Seminar Schedule

Thursday, October 18
Location: Holland & Knight LLP, 800 17th Street, NW

7:30 am Meet Hayley in lobby of Kimpton Carlyle Hotel
8:30 am - 9:30 am Breakfast & registration
9:30 am - 10:45 am Skills: Networking 101
Allyson Perleoni, Policy Associate, American Academy of Pediatrics
11:00 am - 11:45 am Keynote Address
Krish Vignarajah, Former Democratic Candidate for Governor of Maryland; Former Policy Director to First Lady Michelle Obama at The White House
12:00 pm – 12:45 pm Lunch provided by PLEN
1:00 pm - 1:45 pm PLEN Basics + Icebreakers
2:00 pm – 3:30 pm Panel: Introduction to Law and Policy
Moderator: Hayley Humiston, Programs and Communications Manager, PLEN, PLEN Alumna
Panelists: Erica Bailey, Associate Commissioner for Compliance and Enforcement, Maryland Insurance Administration, PLEN Alumna
Amy Lin, Law Clerk, Garvey Schubert Barer, PLEN Alumna
Shelby Emmett, Director, Center to Protect Free Speech, American Legislative Exchange Council (ALEC)
4:30 pm – 6:00 pm Leadership Connection Series: Voting Rights: History, Policy, Action
Moderator: Valerie Jackson, Senior Advisor to the Management Committee and Firmwide Director of Diversity & Inclusion, K&L Gates
Panelists: Carolyn DeWitt, President and Executive Director, Rock the Vote
Liz Howard, Counsel, Brennan Center for Justice
Sabrina Khan, Senior Staff Attorney, Advancement Project
Charlotte Taylor, Partner, Jones Day
6:00 pm – 7:30 pm Activity: Networking Reception
Friday, October 19
Location: Supreme Court of the United States

9:15 am  Meet in front of the Supreme Court

10:00 am – 11:00 am  Roundtable Discussion with Women Clerks of the Supreme Court

11:30 am  Tour of the Supreme Court + group photos

Location: Cannon House Office Building, Room 122
1:45 pm  Arrive at Cannon House Office Building, Room 122
1:45 pm - 2:00 pm  Debrief + Announcements with PLEN Staff

2:00 pm - 3:30 pm  Panel: Careers on Capitol Hill
  Moderator: Sanika Salim, Assistant to the Chief of Staff, Office of Senator Tom Carper (D-DE), PLEN Alumna
  Panelists: Blake Harden, Trade Counsel, U.S. House of Representatives Committee on Ways and Means
            Meaghan Lynch, Communications Director, Office of Representative GK Butterfield (D-NC)

3:40 pm – 5:10 pm  Breakout Session: Cybersecurity Law and Policy
  **Location: Cannon Room 122
  Moderator: Rachna Choudhry, Co-founder, POPVOX, PLEN Board of Directors
  Panelists: Julie Klein, Cyber and National Security Policy Advisor, U.S. Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee (McCaskill)
            Wintta M. Woldemariam, Counsel, Government Advocacy, King & Spalding
            Kaylee Cox, Associate, Holland & Knight
            Norma Krayem, Senior Policy Advisor, Holland & Knight

3:40 pm – 5:10 pm  Panel: Immigration Law and Policy
  **Location: Cannon Room 421
  Moderator: Meredith Singer, Government and Regulatory Affairs Executive, IBM, PLEN Board of Directors
  Panelists: Amy Nice, Immigration Policy Advisor
            Jacinta Ma, Director of Policy and Advocacy, National Immigration Forum
            Mark Delich, Director of Federal Policy & Government Relations, FWD.US
Location: Kimpton Carlyle Hotel, Taylor Room (Basement)

6:30 pm  
**Dinner** provided by PLEN

7:30 pm - 9:00 pm  
**Activity**: Purposeful Creativity  
*Lauren Rader*, Artist and Art Educator

**Saturday, October 20**

Location: National Women’s Law Center, 11 Dupont Circle NW

8:30 am  
**Meet and Breakfast provided by PLEN**

8:30 am - 10:30 am  
**Activity**: Coalitions: Crafting and Advocating for Federal Policy Simulation

10:45 am - 12:00 pm  
**Skills**: Salary Negotiation  
*Maggie Germano*, Financial Coach

12:00 pm - 12:45 pm  
**Lunch on your own**

1:00 pm – 2:30 pm  
**Panel**: Careers in Law and Policy  
**Moderator**:  
*Parnia Zahedi*, Law Clerk, Senate Judiciary Committee in the Office of Senator Dianne Feinstein; 2L, Georgetown University Law Center; PLEN Alumna

**Panelists**:  
*Harini Kidambi*, Corporate Associate, Morrison & Foerster LLP  
*Nicole Hutchinson*, Attorney Advisor, U.S. Secret Service, PLEN Alumna  
*Andrea Johnson*, Senior Counsel for State Policy, National Women's Law Center

2:30 pm – 4:00 pm  
**Skills**: Final Roulette  
**Resume Reviewers**:  
*Mackenzie Cannon; Jessica Bloomfield; Jessica Perez; Jordyn Arndt; Wendy Forbes; Joanna Platt; Nicole Hutchinson; Michael Werner*

4:00 pm – 4:30 pm  
**Debrief with PLEN staff**