Furman students to represent U.S. in Asia

Five Furman University students and one professor will travel to Hanoi, Vietnam, this week to represent the United States at the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation conference.

The conference will include President Bush and Russian President Vladimir Putin. Furman will send the only college students representing the United States.

The participating students are Kristen Capogrossi, a junior political science and economics major from Columbia; Daniella Fergusson, a senior political science major from Matthews, N.C.; Webb McArthur, a senior political science and philosophy major from McConnells; Ke Ji, a junior political science and Asian studies major from Madison, Miss.; and Cindy Youssef, a senior political science and Latin American studies major from Greenville.

The trip is sponsored by the Riley Institute at Furman.