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<td><strong>Saturday, April 16</strong></td>
<td>PYLP-participants Arrive!!!!</td>
<td>Diversions 9:00 – 10:00 am HSC 023 Activate LogOn ID (Nalika Diyadawa)</td>
<td>Diversions 8:15 am NIU Courtesy Photo ID (Amando Boncales &amp; Mai Konate)</td>
<td>Diversions 9:00am Workshop Youth as community organizers (Jerry Clarito)</td>
<td>Diversions 9:00 am Workshop: Transforming the Leadership Potential of Youth (Seemi Choudry)</td>
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<td><strong>Sunday, April 17</strong></td>
<td>(Diversions) 9:00 am Inaugural Activities (Program Overview &amp; Logistics) (Project Team)</td>
<td>10:00 am Pre-Test, Intercultural Communication, U.S. Geography (Rey Ty)</td>
<td>9:20 am The Quest for Justice, Identity &amp; Peace in Mindanao (Dr. Susan Russell)</td>
<td>1:00 pm Workshop: Practical skills for transforming civil society: Integrating Faith, Diversity, &amp; Social Action (Gerald Hankerson – CAIR Chicago)</td>
<td>1:00 pm DeKalb Mosque 3:00-5:30 pm The struggle &amp; survival of people of color in the U.S.A. (Dr. LaVerne Gyant)</td>
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<td>1:00 pm Workshop: Learning Contract, Mission, Strategies &amp; Curriculum (Rey Ty)</td>
<td>1:00 pm Workshop: Defining &amp; celebrating our similarities &amp; differences; Films: “Shadow of Hate” and “A Place at the Table” (Dr. Janice Hamlet) 7pm Rehearsal - (Diversions)</td>
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<td><strong>Easter</strong> 9:00 am Workshop Developing a Community Service Project &amp; Action Planning (Dr. Lemuwat Watson)</td>
<td><strong>Easter</strong> 1:00 pm Continuation of morning workshop</td>
<td><strong>Easter</strong> Castle Rock State Park &amp; Pres. Reagan’s Home in Dixon, IL</td>
<td><strong>On site</strong> 9:00 am</td>
<td><strong>Easter</strong> 9:00am–United Center 10:00 – Willis (Sears) Tower Lunch at Navy Pier 3:30 pm – Baha’i Temple 7:30 p.m. Attend Seussical the Musical Egyptian Theater</td>
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<td>Stronghold Conference Ctr. Leadership Camp 10:00 Arrival Teambuilding, Night hike, Campfire</td>
<td>Stronghold Conference Ctr. Leadership Camp Ropes/Survival Course Depart 1:00 p.m. after lunch 2:00 – 5:00 pm Castle Rock State Park &amp; Pres. Reagan’s Home in Dixon, IL Return to HSC Hotel</td>
<td>**4-H Club in DeKalb 9:00 am Russell Woods Meet &amp; Interact with 4-H Club members; community service project; 1 pm Team building activities with club members 7:30 p.m. Attend Seussical the Musical Egyptian Theater</td>
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<td><strong>Easter</strong> 10:30 am Meeting w/ adult leaders Afternoon Interaction w/ American Peers 12:00 pm Leave for Islamic Foundation High School in Villa Park (Group sharing of experiences)</td>
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<td><strong>Easter</strong> 9:00 am Latino student leaders: Sharing of experiences in youth-led community engagement (Adam Lopez, Yasmeen Villaseñor &amp; Friends)</td>
<td><strong>Easter</strong> 9:00 am Effective Communication for Community Organizing (Chris Birks) 2:00 – 4:00 pm Interaction w/ American Peers &gt; NIU students</td>
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**Free Day**
**With host families** |
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| 9 | **Diversions**
9:00 am Workshop: Human Rights-based Approach to Community Development & Advocacy (Lisa King)
1:00 pm Sharing of Experiences: Adult-youth Dialogue on Engagement for Social Change: Lessons, Opportunities, Challenges (C. Meyer, Dr. Emily Prieto, & Stan Campbell)
4:00 pm Meeting w/ adult leaders |
| 10 | **Diversions**
10:00-11:30 am Work on Action Plans
2:30 – 4:30 pm Aurora, Illinois Volunteer service > “Feed My Starving Children”
Fox Valley Mall
Premium Outlet Mall |
| 11 | **Diversions**
9:00 am Work on Action Plans
1:00 – 3:00 pm Work on Action Plans
4:00 – 8:00 pm Volunteer service > Oak Crest Retirement Center |
| 12 | **Diversions**
9:00 am Work on Action Plans
1 – 4:30 Presentation & critique of Community Project Plans
Prepare for Thank-You Reception for Host Families |
| 13 | **Diversions**
9 am Learning Circle (Rey Ty)
1:00pm Town Hall Meetings “Implementing our Action Plans: Problems & Solutions” (Youth): “Ways to Support the Youth in Project Implementation” (Adult leaders)
Prepare for Thank-You Reception for Host Families |
| 14 | **Diversions & Regency**
**End of Homestay**
**Noon Return to HSC**
1:30 – 4:00pm – Prepare for Reception
5:30 pm (Regency Rm.) Thank-you Reception for Host Families & Farewell Dinner |

| 15 | **Diversions**
**Morning**
9:00 a.m.
**Briefing**:
(1) Washington, DC study tour; (2) return flight to Manila (Leslie & Lina)
Free afternoon
Shop for souvenirs? Pack, pack, pack! |
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| 16 | **Goodbye NIU!!!**
Leave NIU @ 8 a.m.
Depart for Washington, DC Southwest Flight
Lunch on your own
3:00 pm Check in at Washington Suites in Alexandria, VA
Tour of Washington, DC Jefferson Memorial & World War II Memorial
Dinner on your own
7:00 pm Cultural Tour Orientation (Rey, Leslie, Lina) |
| 17 | **Washington, DC**
8:30 am Depart for Philippine Embassy
9:30am Philippine Embassy Courtesy Call – H.E. Amb. Cuisia
Philippine Ambassador to the U.S.
11:00 am Depart for Old Post Office Pavilion; Lunch at Food Court on your own
1:30 pm United States Institute of Peace (Workshop: Youth in Peacebuilding – Models/Best Practices)
4:00 pm (Lincoln Memorial, Korean War, & Vietnam War Memorials)
Dinner on your own
6:00 pm Dinner Theater at Toby’s Happy Days |
| 18 | **Washington, DC**
8:30 am Depart for White House Photo op
9:30 am - 3:30 pm Smithsonian Museums: Native American > Natural History > Air & Space Museum
Lunch on your own at Food Court in Museum |
| 19 | **Washington, DC**
8:00 am Depart for George Washington’s Mount Vernon Estate & Gardens
Lunch on your own at Food Court
12:20 pm Depart for Arlington Cemetery, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, Kennedy Gravesites, Iwo Jima Memorial
Dinner hosted by Filipino Community in Maryland |
| 20 | **Washington, DC**
8:30 am Tentative visit with Legislator
9:20 am Capitol Tour including a visit to the House of Representatives
Lunch on your own at Cafeteria
1:30pm U.S. State Department
* Meeting w/ Carolyn Lantz (Program Officer)
* Certificate Ceremony in Carolyn’s office
* Collective Call to Action for Youth Engagement in Social Change: A Pledge of Commitment
Dinner on your own |
| 21 | **Depart for Manila**
Reagan National Airport (DCA)

**Have a safe trip! Paalam!!!**