United Nations Intensive Summer Study Program

June 4-8, 2018

MONDAY, JUNE 4

7:00 – 8:00  Breakfast in the Diplomacy Room in McQuaid Hall

8:00  Bus departs for the United Nations

9:30  Arrive at the United Nations Foundation located at 801 Second Avenue (between 42nd and 43rd Streets) and proceed to the 9th floor conference room

9:30 – 10:15  INTRODUCTORY SESSION (with student introductions)
Dr. Courtney Smith, Senior Associate Dean, Seton Hall School of Diplomacy
Troy Wolfe, Senior Director, UNA Education Programs & Learning

10:15 – 11:15  FROM FOGGY BOTTOM TO TURTLE BAY: US-UN RELATIONS
Chris Whatley, Executive Director, UNA-USA

11:15 – 12:30  THE UN: STATE OF THE BUDGET
Jordie Hannum, Executive Director, Better World Campaign

12:30 – 1:30  Lunch

1:30 – 2:30  THE UN: SOLVING GLOBAL PROBLEMS AND GEOPOLITICS
Minh-Thu Pham, Executive Director for Policy, UN Foundation

2:30 – 3:00  Walk to the visitor’s entrance to the United Nations at 46th Street and 1st Avenue

3:00 – 4:00  Go through UN security, check in for tour, and debrief

4:00 – 5:15  UN Tour and Gift Shop

5:30  Bus departs for Seton Hall

6:45 – 8:00  Dinner in the Diplomacy Room in McQuaid Hall
TUESDAY, JUNE 5

7:00 – 8:00 Breakfast in the Diplomacy Room in McQuaid Hall
8:00 Bus departs for the United Nations
9:30 Arrive at the Church Center for the United Nations located at 777 First Avenue at 44th Street and proceed to the 2nd floor conference room

10:00 – 11:20 THE DEVELOPMENT IMPERATIVE: TRACKING SDG PROGRESS AND CIVIL SOCIETY
Jenna Slotin, Senior Director, UN Foundation

11:20 – 12:40 THE THREE PILLARS OF REFORM: DEVELOPMENT, CONFLICT, AND MANAGEMENT
Wassin Mir, Senior Fellow for UN Reform, UN Foundation

12:40 – 1:40 Lunch

1:40 – 2:55 RESPONDING TO THE REFUGEE CRISIS: THE IRC ON MIGRATION
Gillian Sorensen, International Rescue Committee

2:55 – 4:10 VOLUNTARY NATIONAL REVIEW: EARLY SUCCESS AND DRIVERS FOR CHANGE
Alyson Neel, Policy and Advocacy Strategist, UN Foundation

4:10 – 4:15 Break

4:15 – 5:15 NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION: JCPOA AND NORTH KOREA
Amr Nour, Director of the United Nations Regional Commissions’ Office in New York

5:30 Bus departs for Seton Hall

6:45 – 8:00 Dinner in the Diplomacy Room in McQuaid Hall

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6

7:00 – 8:00 Breakfast in the Diplomacy Room in McQuaid Hall
8:00 Bus departs for United Nations
9:30 Meet at visitor’s entrance to the United Nations at 46th Street and 1st Avenue
9:30 – 10:00 Go through UN security and walk to Security Council Chamber

10:00 – 12:00 UN SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING: INTERNATIONAL RESIDUAL MECHANISM FOR CRIMINAL TRIBUNALS
Security Council Chamber at UN Headquarters

12:00 – 12:30 Walk to UN Foundation and proceed to the 9th floor conference room
LUNCH SESSION ON THE UNIVERSAL DECLARATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS AT 70: A DISCUSSION OF THE STATUS OF THE UN HUMAN RIGHTS SYSTEM
Ryan Kaminski, Senior Program Manager for Human Rights, UNA-USA
Christen Broecker, Deputy Director, AJC Jacob Blaustein Institute for the Advancement of Human Rights

1:35 – 2:35
FOOD INSECURITY: ENDING MALNUTRITION
Shannon Howard, World Food Program

2:35 – 3:35
G77: ISSUES AND UPDATES IN 2018
Kavita Desai, Advisor on Sustainable Development and Global Policy, UN Foundation

3:35 – 4:00
Walk to the United States Mission to the United Nations, First Avenue @ 45th Street

4:00 – 5:15
BRIEFING ON THE US-UN RELATIONSHIP
Elaine French, Deputy Political Counselor, US Mission to the UN

5:30
Bus departs for Seton Hall

6:45 – 8:00
Dinner in the Diplomacy Room in McQuaid Hall

THURSDAY, JUNE 7

7:00 – 8:00
Breakfast in the Diplomacy Room in McQuaid Hall

8:00
Bus departs for the United Nations

9:30
Arrive at the UN Church Center and proceed to 2nd floor conference room

10:00 – 11:15
THE STATE OF THE GLOBAL CLIMATE AND TRENDS FOR THE FUTURE
Paul Egerton, Representative to the UN for the World Meteorological Organization

11:15 – 12:30
CONVERSATION WITH THE AMBASSADOR OF SWEDEN
Carl Skau, Alternate Representative to the Security Council and Spokesperson, Swedish Mission to the UN

12:30 – 1:30
Lunch

1:30 – 2:45
GLOBAL HEALTH/ GENDER
Henia Dakkak, Programme Advisor, United Nations Population Fund

2:45 – 3:45
FINANCING FOR DEVELOPMENT: PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS
Ilze Melngallis, Senior Director, Business Council for the UN

3:45 – 4:00
Break
4:00 – 5:15  **UN WOMEN**  
Christine Brautigam, Director, UN Women Intergovernmental Support Division

5:30  Bus departs for Seton Hall

6:45 – 8:00  Dinner in the Diplomacy Room in McQuaid Hall

**FRIDAY, JUNE 8**

7:00 – 8:00  Breakfast in the Diplomacy Room in McQuaid Hall

8:00  Bus departs for the United Nations

9:30  Arrive at the UN Church Center and proceed to 2nd floor conference room

10:00 – 11:15  **CONVERSATION WITH PERMANENT OBSERVER OF THE INTERPARLIAMENTARY UNION**  
Patricia Ann Torsney, Permanent Observer to the United Nations, IPU

11:15 – 12:30  **RESPONSIBILITY TO PROTECT**  
Simon Adams, Executive Director, Global Centre for the Responsibility to Protect

12:30 – 1:30  Lunch

1:30 – 2:50  **UN Peacekeeping**  
Chandrima Das, Peacekeeping Policy Director, Better World Campaign

2:50 – 4:05  **THE UN: FIT FOR PURPOSE IN THE YEARS AHEAD**  
Stéphane Dujarric, Spokesperson for the UN Secretary-General

4:05 – 4:20  Break

4:20 – 5:15  **PROGRAM CONCLUSION**  
Final debriefing session and questions

5:30  Bus departs for Seton Hall

6:45 – 8:00  Dinner in the Diplomacy Room in McQuaid Hall