

# NATIONAL YOUTH LEADERSHIP FORUM: NATIONAL SECURITY

## Diplomacy, Intelligence & Defense

*Washington, DC*

### *2017 Sample Schedule\**

#### **Day One Welcome to the Fields of National Security and Foreign Affairs**

Registration

Orientation and Introduction to Simulation

A Day in the Life of National Security: Briefing by a Senior Member of the  
Department of Homeland Security

Group Meetings

#### **Day Two Public Policy and Our Nation's Security**

Tributes to Valor and Sacrifice: Tour of Our Nation's Memorials

- Lincoln Memorial
- Vietnam Veterans Memorial
- Korean War Veterans Memorial
- National WWII Memorial

Cyber Security Panel

Group Meetings: National Security Strategy Lessons

Focus on Careers: Launching Your Professional Network

- Career Exploration Panels on Diplomacy, Intelligence, and Defense
- Cyber Security Panel

Career Fair

- U.S. Navy
- U.S. Marines
- U.S. Army
- U.S. Coast Guard
- U.S. Air Force
- National Security Agency
- The World Bank Group
- Peace Corps
- U.S. Department of State
- Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
- Virginia Military Institute
- U.S. Air Force Academy

#### **Day Three Implementing Security Policy**

Group Meetings

Diplomacy, Intelligence, and Defense at Work – Site Experiences\*\*

- Beyond the Shadows: A Look at the CIA
- Andrews Air Force Base
- Foreign Service Institute
- The Pentagon
- U.S. Department of State
- Royal Embassy of Saudi Arabia
- Naval Air Station at Patuxent River
- National Security Agency
- U.S. Naval Academy
- International Spy Museum
- Day of Intelligence at International Spy Museum
- Embassy of Japan
- Marine Corps Base Quantico

*\*This sample schedule of events is provided as an example of the overall quality and scope of the experience offered. The 2017 specific schedule, locations, and details may be modified.*

*\*\*Sites require a government-issued photo ID. Listed are examples of previous site experiences.*

Group Meetings: Debriefing and Simulation Preparation

Career Exploration Seminars: Analysis from Washington Insiders

- High Tech Weapon Systems and State-of-the-Art Equipment in National Security
- U.S. Global Responsibilities: Keeping Peace in an Uncertain World
- Defense and Diplomacy Coming Together: The Role of U.S. Military Liaisons Abroad
- Embargoes and Interventions: Policies for Crisis Management
- Knowledge is Power: The Role of Intelligence in American Foreign Policy
- Combating Terrorism at Home and Abroad
- Diplomacy in Action: Strategies for Implementing Foreign Policy
- Globalization and International Trade
- Middle East Peace: Consensus Building Among World Religions
- A Russian Spring? Vladimir Putin and the Twitter Generation
- Building Foreign Language and International Skills
- The Iranian Conundrum
- Dual Role of Special Agents in the Electronic Crimes Task Force
- Military Justice in War Times
- The Great Divide: Civil-Military Relations in a Complex World
- Anti-Piracy and National Security

**Day Four National Security in Action**

Group Meetings

Challenges and Opportunities: The Human Impact of National Security – The Wounded Warrior Project

Closing Keynote Speaker: Insider's Perspective on Defense

The Interagency Reality: Role Committee Seminars

Group Meetings: Crisis or Crossroads – A National Security Simulation, Part I

**Day Five Strategic Decision-Making**

Group Meetings: Crisis or Crossroads – A National Security Simulation, Part II

Arlington National Cemetery

- Changing of the Guard at the Tomb of the Unknowns
- Wreath Laying Ceremony – Four Students Selected to Lay the Wreath
- Kennedy Gravesites

Smithsonian Museums

Photo Opportunity in Front of the White House

Evening Social

**Day Six Looking Forward**

Program Review

Closing Ceremony: Path to New Beginnings

Departures