

PROGRAM

- 8:30 AM **REGISTRATION AND BREAKFAST**
- 9:00 AM **WELCOME**
Jennifer Creamer
Associate Director, University Center for International Studies, University of Pittsburgh
- INTRODUCTION**
Annie Prucey
Vice President and Director of Education Programs, World Affairs Council of Pittsburgh
- 9:10 AM **KEYNOTE PANEL AND Q&A DISCUSSION**
Moderator
Stephen Lund
Assistant Director, European Studies Center and European Union Center of Excellence
Panelists (in order of appearance)
Angela Dunlap Ayukachale, MPH, CHES
*Former Peace Corps Volunteer (Cameroon)
K-12 Teacher*
Terrell Starr
*Former Peace Corps Volunteer (Georgia)
Fulbright Awardee (Ukraine)
Freelance Multimedia Journalist*
Nick Hamilton-Archer
Director of Operations, Center for Executive Education, EMBA Worldwide at the University of Pittsburgh
- 10:15 AM **BREAK**
- 10:30 AM **BREAKOUT SESSIONS**
Please report to your designated breakout session area as indicated by the colored dot on your name badge.
- 12:00 PM **KEYNOTE LUNCHEON AND Q&A DISCUSSION**
Colonel Aaron Webster
United States Army
- 1:00 PM **ADJOURN**

SPEAKER AND MODERATOR BIOGRAPHIES

Angela Dunlap Ayukachale, a Philadelphia native, is a teacher in Chester County, Pennsylvania. She spent two years in Cameroon with the Peace Corps, teaching Biology to 7th and 8th graders. Ms. Ayukachale received her Bachelor's degree in Biology from North Carolina A&T State University and her Master's degree in Public Health from Temple University.

Nicholas Hamilton-Archer is the Director of Operations for the Center for Executive Education/EMBA Worldwide at the University of Pittsburgh Joseph M. Katz Graduate School of Business. Prior to joining the Joseph M. Katz Graduate School of Business, Nicholas was the Director of Executive Programs within the School of Management at George Mason University, where among his duties he managed an international EMBA cohort in Cairo, Egypt. Mr. Hamilton-Archer has also worked extensively within the Middle East and the Gulf Cooperation Council region in a number of capacities within Higher Education. He has managed strategic initiatives and partnerships, and has worked collaboratively with various academic institutions, government agencies and private businesses within the United Arab Emirates. Mr. Hamilton-Archer has a Master's of Public Administration and Bachelor of Arts (Cum Laude) in Government and International Politics from George Mason University in Fairfax, Virginia.

Stephen Lund currently serves as the Assistant Director for the European Studies Center and the European Union Center of Excellence. A native of Los Angeles, he graduated from California State Long Beach with a BA in English Literature. As an undergraduate, Mr. Lund studied abroad in England, where he conducted research on Charles Dickens. After receiving his Masters in Poetry from the University of Pittsburgh, he went to work for Pitt in advising and program development. His previous projects have included the pre-med program and the Historic Preservation Certificate program. As part of his responsibilities for the University of Pittsburgh and Semester at Sea, Mr. Lund has had the pleasure of traveling to nineteen countries around the world.

Terrell Starr, a Fulbright and Peace Corps (Georgia) alum, recently completed a yearlong journalistic study of the African Diaspora in Ukraine. He earned his Master's degrees in Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies, and News-Editorial Journalism from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. His work has appeared in various print and online publications, including *Crisis Management*, *The Grio*, and others. Terrell is the creator of the popular photo blog *Hidden New Yorkers*. He currently works in New York City as a freelance multimedia journalist.

Colonel Aaron A. Webster, a native of Jacksonville, Florida, is a graduate of Florida A&M University where he received a Bachelor's Degree in Computer Science and a ROTC commission as a 2nd Lieutenant in the United States Army. Upon graduation, COL Webster was assigned to the 267th Signal Company in Germany as a Platoon Leader. In 1989, he was assigned to the 73rd Signal Battalion as the Operations Officer, and his unit provided support for the removal of the Berlin Wall and deployments to Operation Desert Shield and Storm. COL Webster's military duty also includes various missions both domestically and abroad in Korea, Qatar, and in Iraq in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. In 2001, COL Webster earned a Master's Degree in Computer Resource and Info Systems from Webster University and he received a second Master's Degree in Strategic Studies from the Army War College.

BREAKOUT SESSION FACILIATORS

Julian Asenjo, Assistant Director for Academic Affairs, Center for Latin American Studies, University Center for International Studies, Pitt

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