Global Temple Conference Schedule
Wednesday, February 20, 2019 Howard Gittis Student Center
All sessions will take place on the 2nd floor of the Howard Gittis Student Center

9:30-10:00    Registration, Breakfast in Room 200C

10:00-10:50   Concurrent Sessions I

| Session 1. Women’s Health and Safety | 220          |
| Moderator: Allie Miller, Klein Global Opportunities |           |
| - Understanding Menstrual Hygiene Disparities among Adolescents in Indian Urban Slums, Tanya Dhingra |           |
| - A Critical Analysis of Ghanaian Abortion Law: Pre-Colonialism to Modern Day, Bisi Oyelola |           |

Session 2. Cultural Expression and Community Organizing in Sao Paolo Favelas
Moderator: Adam Shellhorse, Spanish and Portuguese
- Patricia Fernandez Arenas, Mark Saucedo

Session 3. Engaging IELP Students as Partners to Advance Cross-Cultural Understanding
Moderator: Tamara Sniad, Teaching and Learning
- Erica Johnston, Lorraine Ritacco Shaw, Jacqueline McCafferty, Tamara Sniad

Session 4. Loss in Native Cultures
Moderator: Martyn Miller, International Affairs
- Endangered Palestinian Tatreez, Eman Abuawadeh
- The Cultural Destruction of Tibet, Jason Linderman

Session 5. Global Dimensions of Education Abroad
Moderator: Belinda Christensen, Education Abroad and Overseas Campuses
- Owls Overseas Ambassador Initiative, Ewan Wayne Johnson
- Voluntourism: The Dynamics of Service in Study Abroad Programs, Emma Harris

10:50-11:00   Coffee Break

11:00-11:50   Concurrent Sessions II

| Session 6. Borders and Economies | 220          |
| Moderator: Danielle Baer, Education Abroad and Overseas Campuses |           |
| - India’s China Policy: A Level of Analysis Approach, Megan Maxwell |           |
| - Troubles Behind: The Argument for Irish Unity, Conor Freeley |           |

Session 7. Navigating the Road Less Travelled: Advising Students on Temple Exchanges and External Programs
Moderator: Lezlie McCabe, Education Abroad and Overseas Campuses
- Melinda Schiano di Cola, Madelyn Sullivan

Session 8. Intercultural Communication: Bridging the Culture Gap through Discussion
Moderator: Hoang “Rico” Le, Communication and Social Influence
- Panel of students

Session 9. Interning Abroad: Experiences in Spain, Japan and Rome
Moderator: Sara Sequin, Education Abroad and Overseas Campuses
- Cecilia D’Arville, Amani Stiger, Bridget Sykes
Session 10. Local Market Economies

Moderator: Benjamin Altschuler, Sport, Tourism and Hospitality Management

- The Puerto Rican Food Sovereignty Movement and its Growing Role in the Political Status Debate, Amanda Duprey
- The Welcome Drink: The Market Economy of Chai in Gujarat, India, Emma Baylor

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<th>12:00-12:50</th>
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Poster 1: From Step to Step: The Irish Roots of American Tap, Alexa Anastasia Duffy
Poster 2: Experiencing Ireland: “Portrait of a Busker”, Peyton Embree
Poster 3: TEMPL EROME invites students to get “OUT OF THE BOX” and become citizens of the world, Kacie Rose Farrell
Poster 4: The Forgotten Narrative: Higher Education support for international student activists, Chi Huynh
Poster 5: International Organizations and The Falklands War: Barriers to Conflict Prevention, Pearl Joslyn
Poster 6: Rome Sketchbook, Katherine Krizek, Miranda Hallas, Peter Naktin
Poster 7: Video as a Tool to Support Teacher Learning: A Cross Cultural Analysis, Monica Manfredonia
Poster 8: Una comparación de acceso a asistencia de salud para pacientes de conocimiento limitado de inglés, Megan Muller
Poster 9: Comparative Study of Gun Laws: United States vs Spain, Branden Murphy
Poster 10: Tahrir: Liberation, Alleh Naqvi
Poster 11: Jamaican Patwa: A Linguistic, Social, and Cultural Review, Sophia Ragan
Poster 12: Venezuela: Understanding the Humanitarian Crisis, Alison Tintera, Andrea Sarmiento
Poster 13: American Perception of Economic Sanctions, Sam Trilling
Poster 14: A preliminary validity exploration of the listening section of College English Test (Band Four), Linlin Wang
Poster 15: Vowel Reduction in Salasaca Kichwa: a Pilot Study, Alanna Watters, Robin Aronow
Exhibit/Poster 16: All Roads Lead to Rome, Maya Zareen Rahman

