

# National Student Leadership Conference

## Forensic Science

### Washington, D.C.

#### Program Overview & Sample Daily Schedule

*The following Program Overview & Sample Daily Schedule are designed to give you a better understanding of the activities in a typical session as well as the flow of a typical day. This is a sample schedule based upon past programs. While not all sessions are exactly the same, this is reflective of the activities that take place during the program.*

##### Day 1

- Registration
- Campus Tours of American University
- College Credit Registration (*optional*)
- Opening Ceremony
- TA Group Orientation

##### Day 2

- Ropes Challenge Course
- Leadership Series: Personality Style & Group Dynamics
- Lecture: Crime Scene Investigation
- Forensic Skills Workshop: Fingerprinting
- Pizza Social

##### Day 3

- Trip: Drug Enforcement Agency
- Leadership Series: Conflict Resolution
- Workshop: Ballistics
- Crime Scene Simulation
- Trip: Washington at Night Tour
  - Lincoln Memorial
  - MLK Memorial
  - Jefferson Memorial
  - FDR Memorial
  - Vietnam & Korean War Memorials
  - Iwo Jima Memorial

##### Day 4

- Lecture: The Crime Laboratory
- Investigation Team Meeting
- United States Holocaust Memorial Museum
- Leadership Workshop: Ethics
- Guest Speaker
- Leadership Series: Community
- Social

##### Day 5

- Forensic Workshop: Skeletal Analysis
- Investigation Team Meeting
- Leadership Series: Commitment in Action
- Guest Speaker
- Documentary: Investigative Techniques

##### Day 6

- Trip: Capitol Hill & the Smithsonian Museum
  - U.S. Capitol
  - U.S. Supreme Court
  - Library of Congress
  - Air & Space Museum
  - American History Museum
  - Natural History Museum
  - American Art Museum
  - African American Museum
- Forensic Science Workshop: DNA Extraction
- Lecture: Forensics & the Law
- Social

##### Day 7

- Trip: Federal Bureau of Investigation
- Investigative Team Meeting
- Leadership Series: Commitment in Action
- Lecture: Careers in Forensic Science
- Baltimore Harbor

##### Day 8

- Leadership Workshop: Public Speaking
- Forensic Workshop: Blood Spatter Analysis
- Grand Jury Simulation
- Final Leadership Session
- Final Dance

##### Day 9

- Case Resolution
- Closing Ceremony
- Final TA Meeting

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##### Day 3

7:30am-8:45am	Breakfast AU Terrace Dining Room
8:30am	Board Buses
<b>9:00am-11:00am</b>	<b>Drug Enforcement Agency</b> <i>Neat Attire</i>
11:15am	Board Buses <i>*box lunch</i>
<b>12:15pm-1:15pm</b>	<b>Guest Speaker:</b> <b>Dr. Roger A. Mitchell, Jr. M.D.</b> <b>D.C. Chief Medical Examiner</b> <i>Professional Attire</i>
<b>1:45pm-3:15pm</b>	<b>Crime Scene Simulation</b> <b>Active Investigation</b> <i>Neat Attire</i>
<b>3:30pm-4:45pm</b>	<b>Workshop: Ballistics</b> <i>Neat Attire</i>
5:00pm-6:00pm	Dinner AU Terrace Dining Room
<b>6:15pm-7:30pm</b>	<b>Leadership Session</b> <b>Conflict Resolution</b> <i>Neat Attire</i>
7:45pm	Board Buses
<b>8:00pm-10:30pm</b>	<b>Washington Monuments at Night</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Lincoln Memorial</li><li>• MLK Memorial</li><li>• Jefferson Memorial</li><li>• FDR Memorial</li><li>• Vietnam and Korean War Memorial</li></ul> <i>Casual Attire w/casual walking shoes</i>
10:45pm	Floor Check