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> Saturday, February 3, 2018 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Longwood University Maugans Alumni Center Farmville, VA





Welcome to **Longwood University**

Host of the Fourth Annual Virginia Lessons From Abroad Study Abroad Returnee Conference



Registration and Light Breakfast

9:00-10:00

Blackwell Ballroom Foyer and Ballroom, Maugans Alumni Center

Welcome and Keynote Address

10:00-11:00

Blackwell Ballroom, Maugans Alumni Center

W. Taylor Reveley IV, Longwood University President Mark Jacobs, Author and Former Foreign Service Officer

Networking and Opportunities Fair

11:00-11:45

Blackwell Ballroom Mezzanine, Maugans Alumni Center

Concurrent Sessions I

11:45-12:30

Navigating Reverse Culture Shock

Prince Edward Room, Maugans Alumni Center

Michael A. Williams, Sr., Lynchburg College

Showcasing Your Study Abroad Experience in Resumes. Cover Letters, and Interviews

Virginia Room, Maugans Alumni Center

Kip Brooks, Washington & Lee University

Teaching English Abroad

Martinelli Board Room, Maugans Alumni Center

Robert Anderson, Duy Tan University

Kaitlyn Chandler, International TEFL Academy, The Language House Prague

Opportunities with the U.S. Department of State

207 Hiner Hall

Sarah Cline, U.S. Department of State Laurel Voloder, U.S. Department of State

Lunch and Panel Discussion:

12:30-1:30

Perspectives on Global Citizenship

(panel begins at 12:45)

Blackwell Ballroom, Maugans Alumni Center

Jonathan Page, Longwood University Justin Pope, Longwood University Laurel Voloder, U.S. Department of State

Erin Weyen, Welsh Government, British Embassy

Concurrent Sessions II

1:30-2:15

Identities Abroad

Prince Edward Room, Maugans Alumni Center

Pernell Whitfield, James Madison University

Internationally Focused Careers

Virginia Room, Maugans Alumni Center

Annia Dowell-Wiltshire, Virginia Commonwealth University

Emma Kauffman, Wilson International

Marissa Pierre, CISabroad

Erin Weyen, Welsh Government, British Embassy

So You Took a Few (Hundred) Photos ... What Can You Do with Them Now?

Martinelli Board Room, Maugans Alumni Center

Ryan Stouffer, Longwood University

Opportunities with the U.S. Department of State

207 Hiner Hall

Sarah Cline, U.S. Department of State Daniel Kramer, Institute for International Education

Networking and Opportunities Fair

2:15-2:45

2:45-3:30

Blackwell Ballroom Mezzanine, Maugans Alumni Center

Graduate School and Research Abroad

Concurrent Sessions III

Prince Edward Room, Maugans Alumni Center

Daniel Kramer. Institute for International Education

Laurel Voloder, U.S. Department of State

Erin Weyen, Welsh Government, British Embassy

Articulating Your Study Abroad Experience

Virginia Room, Maugans Alumni Center

Taryn Roberts, James Madison University

Sarah Carrier, Virginia Commonwealth University

Showcasing Your Study Abroad Experience in Resumes, Cover Letters, and Interviews

Martinelli Board Room, Maugans Alumni Center

Bryan Rose, Longwood University

Serving in the Peace Corps

207 Hiner Hall

Matthew Merritt, Peace Corps

Closing Remarks and Raffle

3:30-4:00

Blackwell Ballroom, Maugans Alumni Center