1:00-1:50 Concurrent Sessions III

Session 11: Youth Issues in Asia
Moderator: Allie Miller, Klein Global Opportunities

- Japan’s Struggling Youth: Rising Poverty and Dropout Rates, Christopher Sim Mong Shen
- Demonstration as a Means of Civic Engagement in Vietnam, Thanh Tran

Session 12: Service Learning Projects in Jamaican Schools
Moderator: Belinda Christensen, Education Abroad and Overseas Campuses

- More than Skin Deep: Skin Bleaching and Service Learning in Jamaica, Tatiana Bazile
- Project-based Learning: The Impact of Hands-on Exploration in Yallahs, Jamaica, Grace Horn

Session 13. European Music and Photography
Moderator: Suzanne Willever, Education Abroad and Overseas Campuses

- Mechanik und Asthetik des Violoncellspiels by Hugo Becker and Dago Rynar: A Partial Translation and Commentary, Adelia Scheck
- Severo Antonelli: A Futurist in Philadelphia, Gerald Silk

Session 14. Test Washback: The Impact of the TOEFL and IELTS on English Teaching and Learning in China
Moderator: Elvis Wagner, Teaching and Learning

- Linlin Wang, Sarah Rawls, Lu Han, Elvis Wagner

Session 15. Women, the Sex Industry, and Selfhood in East Asia
Moderator: Sam Kelley, Global Programs, International Affairs

- Love and Emancipation: The Dynamics of Selfhood among Filipina Divorcees in Japan, Kamile Chelsea Penilla
- Necropolitics in East Asia, Natalie Christman

1:50-2:00 Coffee Break
2:00-2:50  Concurrent Sessions IV

**Session 16. Tahrir: Liberation**  
**Moderator:** Belinda Chistensen, Education Abroad and Overseas Campuses  
*Alleh Naqvi*

**Session 17. A summer in Sicily: Studying the Application of Biotechnology in Conservation of Cultural Heritage**  
**Moderator:** Gianfranco Bellipanni, Biology  
*Gianfranco Bellipanni, Susanna Ostrowski, Noah Goff*

**Session 18. Endangered Environments and Trade**  
**Moderator:** Gabrielle Verzella, Klein Global Opportunities  
*Trade in Conflict Minerals – Congolese Warlords, MNC's, and Dodd-Frank 1502, Ankit Deshmukh*  
*Electronic Waste in Ghana, Chiemela Anyanwu*

**Session 19. Experiential Learning in Rome**  
**Moderator:** Barbara Caen, Temple University, Rome Campus  
*Sophie C. Salerno-DeWald, Cecilia D’Arville & Kaya Jones, Jessica Fischer & Macey Karmilowicz*

**Session 20. Domestic Agency and International Agencies: Impacts on Developing Nations**  
**Moderator:** Allie Miller, Klein Global Opportunities  
*Do Natural Disasters Bias Creditors?, Balbinder Singh Gill*  
*Opportunistic Interdependency: Communist Parties and Religious Actors in Kerala and Poland, Sidharth Nair*

**Session 21. Role of the United States in International Politics**  
**Moderator:** Danielle Baer, Education Abroad and Overseas Campuses  
*The US and International Organizations during the Falklands/Malvinas War: Barriers to Conflict Resolution, Pearl Joslyn*  
*U.S. Involvement in the U.N.: A Call for Greater Funding, Victoria Schrag*  
*Jimmy Carter and the Middle East Peace Effort, Amanda Smith*

3:00-5:00  International Affairs Lecture

**US World Policy: America First vs. Global Diplomacy**

**Speakers:**  
Ignazio Marino, M.D.  
Former Mayor of Rome and Former Senator of the Republic of Italy  
Transplantation Surgeon  
Senior Vice President, Professor of Surgery, Jefferson University

Trudy Rubin  
Foreign Affairs Columnist  
Editorial Board Member, The Philadelphia Inquirer  
Two-Time Pulitzer Prize Finalist

**Moderator:**  
Richard Deeg  
Dean, College of Liberal Arts  
Professor, Political Science Department

5:00  Conference Concludes
Global Information Fair Participants

- Asian and Middle Eastern Languages and Studies, College of Liberal Arts
- Center for Vietnamese Philosophy, Culture and Society, College of Liberal Arts
- Confucius Institute, International Affairs
- Education Abroad and Overseas Campuses, International Affairs
- French, German, Italian and Slavic, College of Liberal Arts
- Global Living Learning Community, University Housing and Residential Life
- Intensive English Language Program, International Affairs
- International Programs/CIBER, Fox School of Business
- Klein Global Opportunities, Klein College of Media and Communication
- Spanish and Portuguese/Latin American Studies, College of Liberal Arts