

Stanley Kaplan Program in American Foreign Policy and The Williams Career Center
2nd Annual Foreign Affairs Career Trek Travel Itinerary
Tuesday, January 23, 2018-Friday, January 26, 2018

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12:00 p.m.-1:30 p.m.

Mission of Yemen to the United Nations in New York

Ambassador Khaled Hussein Alyemany

Permanent Representative of The Republic of Yemen to the United Nations in New York

Abubake Ali Ba Abbad (Williams College CDE, Class of 2017)

Master of Arts, Policy Economics, Yemeni Diplomat, Permanent Mission of The Republic of Yemen to the United Nations in New York.

Ambassador Alyemany will talk to the students about the war and the current situation in Yemen and how the International community and the United Nations are managing the political and humanitarian crises in Yemen. The Ambassador will also talk about the Yemeni-American relations at the UN and how is that affecting the situation in Yemen.

1:45 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

United Nations Tour

5:00 p.m.-5:30 p.m.

The Williams Club of New York

5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

Alumni Panel Discussion and informal dinner

Laurel Jarombek '15

Managing Editor, World Policy Journal, World Policy Institute

Eugenia (Jenny) McGill '78

Senior Lecturer and Interim Director, Economic and Political Development Concentration
School of International and Public Affairs, Columbia University; Former Senior Administrative and
Policy Officer, Asian Development Bank

Peter May '79

Special Agent, Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Strike Force Group, U. S. Drug Enforcement
Agency (Retired); Operation Iraqi Freedom-Active Duty-one year; U. S. Navy Commander (Retired)
Military Intelligence Officer, U. S. Naval Reserve (Retired)

Peter Orphanos '85

Special Agent/Supervisory Special Agent, National Security Investigation and Operations
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Wednesday, January 24, 2018

8:00 a.m.

U. S. Department of State

8:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

Steve Fagin '89

Director, Office of Iranian Affairs, Bureau of Near Eastern Affairs, U. S. Department of State

Chris Wendell '02

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Deputy Director, East Asian and Pacific and South and Central Asian Affairs, Bureau of Conflict and Stabilization Operations (CSO), U. S. Department of State

11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

U. S. Department of Justice

Hannah Hindel '13

International Affairs Specialist, Office of International Affairs, U. S. Department of Justice

Carter Wilkinson '99

Unit Chief, Office of the General Counsel, Federal Bureau of Investigation

1:00 p.m.-2:15 p.m.

NBC News

Ken Dilanian '91

Intelligence and National Security Reporter, NBC News Investigative Unit

3:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m.

New America

Sharon Burke '88

Senior Advisor, New America, Former Assistant Secretary of Defense for Operational Energy Plans and Programs, U. S. Department of Defense

Charley Ebinger '70

Director and Senior Fellow, Foreign Policy Energy Security and Climate Initiative. The Brookings Institution (Retired)

5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

Meet with alumni working on Capitol Hill, Rayburn Office Building

Jesús Espinoza '16

Press Secretary, U. S. Congresswoman Jacky Rosen (D-NV)
Democratic Candidate United State Senator Nevada

Stacy Thompson '15

Legislative Correspondent, U. S. Senator Jeanne Shaheen (D-NH)

Ryan Hamilton '16

Staff Assistant, U. S. Congressman Kenny Marchant (R-TX)

Thursday, January 25, 2018

The National Security Council

9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

Elizabeth Cohan '02

Director for International Development, National Security Council, The White House

11:00 a.m.-1:15 p.m.

The World Bank

Robert Chase '88

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Manager, Strategy, Risk and Country Community Operations Policy and Country Services
The World Bank

11:15 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

- World Bank Overview- What it is, what it does, and how it works
- Bio Sketch: Leveraging a Poli-Ec Thesis to a Career in Economic Development

12:00 p.m.-12:30 p.m.

- Lunch to go-World Bank Cafeteria

12:30 p.m.-1:15 p.m.

- Career Opportunities in International Economic Development
- Prospects for International Economic Cooperation

1:45 p.m.-3:00 p.m.

Pew Research Center

Jacob Poushter '03

Senior Researcher, Pew Research Global, Expertise-Foreign Policy, Global Attitudes, Pew Research Center

Jacob Poushter is an expert in international survey research and writes about international public opinion on a variety of topics, including the international image of the United States, technology use around the world, views about extremism in predominantly Muslim nations and in the West, and public opinion on international threats.

3:15 p.m.-4:45 p.m.

U. S. Department of Health and Human Services

Erika Elvander '89

Director, Asia and the Pacific, Office of Global Affairs, U. S. Department of Health and Human Services

Aimee Kopolow, PhD

Presidential Management Fellow, Global Health Officer, Office of Global Affairs

U. S. Department of Health and Human Services

PhD Microbiology and Immunology-Georgetown University 2014

Bachelor of Science, Medical Microbiology and Bacteriology-University of Edinburg 2005

Friday, January 26, 2017

9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

Ned Carmody '73

Operations Officer, Central Intelligence Agency (Retired)