United Nations Intensive Summer Study Program

June 3-7, 2019

Monday, June 3

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

8:00am Bus departs for the United Nations

9:30am Arrive at the United Nations Church Center located at 777 First Avenue at 44th Street and proceed to the 2nd floor conference room

10:00am – 10:15am Introductory Session (with student introductions)
Dr. Courtney Smith, Senior Associate Dean, Seton Hall School of Diplomacy
Mr. Troy Wolfe, Senior Director, UNA Education Programs & Learning

10:15am – 11:15pm From Foggy Bottom to Turtle Bay: US-UN Relations
Mr. Peter Yeo, President, Better World Campaign & Senior Vice President, UN Foundation

11:15am – 11:30am Break

11:30am – 12:30pm The UN: State of the Budget
Mr. Micah Spangler, Director, Advocacy & Humanitarian Affairs, Better World Campaign

12:30pm – 1:30pm Lunch

1:30pm – 2:45pm The UN: Solving Global Problems and Geopolitics
Ms. Minh-Thu Pham, Executive Director for Policy, UN Foundation

2:45pm – 3:00pm Walk to the visitor’s entrance to the United Nations at 46th Street and 1st Avenue

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

4:00pm – 5:15pm UN Tour and Gift Shop

5:30pm Bus departs for Seton Hall

6:30pm – 8:00pm Dinner in the Diplomacy Room in McQuaid Hall
Tuesday, June 4

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

8:00am  Bus departs for the United Nations

9:30am  Arrive at the United Nations Church Center located at 777 First Avenue at 44th Street and proceed to the 2nd floor conference room

10:00am – 11:15am  **SDGs: Evidence of Success Across the UN System**  
Dr. Yongyi Min, Chief SDGs Monitoring Section, UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs

11:15am – 12:30pm  **New and Emerging Challenges for the UN**  
Mr. Wassim Mir, Senior Fellow for UN Reform, UN Foundation

12:30pm – 1:30pm  Lunch

1:30pm – 2:45pm  **Responding to the Refugee Crisis: The IRC on Migration**  
Ms. Gillian Sorensen, International Rescue Committee

2:45pm – 3:45pm  **UN Peacekeeping Through the Lens of the Central African Republic**  
Ms. Nannette Ahmed, Political Affairs Officer, UN Department of Peace Operations

3:45pm – 4:00pm  Break

4:00pm – 5:15pm  **Human Trafficking of the Displaced**  
Ms. Simone Monasebian, UN Office on Drugs and Crime

5:30pm  Bus departs for Seton Hall

6:30pm – 8:00pm  Dinner in the Diplomacy Room in McQuaid Hall

Wednesday, June 5

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

8:00am  Bus departs for the United Nations

9:30am  Arrive at the United Nations Church Center located at 777 First Avenue at 44th Street and proceed to the 2nd floor conference room

10:00am – 11:15am  **Food Insecurity: Ending Malnutrition**  
Ms. Shannon Howard, External Partnerships Officer, World Food Program

11:15am – 12:30pm  **Global Climate Change Policy: Strategies to Mobilize the Global Community**  
Mr. James Vener, Technical Specialist, UN Development Programme
12:30pm – 1:30pm  Lunch

1:30pm – 2:30pm  Conversation with Former Ambassador: Small Member State Engagement
H.E. Sofia Borges, Senior Vice President, UN Foundation

2:30pm – 3:45pm  Ocean Affairs and Law of the Sea
Mr. Michael Shewchuk, Legal Officer, UN Office of Legal Affairs

3:45pm – 4:00pm  Break

4:00pm – 5:15pm  US-UN Briefing
Mr. William Wagner, Senior Policy Advisor, US Mission to the United Nations

5:30pm  Bus departs for Seton Hall

6:30pm – 8:00pm  Dinner in the Diplomacy Room in McQuaid Hall

Thursday, June 6

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

8:00am  Bus departs for the United Nations

9:30am  Meet at the visitor’s entrance to the United Nations at 46th Street and First Avenue, go through UN security, and walk to Security Council Chamber

10:00am – 12:30am  Security Council Meeting: Annual Open Debate on Working Methods

12:30pm – 1:30pm  Lunch and walk to UN Church Center 2nd floor conference room

1:30pm – 2:45pm  Inter-Parliamentary Union: Selling the SDG’s to Parliaments
Ms. Patricia Ann Torsney, IPU Permanent Observer to the UN

2:45pm – 3:45pm  Human Rights and the Universal Periodic Review: Workshop
Mr. Ryan Kaminski, Human Rights Policy Advisor, UN Foundation

3:45pm – 4:00pm  Break

4:00pm – 5:15pm  UN Women: In the Era of Me Too
Ms. Christine Brautigam, Director UN Women Intergovernmental Support Division

5:30pm  Bus departs for Seton Hall

6:30pm – 8:00pm  Dinner in the Diplomacy Room in McQuaid Hall
Friday, June 7

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

8:00am  Bus departs for the United Nations

9:30am  Arrive at the United Nations Church Center located at 777 First Avenue at 44th Street and proceed to the 2nd floor conference room

10:00am – 11:15am  **The UN on Issues of Gender and Human Rights**  
Mr. Aaron Holtz, Senior Policy Adviser: Human Rights and Gender Equality, United Kingdom Mission to the United Nations

11:15am – 12:30pm  **Responsibility to Protect**  
Mr. Simon Adams, Executive Director, Global Centre for R2P

12:30pm – 1:30pm  Lunch

1:30pm – 2:45pm  **Financing for Development: Public Private Partnerships**  
Mr. Rob Skinner, Director, UN Office of Partnerships

2:45pm – 4:00pm  **The UN: Fit for Purpose in the Years Ahead**  
Mr. Stephane Dujarric, Spokesperson for the UN Secretary-General

4:00pm – 4:15pm  Break

4:15pm – 5:15pm  **Concluding Discussion**  
Dr. Courtney Smith and Mr. Troy Wolfe

5:30pm  Bus departs for Seton Hall

6:30pm – 8:00pm  Dinner in the Diplomacy Room in McQuaid Hall