



2018 NATIONAL STUDENT RESEARCH CONFERENCE PROFESSIONAL DAY FEBRUARY 18, 2018 | WASHINGTON DC

SESSION 1 | 9:00 -10:15 am

LIVING AND WORKING IN WASHINGTON

Potomac Ballroom, Salon A

Chair: Brent Sullivan, Time on the Hill
Anna Swick, Office of Rep Vicky Hartzler (MO)
Blair Edgerton, Booz Allen Hamilton
Will Fadely, Oceana
Ash Latimer, International Brotherhood of Teamsters

SESSION 4 | 10:30 -11:45 am

FOREIGN POLICY TODAY

Potomac Ballroom, Salon A

Moderator: Dan Maliniak, College of William & Mary
David Gordon, former Director of Policy Planning,
U.S. Department of State
Dana Bennett-Goksu, Senior Counsel,
International Finance Corporation

SESSION 2 | 9:00 -10:15 am

THINKING ABOUT GRADUATE SCHOOL

Potomac Ballroom, Salon B

Chair: Lee Ann Banaszak, Pennsylvania State University
Liza Gordon, PhD student, West Virginia University
Marissa Coloske, MA student, George Washington University
Alexandria Leonard, MA student,
Graduate School of Political Management, GWU
Stephen Yoder, PhD, US Government Accountability Office
Kevin Coroneos, MPS, Edelman

SESSION 5 | 10:30 -11:45 am

LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS TODAY

Potomac Ballroom, Salon B

Moderator: Susan MacManus, University of South Florida
John Lawrence, former Chief of Staff to
Speaker/Minority Leader Nancy Pelosi
Lindsey Davis Stover, former Chief of Staff to
U.S. Congressman Chet Edwards

SESSION 3 | 9:00 -10:15 am

THINKING ABOUT LAW SCHOOL

Potomac Ballroom, Salon C

Chair: Marcus Ware, George Washington University
Jenna Owens, East Central University
Paige M. R. Randall, Georgetown University Law
Baili Volluz, American University Law

SESSION 6 | 10:30 -11:45 am

ADVOCACY TODAY

Potomac Ballroom, Salon C

Moderator: Ron Rapoport, College of William & Mary
Nan Aron, President, Alliance for Justice
David Kirby, Senior Fellow, The Cato Institute