the opportunity to speak, to debate and be heard, on campuses where many faculty members are black, and left-wing?

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