# 2015 Europe Sample Schedule

# Vienna ~ Prague ~ Berlin

# Day One: Heart of Europe: Welcome to Vienna

Arrival at Vienna International Airport

Coach Transfer to Albertina Platz

Welcome Dinner Featuring Authentic Austrian Cuisine

Leadership Group Meeting: Program Orientation, Academic Expectations and Cultural Overview

# Day Two: An Exploration of Global Leadership

Welcome to Vienna: Where Art, Music, and History Collide

Walking Among Vienna's Architectural Wonders: Hofburg Palace and St. Stephen's Cathedral

A Call to 21st Century Global Young Leaders: Speaker on Cross-Cultural Communication

#### Day Three: Perspectives from International Organizations

Leadership Group Meeting: Creative and Collaborative Approaches to Conflict Resolution

Global Partners in Action: International Organizations Field Study Exploration Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) United Nations Vienna

Museumsquartier Exploration: One of the World's Ten Largest Cultural Complexes

An Evening of Traditional Viennese Dining and Music in the Austrian Countryside

# Day Four: The European Union

Leadership Group Meeting: Cultural Exchange

21st Century Opportunities and Challenges: The European Union Briefing by Members of the Austrian Parliament

Leadership Group Meeting: Essential Decision-Making Skills in Today's Global Society

Music without Borders: A Private Symphonic Exploration of European History and Music at Schönbrunn Palace and Gardens, a UNESCO World Heritage Site

## Day Five: Welcome to the Czech Republic

Leadership Group Meeting: Achievement through Goal Setting

Coach Transfer to Prague, Czech Republic Prague Welcome Dinner: Local Czech Cuisine

#### Day Six: The Modern Look of Diplomacy

Examining the Role of 21st Century Diplomatic Leaders: A Modern Look at Global Diplomacy Speaking Event

Walking Exploration of Prague and its 1,000 Years of Culture

Josefov: Historic Prague Neighborhood

Iconic Charles Bridge: Crossing Over the Vltava River Old Town Square: The Pedestrian Pulse of Prague

Malá Strana: Lunch and Exploration

Wenceslaus Square: Heart of the Velvet Revolution

# Day Seven: Welcome to Germany

Global Agenda Council: Creativity and Collaboration in Action at the Simulation Assembly

Coach Transfer to Berlin, Stopping in Dresden

Dresden: The Jewel Box of Germany Welcome to Berlin, Capital of Germany

Germany Welcome Dinner: Authentic Local Cuisine

#### Day Eight: Exploring Human Rights

Exploration of 'East' Berlin: The Transformation of a City

Brandenburg Gate: Gateway Between Former East and West

Checkpoint Charlie: Stories Behind the Wall

Potsdam Platz: From Rubble to Berlin's Dynamic Business Center Case Study of Human Rights: On Site at Two of Berlin's Moving Memorials

Holocaust Memorial: Remembering Victims of War

The Berlin Wall Memorial: Site of the Largest Remaining Section of the

Dividing Wall

# Day Nine: Taking It Home: A Call to Action

Empowering the Next Generation of Global Leaders: Closing Keynote Speaker Exploration of 'West' Berlin

Reichstag: Welcome to the Home of Germany's Government

A View Above Berlin from the Summit of the Reischtag Dome

Final Group Meeting: Looking Towards a Shared Future

Farewell Dinner Dance: Time to Celebrate Achievements and Friendships

# Day Ten: Farewell to Europe

Arrive at Berlin Brandenburg International Airport or Depart for Optional Cultural Extension to Munich, Salzburg and Bavaria

# Optional Cultural Extension Munich, Salzburg and Bavaria

### Optional Day Ten (continued): The Heart of Bavaria

Depart for Munich

Exploring Munich: World-Renowned Bavarian Capital of Science,

Technology, Arts and Culture

Guided and Independent Orientation of Munich's Old Town: Altstadt District

Marienplatz: Munich's Most Scenic Square

New Town Hall: Home of the Famous Glockenspiel

St. Peter's Church: Altstadt's Oldest Church

Traditional German Dinner and Music

#### Optional Day Eleven: Alpine Mountain Experience

Travel to Beautiful Neuschwanstein Castle: One of the Most Visited Destinations in Europe and the Inspiration for Disney Castles

Continue to Garmisch, One of Germany's Top Alpine Towns

Alpine Adventure: Travel by Foot, Train and Cable Car to the Top of

Germany's Highest Mountain, Zugspitze

Summer Glacial Walk: Visit to Germany's Only Year-Round Glacier

# Optional Day Twelve: Salzburg, The Baroque Jewel of the Austrian Alps

Depart for a Day Excursion in Salzburg

Guided and Independent Exploration of UNESCO's World Heritage

Site: Historic Center of the City of Salzburg and Home of Wolfgang

Amadeus Mozart

Mozartplatz: City Center Honoring the Music Master

Mozart's Geburtshaus: Birthplace of a Genius

Mirabell Gardens and St. Peter's Abbey: Icons of Salzburg

Hellbrunn Summer Palace and its Gardens

The Sound of Music: Sights and Scenes of the Iconic Film

Authentic Austrian Dinner

# Optional Day Thirteen: Endings and New Beginnings

Depart from Munich Airport\*

<sup>\*</sup>Please note that students are departing from Munich, Germany to their final destination, and conference staff do not accompany students back to Berlin, Germany.