Prearrival Orientation Webinar for 2017-18

Welcome: Present important information before you arrive to make your transition easier
What they should do: Turn off your microphone to reduce background noise. Use earphones or headset if you are located in an area with many people. The webinar will last approx. 1 hour. You can use the panel on the ___ and select the ___ to raise your hand. There will be a Q&A at the end for you. Type in your question and we will answer if possible within the hour. If you want to followup with a Skype call please send fj10@cornell.edu to schedule.
Team includes, other faculty, friendship partners,
Know before you go
Review before you arrive at Cornell
Welcome New Fellows

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Discuss our roles

Peter Gregory, Director

Direct and oversee the program, program staff and faculty advisors
Provide overall guidance to the fellows and inspire them to take full advantages of the leadership and networking opportunities offered by the Cornell Humphrey Program
Assist the fellows in shaping their individual program plans, ensuring that each fellow has the most appropriate faculty advisor(s) and the optimal combination of academic coursework, participation in seminars and conferences, professional contacts and affiliation hosts
Plan and chair the Humphrey leadership seminars

Francine Wilson Jasper, Associate Director

Provide logistical management in all Program issues including: health, immigration and visa issues, courses, classes and seminar registration/requests, dependents requests, extensions, travel and budget
Primary contact point for communications with IIE on program matters
Co-advice the fellows – in support and conjunction with other advisors – on academic coursework, individual Program Plans, mentors and conferences/seminars to attend
Organize and facilitate Program orientation
Serve as primary contact person for the fellows on all administrative aspects of the
program

**Ryan Sherman, Graduate Program Assistant**
Help coordinate settling in and housing searches during orientation
Help coordinate and publicize Humphrey fellow lectures, seminars and other Program activities at Cornell
Contact guest speakers for seminars and organize set up for seminars
Help with logistical arrangements for travel and seminars
Maintain the database
Receive professional development reports from Fellows for the database
First contact to receive Fellows forms, including course registration, add/drop or change in enrollment forms, professional development reports and other documents required by the Cornell University Humphrey Program office and IIE

**Linda Gasser, Organizational Consultant**
Offers career development seminars to Humphrey Fellows
Coordinates the Friendship Partners

**Diane Munn, Administrative Assistant (25%)**
Sets appointments between Directors and Fellows
Coordinates banquet and business meal events
Assists with orientation arrangements
Backup for Graduate Assistant and Directors for questions or concerns about Humphrey Fellowship Program

**Friendship Partners**
Community volunteers who enjoy interacting with Humphrey Fellows to share culture, and time permitting they may help with settling in Ithaca
Valuables include your laptop computer, camera, electronic devices

- Carry with you on the plane:
  - small amounts of medicine, you take at home
  - Valuables
  - Contact information for Cornell Humphrey Fellows staff
  - Medical benefits information and insurance card
  - Drivers license and credit card
Use the same name on your passport, ticket, DS2019 and passport to avoid confusion and long waits.

Pay attention to what you can and cannot carry on the plane, liquids, sharp objects, hot sauce, food stuffs may be allowed in some countries and not the U.S..

Missed or delayed flight, contact Courtney and Francine.

Try to relax. Travel is tiring and a little stressful.
Where do I start?
How far is Ithaca from New York City?
What about housing?
What courses should I take?
What is a Humphrey Fellow?
When can I start my professional affiliation?

OK you arrived safely, now what?
So many questions. Please save until the end of the presentation and then either type in your question or you can activate your microphone.
A lot of your questions have been asked by hundreds of Fellows before you. You may likely find the answers to your questions in one of these resources.

1. You should have received your guidelines for the Fellows along with your award letter. If not, contact Francine.
2. Carry this with you. There is important info about immigration, travel, bringing dependents, etc.
3. Any questions about the various components of the program? You’ll have a chance to send your questions at the end of the webinar.
4. Have you had a chance to look at the CU Humphrey Fellows website? You’ll see it takes about 1 hour and will help you understand how to work with in an environment of respect with all types of people or in a diverse community.

First-time users should select the option to create a new account on the right side of the screen.

Enter this institution registration code: **0587-UN37-XY12**.

Create a username and password, and then provide information for a user profile.

c. Once you are on the eLearning homepage, launch a course by clicking the course title.

If you revisit **eLearning.ue.org**, log in using the username and password you created in step
See orientation draft. Note: You will be asked to make brief presentations. Service Learning and volunteerism to community is important. We will begin during orientation.
IMPORTANT DATES TO RESERVE/NOTE

Weekly seminar: Wednesdays 11-noon – do not schedule classes for this day and time

Sept. 4 Labor Day – No Classes

Sept. 11-13th 7 Habits for Highly Effective People. All day

Sept 16th Day on your own in NYC- Optional $64 per person

Oct. 8-10 Fall Retreat to Adirondacks with Syracuse University tbc

Oct. 29- Nov. 3 Global Leadership Forum –

Nov 13-17 International Education Week. 2 day trip to Alfred St. College for presentations
Send your CV or resume and high resolution photo headshot to Francine Jasper to work on your appointment and get your Cornell ID

Bring your passport and DS2019 to campus for copies on Wednesday, Aug. 2nd

The first week of orientation is to help you get settled with housing, set up bank account, shopping and to adjust.

Get plenty of rest and fluids. Get used to walking and riding the bus as soon as possible.
Allan Franklin

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WORK EXPERIENCE:

- Government of Barbados, Ministry of Tourism (MoT) Jan 2011 - Present
  Senior Research Officer (full-time)
- Represent the Ministry on, and provide sectoral expertise to, the Green Economy Technical Steering Committee which examines energy efficiency, water conservation, and waste management across sectors

QUALIFICATIONS/EDUCATION:

MSc Environment and Development 2007
London School of Economics and Political Science
Houghton Street, London, England

PUBLISHED WORK:


INTERESTS AND VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES:

Bow Benders Archery Club 2012
Ask for information when you need it. First stop, the libraries. Volunteer to learn about community organizations on and off campus. This allows others to learn about you too and your culture at the same time. Give presentations, work together with other Fellows in your group and share information with each other. Best of all, socialize and have some fun.
We’ve sent to you in your prearrival packets this year’s Fellows have also shared a list of recommended courses and advice for settling in. The Humphrey Fellows Directors, advisors, and the Institute for International Education will provide you with guidance for your Humphrey Year. Remember: it starts with your plan and journey for discovery. Your year will not be the same as any other Fellow. It is a time for personal and professional growth.
Understanding your Health Insurance

- What it covers
- What it does not
- Understanding US Health system: need advocate
- Immunizations
- Preexisting conditions
- Bring medicine
- What is a deductible

Send Fellows form to keep in their wallets with contact information, where they can go for treatment
If you have a smart phone, you may want to add these apps

Transportation: Uber, Ride 14850
Accommodations: air B and B
Food: Yelp
Thank You!

Send your Skype names to if you want a followup

Contact fj10@cornell.edu