



2023 Global Economic Forum

Prioritizing Global Risks: A Competition for Global Funding

March 28th and March 29th, 2023 | 9:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Drexel University LeBow College of Business | 3220 Market Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104

Program Agenda

- 8:15 – 9:00 a.m. Participant Arrival and Registration**
- 9:00 – 9:30 a.m. Opening Plenary Session**
- 9:00 – 9:05 a.m. **Welcome and Introduction**
Kristin Hutchinson, Vice-President of Education, World Affairs Council
- 9:05 – 9:20 a.m. **Keynote Remarks**
(March 28) Ohyun Kwon, PhD, Assistant Professor of Economics, Drexel University
(March 29) Stephon Fitzpatrick, Executive Director, Commission for Agriculture Education Excellence, PA Department of Agriculture
- 9:20 – 9:25 a.m. **Agenda Review and Housekeeping Announcements**
Kate Whitman Kamara, Director of Education, Middle School Programs, World Affairs Council
- 9:25 - 9:30 a.m. Dismissal and Transition to Committee Breakouts**

Tuesday, March 28

Intell. Prop. & Distribution of Medicines
Unemployment & Workforce Development
Food Insecurity

Wednesday, March 29

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****For committees with NINE regional groups***

- 9:30 – 10:35 a.m. Breakout Session I - Committee Breakouts and Team Presentations**
Student Delegates present their pre-created **Regional Policy Presentations** to their committee. Each regional group will elevate region-specific challenges, opportunities, and policy solutions to the committee. Presentations are limited to 3-5 minutes and 5 slides. This session will be moderated by Committee Co-Chairs.

9:30 - 9:35 a.m.	Introductions, Ground Rules, and Breakout Session Agenda
9:35 - 9:41 a.m.	Middle East & North Africa Presentation and Q&A
9:41 - 9:47 a.m.	Central and East Africa Presentation and Q&A
9:47 - 9:53 a.m.	West Africa Presentation and Q&A
9:53 - 9:59 a.m.	Southern Africa Presentation and Q&A
9:59 - 10:05 a.m.	North and Central Americas Presentation and Q&A
10:05 - 10:11 a.m.	South America Presentation and Q&A
10:11 - 10:17 a.m.	Europe Presentation and Q&A
10:17 - 10:23 a.m.	Asia Presentation and Q&A
10:23 - 10:29 a.m.	Pacific Islands & Oceania Presentation and Q&A

10:35 - 10:45 a.m. **Break**

10:45 - 11:20 a.m. **Breakout Session II - Committee Presentation Workshop**
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9:30 - 9:35 a.m.	Introductions, Ground Rules, and Breakout Session Agenda
9:35 - 9:42 a.m.	Middle East & North Africa Presentation and Q&A
9:42 - 9:49 a.m.	Central and East Africa Presentation and Q&A
9:49 - 9:56 a.m.	West Africa Presentation and Q&A
9:56 - 10:03 a.m.	Southern Africa Presentation and Q&A
10:03 - 10:10 a.m.	The Americas Presentation and Q&A
10:10 - 10:17 a.m.	Europe Presentation and Q&A



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10:17 – 10:24 a.m.

Asia Presentation and Q&A

10:24 – 10:31 a.m.

Pacific Islands & Oceania Presentation and Q&A

10:35 - 10:45 a.m.

Break

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****For ALL committees***

11:20 - 11:40 a.m.

Breakout Session III - Presentation Workshop and Group Lunch

Delegates continue working on combined presentation.

Groups on Lunch: Middle East & North Africa, Africa

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Groups on Lunch: Americas, Europe, Asia, Pacific Islands & Oceania

12:00 - 12:15 p.m.

Finalizing Presentations and Transition to Closing Plenary

Delegates work to finalize the committee's presentation, with a member of each regional group selected to present during the Closing Plenary.

12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Closing Plenary Session

Presentation of competing policy proposals from each committee group with a brief Q&A period following each presentation. Each team has 7 minutes to present, 3 minutes of Q&A from students, and 5 minutes of Q&A from judges.

12:15 - 12:20 p.m.

Introduction to Policy Proposals, Judging, and Order of Presentations

Geoff Quinn, Director of Education, High School Programs, World Affairs Council of Philadelphia

12:20 - 12:27 p.m.

Intellectual Property and Distribution of Medicines Committee Presentation

12:27 - 12:30 p.m.

Student Q&A

12:30 - 12:35 p.m.

Judges Q&A



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12:35 - 12:42 p.m.	<i>Unemployment and Workforce Development Committee Presentation</i>
12:42 - 12:45 p.m.	Student Q&A
12:45 - 12:50 p.m.	Judges Q&A
12:50 - 12:57 p.m.	<i>Food Insecurity Committee Presentation</i>
12:57 - 1:00 p.m.	Student Q&A
1:00 - 1:05 p.m.	Judges Q&A
1:05 -1:15 p.m.	Student Evaluations and Judges Deliberation
1:15-1:30 p.m.	Awards, Winning Team Announcement, and Dismissal