



Washington, D.C. Policy Scholars Program Application Summer 2018

PROGRAM SUMMARY:

The Pepperdine School of Public Policy's Washington, D.C. Policy Scholars Program is an exclusive full-tuition scholarship, 3-unit class where accepted students will learn from top policy academics and practitioners about the role faith has played and continues to in American domestic and foreign policy. This four-week seminar will accommodate just 20 qualified students, and will be hosted at Pepperdine's Washington, D.C. campus located just a few blocks from the Foggy Bottom Metro Station. Upon completion of the program, scholars will receive a participation certificate in applied religion in policy and politics from the School of Public Policy, and may use the credits at their home undergraduate institution (if enrolled) or toward future enrollment at the Pepperdine School of Public Policy.

Deadline to apply for Summer 2018 is **4:59 PM (PT) on Monday, May 7, 2018**

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

- 1) Completed Washington, D.C. Policy Scholars Program Application
- 2) Statement of Interest
- 3) Resume/CV
- 4) Official or unofficial transcripts for current academic studies or most recently completed academic studies (if not currently enrolled at an academic institution). **Note: A signed letter from the school's dean/registrar or appropriately delegated administrator certifying the applicant is in good academic standing must accompany submission of unofficial transcripts.**

Completed applications should be emailed to sppadmissions@pepperdine.edu no later than 4:59 PM (Pacific Time) on Monday, May 7, 2018.

Note: Letters of recommendation nor standardized test scores are requirement and will not be reviewed if submitted.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION D.C. SCHOLAR PROGRAM APPLICANTS:

Eligible applicants include incoming college juniors and seniors; currently enrolled graduate students, and early-/mid-career individuals with at least a bachelor's degree.

Undergraduates enrolled at other institutions should, for their own benefit, obtain approval from their dean to ensure that courses taken at Pepperdine University will fit into their program and that the credits will be transferable.

This full-tuition scholarship program will only cover the cost of tuition; cost of living or other scholarships will not be available through the School of Public Policy. This program constitutes a non-degree seeking or visiting student program, as such Pepperdine University will not process financial aid for accepted scholars. Please contact your home institution for funding and aid needs.

International students: An I-20 will not be processed by Pepperdine University for participating in this program; please check with your home institution and coordinate with the Office of International Student Services (OISS) at Pepperdine University to stay in visa compliance. Email: oiss@pepperdine.edu; phone: 310.506.4246.

Please complete the following in its entirety (typing or writing clearly with a good blue or black pen) and submit with the other admission requirements listed on Page 1. Incomplete applications cannot be reviewed.

Last Name: _____

First Name: _____

Middle Initial: _____

If a current Pepperdine University student, CWID: _____

Date of Birth (month/day/year): _____

Cell Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Permanent Mailing Address:

Are you a: U.S. Citizen U.S. Dual Citizen U.S. Permanent Resident U.S. Refugee/Aslyee
 Non-U.S. Citizen

If U.S. Citizen/U.S. Dual Citizen/U.S. Permanent Resident/U.S. Refugee/Aslyee, Social Security Number:

If U.S. Permanent Resident/U.S. Refugee/Aslyee, Alien Registration Number:

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If U.S. Dual Citizen, Name of dual citizenship country: _____

If Non-U.S. Citizen, Current Visa Type: _____

If Non-U.S. Citizen, Current Visa Number and Issue Date: _____

If Non-U.S. Citizen (enrolled in an academic institution), name of sponsoring institution:

 Current academic institution or employment: _____

How did you hear about the Pepperdine School of Public Policy Washington, D.C. Scholars Program:

COURSE INFORMATION (ACADEMIC TERM: SUMMER 2018)

American Gospel: The Role of Religion in U.S. Domestic and Foreign Policy

Dates: June 5 through June 30, 2018 (T/Thu/Sa)

T/Th: 6:30 PM to 10:00 PM

Sat: 8:30 AM to 12:30 PM

Location: Pepperdine University's Washington, DC Campus
 2011 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, D.C.
 (three blocks from Foggy Bottom Metro)

Faculty:

Dr. Joseph Loconte, Associate Professor of History, The King's College

Dr. Ryan Streeter, Director of Domestic Policy Studies, American Enterprise Institute (AEI)

Course Description: Historians and political scientists tend to talk as though the individuals and institutions shaping U.S. policies, at home and abroad, were detached from moral concepts and religious ideals. Though useful in some ways, the secular approach to studying American public policy is inadequate for understanding many of the most important moments in U.S. political and diplomatic history. This class will explore the main themes that have characterized America's domestic policy debates, from the abolition movement to the Civil Rights movement to debates over abortion and marriage policy. Special attention will be given to how cultural and religious factors have served as a motivator of U.S. policy and as an instrument of policy.

I certify that to the best of my knowledge the information in this application is true and complete. I agree that I will be respectful of Pepperdine University's Christian mission and have read and will abide by the rules and regulations contained in the current School of Public Policy catalog. I also understand that the Malibu/D.C. Campus is drug and alcohol free. All official transcripts and documents which I forward to the University become the property of the University and will not be forwarded to another institution or returned to me. If there is a policy dispute between myself and the University, the appropriate catalog will be used as the arbitrating medium. This registration form officially enrolls and commits you to attend the classes for which you have registered. By submitting this registration form, you agree to enroll in the academic term indicated above.

All payments are due on or before the first day of class or you will incur a late charge of \$25 (for more information on fees and finance charges, please consult the academic catalog).

 Signature

 Date

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