South Carolina United
“Leading the New South Carolina”
A program of the Riley Institute

Schedule of Activities

Wednesday, July 23
State of the State

4pm – 5pm  Students Arrive and Check into Residence Hall
Judson Porch

6 pm  Welcome Dinner and Introduction to SC United
Welcoming Remarks:
Cathy Stevens, Associate Director, Riley Institute
Bill Berg, Vice President for Enrollment
Hartness Pavilion

7 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.  Icebreakers and Review of Schedule and Regulations
Led by counselors

8:30 p.m. – 10.p.m.  Fun in Dorms
Thursday, July 24
Issues and Actions

7:15 – 8:30 a.m.      Breakfast in DH

8:30 – 9:30 a.m.      South Carolina – Getting to know our Communities
                      Cathy Stevens, Leigh Berman, and Jill Fuson
                      JH 111I

9:40 – 11:00 a.m.     How South Carolina’s History Impacts Today’s Leaders
                      Dr. Lloyd Benson, Professor of History
                      JH 111I

11:00 – Noon          Discussion of Small Group Presentations

Noon – 1:00 p.m.      Lunch in DH

1:00 – 1:30 p.m.      Break

1:30 – 2:30 p.m.      State of the State: A Glance at Today’s Political Hot Issues
                      Dr. Glen Halva-Neubauer, Dana Professor of Political Science
                      JH 111I

2:45 – 4:15 p.m.      The Poverty/Wealth Divide: Global and Local Implications
                      Dr. Erik Ching, Associate Professor of History
                      JH 111I

4:15 – 5:15 p.m.      The Environment: Furman’s Emphasis on Sustainability
                      Mr. James Wilkins, Environmental Sustainability Coordinator,
                      The Cliffs Cottage

5:20 p.m.             Head downtown for dinner at Barley’s and Ice Cream at Marble
                      Slab

8:00 p.m.             Return to campus
**Friday, July 25**

**Uniting and Leading**

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| 9:00 a.m. - Noon | Diversity Leadership and the Student Leader  
Tobi Swartz, Director, Bridges to a Brighter Future  
Johns Hall 111I |
| Noon – 1:00    | Boxed Lunch and Wrap-up with Ms. Swartz  
Johns Hall 111I |
| 1:00 – 5:00    | Issues Facing Today’s Leaders: Action Plans for Change  
Discussion of Presentations and then break into Small Groups  
*Presentation planning on assigned issues*  
Johns Hall and Computer Lab |
| 5:30 p.m.      | Depart for White Oaks                                                 |
| 5:45 – 8:45    | Pool Party and Dinner at White Oaks                                  |
| 6:30 p.m.      | Dinner Served                                                         |
| 8:45           | Depart for Furman                                                     |
| 9:00 – ?       | Fun in Dorms                                                          |
Saturday, July 26

Uniting and Leading

8:30 – 10:30 a.m.  Breakfast &
Finalize small group presentations
Johns Hall 111

10:30 – 12:15  Presentations and Question/Answer
Johns Hall 109

12:15 – 1:30  Lunch and Evaluations
Closing Remarks, Cathy Stevens
Trustees Dining Room

1:30  Depart for home