Friday, February 8, 2019

3:15 p.m. **Meet in the Lobby of the Sheraton Commander**

*The Sheraton Commander is .5 miles from the Harvard Kennedy School. Harvard students will meet you in the hotel lobby and escort you to the Harvard Kennedy School. Should you arrive after 3:15 p.m. please use a maps app to find your way to the Littauer Building at the Harvard Kennedy School. Should you require assistance or transportation, please let us know.*

4:00 p.m. **America and the World: A Conversation with**

*The Honorable Caroline Kennedy ’80, U.S. Ambassador to Japan (2013-2017); Honorary Chair, Institute of Politics Senior Advisory Committee; Honorary President, John F. Kennedy Library Foundation*

*The Honorable Ed Markey,* United States Senator (D-MA)

*This event is in the John F. Kennedy Jr. Forum and is open to the entire Harvard community.*

6:00 p.m. **John F. Kennedy New Frontier Award Ceremony**

*HKS, Taubman Building, Nye Conference Center, 5th Floor*

*Award Recipients*

*The Honorable Michael Tubbs,* Mayor, Stockton, CA

*March For Our Lives Organizers*

*Edna Chavez, Ryan Deitsch, David Hogg, and Tyah Roberts*
Saturday, February 9, 2019

8:00 a.m.  Breakfast Buffet
           *HKS, Taubman Building, Nye Conference Center, 5th Floor*

8:45 a.m.  Opening Remarks and Welcome
           **Taylor Whitsell,** Harvard College Class of 2021; Chair, National
           Campaign, Institute of Politics

9:00 a.m.  Town Hall
           *Starr Auditorium, Belfer Building, Room 200*
           **John Della Volpe Town Hall,** Director of Polling, Institute of Politics

10:15 a.m. Break

10:30 a.m. Politics 365:
           Sustaining Student Interest During and Beyond Elections
           *HKS, Starr Auditorium, Belfer Building, Room 200*
           **Nancy Thomas,** Director, Institute for Democracy & Higher Education,
           Tufts University

11:30 a.m. Break

11:45 a.m. Get Your Campus Ready for 2020 Now:
           Building on the Success of 2018
           *HKS, Starr Auditorium, Belfer Building, Room 200*
           **Steven Adelson,** Co-Director, Center for Civic Justice, Stony Brook
           University
           **Erin Byrnes** Lead, Democratic Engagement, Edward Ginsberg Center,
           University of Michigan
           **Michael Peshkin,** Professor of Mechanical Engineering, Northwestern
           University
           **Kassie Phebillo,** TX Votes Program Coordinator & Student Engagement
           Specialist, University of Texas at Austin
           **Rob Watson,** Director of Student Programs, Institute of Politics, Harvard
           Kennedy School
           **Teresa Acuña** *moderator,* Associate Director, Democratic Governance,
           Ash Center, Harvard Kennedy School
12:45 p.m. Break for Lunch

1:00 p.m. Lunch Panel Discussion
March For Our Lives: Organizing Strategies, Lessons Learned and Moving Forward
HKS, Taubman Building, Nye Conference Center, 5th Floor
Edna Chavez, Winner, JFK New Frontier Award 2019
Tyah Roberts, Co-founder, March For Our Lives; Winner, JFK New Frontier Award 2019
Maya Jenkins moderator, Harvard College Class of 2021; Vice President, Institute of Politics

2:00 p.m. Break

2:15 p.m. Taking on Structural Barriers to Democracy
Rebecca Diaz, Student, Miami Dade College
Dana Sweeney, Statewide Organizer, Alabama Appleseed Center for Law & Justice
Stevie Valles, Executive Director, Chicago Votes
Delaney Vandergrift, President, Student Government Association, North Carolina A+T State University
Taylor Whitsell moderator, Harvard College Class of 2021; Chair, National Campaign, Institute of Politics

3:30 p.m. Break

3:45 p.m. When We All Vote x Institute of Politics
Setting the Stage for Sunday’s Student Project
Tackling Voting Barriers on Campus

4:45 p.m. Break

5:00 p.m. Optional Tour of Harvard Yard
Tour Guides: Dustin Chiang and Samantha Hand

7:00 p.m. Dinner with Institute of Politics at Harvard Kennedy School Students
Felipe’s Taqueria, 21 Brattle Street, Cambridge
Sunday, February 10, 2019

8:00 a.m.  Breakfast Buffet  
*HKS, Taubman Building, Nye Conference Center, 5th Floor*

9:00 a.m.  When We All Vote x Institute of Politics  
*Student Project*  
Tackling Voting Barriers on Campus

9:30 a.m.  Foundation for Civic Leadership x Institute of Politics  
*Administrator Meeting*  
Full Student Participation in Elections

12 noon  Conference Concludes