

THE WORLD AFFAIRS COUNCIL OF PHILADELPHIA



The **WORLD AFFAIRS COUNCIL OF PHILADELPHIA** is a nonprofit, nonpartisan educational organization dedicated to informing and engaging people of all ages on matters of national and international significance. The Council's top educational goal is to *develop core global competencies*, including: **(1)** expanding students' knowledge of world geography, cultures, economics and international affairs; **(2)** increasing students' ability to understand and recognize emerging transnational issues from a range of perspectives; **(3)** helping students develop the critical thinking, problem solving and leadership skills needed to succeed in a competitive global economy; and **(4)** enhancing students' opportunities to work creatively and collaboratively across local and global borders.

PROGRAM SPOTLIGHT



2019 Academic WorldQuest Trivia Competition

Wednesday, February 13, 2019—Registration Now Open!

The World Affairs Council of Philadelphia is pleased to host its **2019 Academic WorldQuest** International Trivia Competition and Education Fundraiser. Don't miss out on this fun, fast-paced, interactive, Quizzzo-style competition testing your global knowledge! Find out just how much you know about international affairs, geography, history, and culture while broadening your knowledge and networking with other globally-minded contestants. Join Council members, students, corporate executives, young professionals, friends, and family to compete in this challenging quiz game. Teams of four will compete for prizes.... and, of course, bragging rights! The first place high school team will represent the Philadelphia Council at the national competition on April 26 and 27, 2019 in Washington, D.C.



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WORLD AFFAIRS COUNCIL
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2018 International Student Summit

Rising Africa: Finding a Path to a Sustainable, Egalitarian Future

*The vision of the African Union is that of:
"An integrated, prosperous and peaceful Africa,
driven by its own citizens and representing
a dynamic force in the global arena."*

-African Union Mission Statement



TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2018

The Fox School of Business at Temple University
Alter Hall, 1801 Liacouras Walk
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

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**We extend a special thanks to these donors for their support of the Council's Global Smarts Mentoring Program.*

UPCOMING COUNCIL PROGRAMS

Doomsday Scenarios or A Path Towards Peace: Nuclear Weapons in the 21st Century

Tuesday, January 22, 2019— 5:15 - 7:30 p.m.



Join the World Affairs Council of Philadelphia for a program with Ambassador Thomas Pickering and Suzanne DiMaggio, a Senior Fellow at the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, who will discuss the status of global nuclear threats, as well as potential paths toward reducing these threats. Council speaker events occur 2-3 times a month and a limited amount of tickets are available to member schools on a first come, first serve basis.

2019 Global Economic Forum—The Future of Work: A G20 Summit

Monday, March 5, 2019 — 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.



The 2019 Global Economic Forum will focus on labor, employment and the increasing globalization of the world economy. Students will explore how automation, outsourcing and computerization impact labor markets and the economy and will devise innovative solutions aimed at tackling this important global issue. Registration will open in January 2019.

2019 Summer Global Leadership Seminar: The Rise of Political Populism

Monday, July 8, 2019 - Friday, July 12, 2019



The weeklong 2019 Summer Global Leadership Seminar will focus on the rise of political populism both at home and abroad. Students will explore the cultural, economic and political roots of populism and will compare and contrast these conditions with the current populist movements in both America and abroad. This program includes a full day trip to Washington D.C. to meet with policy experts. Registration will open in March 2019.

**For more information on for these events, please visit
www.wacphila.org/education**

NOTES

THE CONVENING OF THE SUMMIT



For decades, the international community has seen Africa as a resource-rich continent, with the potential for significant economic growth and prosperity. However, progress on the continent has been slowed due to internal conflicts, unstable and autocratic regimes, and the colonial legacies of both Eastern and Western powers. More than ever, the international community is focusing on Africa, resources, and capital that could lead to significant development and investment.

The **2018 International Student Summit** will tackle a number of timely issues surrounding international development in Africa. In this simulation program, students will represent both a nation within the



African Union and a stakeholder position within that nation, with the goal of securing long-term economic growth and prosperity. Students will confront topics of historical and contemporary colonialism on the African continent, international development, resource sharing, and egalitarian growth.



The World Affairs Council of Philadelphia gratefully acknowledges *The Fox School of Business at Temple University* and *Temple CIBER (Center for International Business Education and Research)* for their generous sponsorship of the 2018 International Student Summit and for their enduring support of the Council's education mission to prepare young people for thoughtful and competent global citizenship.

PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS

Abington Senior High School · *Abington, Pennsylvania*

Bishop Shanahan High School · *Downingtown, Pennsylvania*

Bodine High School for International Affairs · *Philadelphia, Pennsylvania*

Cardinal O'Hara High School · *Springfield, Pennsylvania*

Central High School · *Philadelphia, Pennsylvania*

Cheltenham High School · *Wyncote, Pennsylvania*

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Girard College High School · *Philadelphia, Pennsylvania*

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The Pennington School · *Pennington, New Jersey*

Roman Catholic High School · *Philadelphia, Pennsylvania*

Spring-Ford Senior High School · *Royersford, Pennsylvania*

Upper Darby High School · *Upper Darby, Pennsylvania*

COMMITTEE ROOM ASSIGNMENTS

Breakout Session II: Specialized Technical Committee Group · *10:50 — 11:40 a.m.*

Room	Committee Group	Student Leaders
Alter 032	Agriculture and Environment	Kate Jursca (Sudan) Zanya Ellis (Algeria) Henry Connors (Ghana)
Alter 033	Monetary and Financial Affairs	Spencer Floyd (Zambia) Steven Chen (Ethiopia)
Alter 034	Trade and Industry	Elise Grove (Burundi) Elise Phipps (Cote d'Ivoire) Gavin Canzanese (Nigeria)
Alter 035	Infrastructure and Transport	Akayla Brown (Senegal) Sequoia Dorsey (Tanzania) Vik Russell (Egypt)
Alter 237	Defense and Security	Ashley Dixon (Angola) Sean Bray (Tunisia) Ida Ghohestani (CAR)
Alter 238	Rights for Women and Children	Alex Thomer (Kenya) Kelandra Murphy (Morocco) N/A (DR Congo)
Alter 239	Social Development and Labor	Leah Amerine (Cameroon) Ahmed El-Morsy (South Africa) Brian Szipszky (Mozambique)



REGIONAL BLOC ROOM ASSIGNMENTS

Breakout Session I: Country Delegation and Regional Group · 10:00—10:45 a.m.

