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**Saturday June 22, 2019**

Dress code: Casual

9:5:30p **Individuals arrive in Washington DC and Check-In at American University**

6:00pm Dinner in American University Cafeteria - Mary Gordon Building

7:00pm **Welcome and Introduction to the Congressional Seminar: Mr. Tom Crossan, President of the Washington Workshops Program**  
*School of International Service -Founders Lounge*

7:30pm **Welcome Remarks from the National Chair of the NSCDA & Executive Director of the Cruise Industry Charitable Foundation**

9:00pm **Program Overview and Model Congress Review**  
*Kerwin Hall - Room 103,104,105*

10:30pm Floor Meetings

**Sunday June 23, 2019**

Dress code: Business Casual

7:00am Breakfast at AU Cafeteria

8:00am Depart for Mount Vernon

9:00am **Visit Mount Vernon - Ancestral Home of George & Martha Washington**

9:35am **Mansion Entry Time**



10:00am **Visit the Daniel Reynolds Education Center & Museum**

11:00am Lunch in the MV Cafeteria

12:00pm Depart for US Marine Corps Memorial

12:40am **Visit the US Marine Corps Memorial**

1:00pm Depart for Arlington National Cemetery

1:30pm **Visit Arlington National Cemetery: Eternal Flame at the Kennedy Gravesite, Robert. E Lee, The Challenger, Columbia and Mast of the Maine Memorials**

3:00pm **Changing of the Guard, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier**

3:15pm **Wreath Laying Ceremony**



3:45pm Depart for National Archives Building

4:15pm **Visit the National Archives - Declaration of Independence, US Constitution, Bill of Rights**

5:30pm Depart for American University

6:15pm Dinner in AU Cafeteria - MG Building

7:00pm **Subcommittee on National Security**  
*Kerwin 105*  
• Claudia Biancotti - Peterson Institute for International Security

7:00pm **Speaker - Mr. Mark Rom, Georgetown University** - "The Importance of Creating Good Public Policy" - *Kerwin Hall 2*

8:30pm **Model Congress Committee Meetings**  
*Kerwin Hall - Room 103,104,105*

10:00pm Floor Meetings

11:00pm Curfew and Security Checks

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**Monday June 24, 2019**

Dress code: Professional

8:00am Breakfast in AU Cafeteria

9:00am **Congressional Committee Briefings - Policy Briefing with Experts in Model Congress Committees**

**Subcommittee on International Trade, Customs, & Global Competitiveness - Kerwin 103**

- Riley Walter, Heritage Foundation
- William Reinsch, Center for Strategic & International Studies

**Select Committee on the Climate Crisis - Kerwin 104**

- Greg Gershuny and Kate Harrison, Aspen Institute
- Philip Rossetti, American Action Forum

**Subcommittee on National Security -Kerwin 105**

- James Wallner, R Street Institute

11:30am Depart for Lunch

12:00pm L'Enfant Plaza Food Court

12:45pm Depart for National Memorials

1:00pm **Visit our Nation's Memorials:**  
• Lincoln Memorial  
• Korean War Memorial  
• Vietnam Veteran's Memorial

2:00pm Depart for Gunston Hall

3:00pm **Special Program on George Mason led by the Regents of Gunston Hall & the NSCDA Chapter**

5:00pm Depart for American University

6:30pm Dinner in the AU Campus

7:30pm **Speaker - Mr. John Farner, Government and Public Affairs, Irrigation Association**  
"Lobbying on Capitol Hill" - *Constitution Hall Event Space*

8:30pm Review Parliamentary Procedure

9:00pm **Model Congress Committee Meetings - Kerwin Hall 201, 202, 203**

10:30pm Floor Meetings

11:00pm Curfew and Security Checks

**Tuesday June 25, 2019**

Dress code: Business Casual

7:30am Breakfast in AU Cafeteria

8:30am Depart for Woodrow Wilson Center

9:15am **Visit the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars - Fiscal Ship**

10:15am Depart for Lafayette Park

10:30am **Photo Op of the White House**



11:15am Depart for Lunch

11:30am Lunch at Eat! at National Place

12:30pm Depart for National Mall - **Visit the Smithsonian Institution Museums**  
• American History Museum  
• Natural History Museum  
• Gallery of Art Museum  
• Air & Space Museum

2:30pm Depart for Dumbarton House

3:00pm **The National Society of the Colonial Dames of America - Annual Tea to Honor Essay Winners**

5:00pm Depart for American University

6:00pm Dinner in AU Cafeteria

7:00pm **Speaker - Dr. David Rehr, Professor of Law, George Mason University**  
*"An Insiders View on Capitol Hill & Legislative Process"* - Butler Pavilion Board Room

8:30pm **Model Congress Committee Meetings**  
*Kerwin 101, 103, 104*

10:30pm Floor Meetings

11:00pm Curfew and Security Checks

**Wednesday June 26, 2019**

Dress code: Professional

7:00am Breakfast in the AU Cafeteria

8:15am Depart for the Capitol Hill

9:00am **Group Photos at the Reflecting Pool**

9:30-3:30p **Visits with Congressional Delegations**

11:00am Lunch in the CVC

12:10pm Group 1 - **Tour of the US Capitol Building**

12:20pm Group 2 - **Tour of the US Capitol Building**



2:00pm **Independent Committee Time on Capitol Hill:**

- House & Senate Gallery Visits
- Orientation Lecture - US Supreme Court
- Library of Congress Visit

4:00pm All WW Staff & Student meet at the Peace Circle for Departure

4:15pm Depart for Dinner

5:00pm Dinner at Pi Pizzeria - F Street

6:15pm Depart for Joint Base Fort Myer

6:30pm **Twilight Tattoo - The 3rd U.S Infantry Regiment (The Old Guard) and The U.S Army Band**



8:15pm Depart for American University

9:00pm **Model Congress Committee - Prepare Final Bills - Kerwin 101, 103, 104**

10:30pm Floor Meetings

11:00pm Curfew and Security Checks

**Thursday June 27, 2019**

Dress code: Professional in the AM,  
 Casual in the PM

7:00am Breakfast in AU Cafeteria

8:00am **Committee Meetings and Final Preparation for Model Congress**  
 School of International Service - Founders Lounge

9:00am **The Model Congress Full Session**

12:00pm Depart for the Newseum

12:30pm Lunch in the Wolfgang Puck Cafe

1:15pm **Visit the Newseum - Interactive Museum on the News**

3:00pm Depart for Holocaust Memorial Museum

3:30pm **Visit the US Holocaust Memorial Museum**

5:00pm Depart for the National Mall

5:30pm **Visit our National Monuments: FDR, MLK Jr, WWII, and Jefferson Memorials**

6:30pm Depart for Southwest Waterfront

7:30pm **Evening Dinner and Dance Cruise aboard the Spirit of Washington**



10:00pm Depart for American University

10:30pm Hall Meetings

11:30pm Curfew and Security Checks

**Friday June 28, 2019**

Dress code: Casual

6:00-4p Individual Departure to DCA & Union Station begin

7:00am Breakfast at AU Cafeteria

11:00am Final Check Out of AU Dorm Rooms

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**Schedule of Events**



**Congressional Seminar**

June 22-28, 2019  
 American University  
 Washington, DC