Breakout Session III: Regional Group Negotiations · 11:45—12:20 p.m.

Break and Working Lunch · 12:20—12:50 p.m.

Room	Regional Bloc	Student Leaders
Alter 032	Central Africa	Elise Grove (Burundi) Ida Ghohestani (CAR) Leah Amerine (Cameroon) N/A (DR Congo)
Alter 033	Eastern Africa	Steven Chen (Ethiopia) Alex Thomer (Kenya) Kate Jursca (Sudan) Sequoia Dorsey (Tanzania)
Alter 034	Northern Africa	Sean Bray (Tunisia) Kelandra Murphy (Morocco) Zanya Ellis (Algeria) Vik Russell (Egypt)
Alter 035	Southern Africa	Spencer Floyd (Zambia) Ahmed El-Morsy (South Africa) Brian Szipszky (Mozambique) Ashley Dixon (Angola)
Alter 237	Western Africa	Elise Phipps (Cote d'Ivoire) Henry Connors (Ghana) Gavin Canzanese (Nigeria) Akayla Brown (Senegal)

AGENDA

8:15 – 9:00 a.m.	Registration
9:00 – 9:55 a.m.	Opening Plenary Session <i>Main Auditorium</i>
9:00 – 9:05 a.m.	Introduction Denise Bala , Vice President of Education <i>World Affairs Council of Philadelphia</i>
9:05 – 9:10 a.m.	Welcoming Remarks Craig Snyder , President & CEO <i>World Affairs Council of Philadelphia</i>
9:10 – 9:30 a.m.	Expert Speaker Ellington Arnold , Program Analyst & Youth Entrepreneurship Advisor, <i>U.S. African Development Foundation</i>
9:30 – 9:45 a.m.	Student Q&A
9:45 – 9:55 a.m.	Announcements & Dismissal Kristin Hutchinson , Director of Student Programs <i>World Affairs Council of Philadelphia</i>
10:00 – 10:45 a.m.	Country Delegation and Regional Group – Breakout Session I <i>Regional Bloc Classroom</i>
10:50 – 11:40 a.m.	Specialized Technical Committee Group – Breakout Session II <i>Committee Classroom</i>
11:45 a.m. – 12:20 p.m.	Regional Group Negotiations – Breakout Session III <i>Regional Bloc Classroom</i>
12:20 – 12:50 p.m.	Break & Working Lunch <i>Regional Bloc Classroom</i>
12:55 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Closing Plenary Session (Main Auditorium) Kasey Trapp , Education Coordinator and John Lazarich Leadership Liaison, <i>World Affairs Council of Philadelphia</i>
12:55 – 1:00 p.m.	Introduction
1:00 – 1:45 p.m.	Presentations / Voting
1:45 – 2:00 p.m.	Presentation of Superlatives / Closing Remarks Eric Bumbaca , Associate Director of Student Programs <i>World Affairs Council of Philadelphia</i>
2:00 p.m.	Adjournment & Dismissal



EXPERT SPEAKER



Ellington Arnold

*Program Analyst &
Youth Entrepreneurship Advisor,
U.S. African Development Foundation*

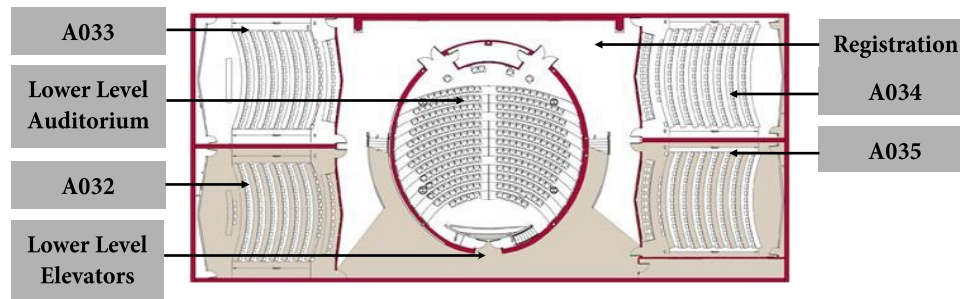
Ellington Arnold is a Program Analyst & Youth Entrepreneurship Advisor at the **U.S. African Development Foundation**, a U.S. government agency focused on economic development at the grassroots level, by providing grant investment and business advice directly to African SMEs and cooperatives in agribusiness and renewable energy, and to young entrepreneurs. He co-leads the agency's engagement with young African innovators, to invest grant capital in YALI Fellows who are starting up and growing business and social ventures that are impacting their communities and countries.

Ellington also oversees the Agency's partnership with the CITI Foundation, that is directly supporting entrepreneurs, and USADF's work in Somalia, that is matching skills training with job placement and small business start-ups. Earlier, he worked in Senegal and Kenya on grassroots health and economic inclusion projects. Ellington is a New York native and graduate of the University of Virginia.



ALTER HALL MAP

Lower Level



2nd Floor

