

Global Student Leadership Summit 2019: Welcome Webinar

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Agenda

12:00-12:05	Welcome
12:05-12:15	About Diversity Abroad
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12:50-1:00	Questions

GSLS Planning Committee

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About Diversity Abroad





Diversity Abroad connects talented diverse and underrepresented students and graduates to international education and career opportunities that prepares them for leadership in an interconnected world. We are preparing the next generation of global leaders.



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March 2-5, 2019 | Boston, MA

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Global Student Leadership Summit Logistics



The Global Student Leadership Summit is...

An opportunity for diverse young leaders to:

- share their international experiences with other students and professionals at the conference
- participate in professional development workshops to enhance their career readiness
- learn how to articulate and leverage their international experience for career and graduate opportunities
- discover new career possibilities through sponsored panels and information sessions
- develop awareness of diversity and inclusion especially as it relates to leadership in a global society
- network and build community with student leaders from a variety of different colleges and universities

Who participates in GSLS?

- ***Recently participated in a global experience*** (i.e. study abroad)
- Exhibit exceptional leadership potential
- Are engaged in the campus community
- Are able to speak thoughtfully about their experience abroad
- Will be able to engage in and contribute to the sessions and discussions throughout the GSLS
- Are likely to utilize what they've gained from the Summit and share with the campus community upon their return
- Have a GPA of a 3.0 or higher

YOU!



Schedule at-a-glance

Saturday, March 2

12:00 - 5:00pm Registration Open

4:00 pm - 5:30 pm Pre-Conference Kick-off: How to Navigate GSLS and DAC

5:30 - 6:30pm Keynote Address

6:30 - 8:00pm GSLS Reception

Sunday, March 3

7:00am - 5:30pm Registration Open

9:00 - 9:15am Brief Welcome Remarks

9:15 - 10:15am Critical Conversations on Personal Identity in Education Abroad:
Part 1

10:15 - 10:30am Break

10:30 - 12:30pm Critical Conversations on Personal Identity in Education
Abroad: Part 2

12:30 - 1:30pm Lunch

1:30 - 3:15pm Critical Conversations on Leadership Identity in Education Abroad

3:15 - 4:15 pm Break/Recharge

4:15 - 4:45pm High School Student Engagement & Networking

5:00-7:00pm Welcome & Innovation Competition

7:15-8:45pm Opening Reception



Schedule at-a-glance

Monday, March 4

- 8:00 - 9:00am Optional: Resume Review Power Hour
- 9:00 - 10:15am Code Switching in the Workforce:
- 10:30 - 11:45am Maximizing Your Skillset
- 12:00 - 1:30pm Lunch
- 1:30 - 1:40pm Group Photo on Stage
- 1:45 - 2:45 pm Beyond Hard Skills: Career Panel and Networking Preparation Tips
- 2:15 - 3:30pm Poster Community
- 3:45 - 5:00pm Professional Career Event
- 5:30 - 7:30pm Awards Gala & Dinner

Tuesday, March 5

- 7:45 - 9:00am Breakfast
- 9:00am- 10:00am Fireside Chat / Plenary Speaker
- 11:30am - 12:30pm Conference Reflections: Major Takeaways and Action Plan
- 12:45pm - 2:15pm Lunch + Student Plenary
- 2:45 - 4:00pm Paying it Forward: Making an Impact on Your Campus and Beyond

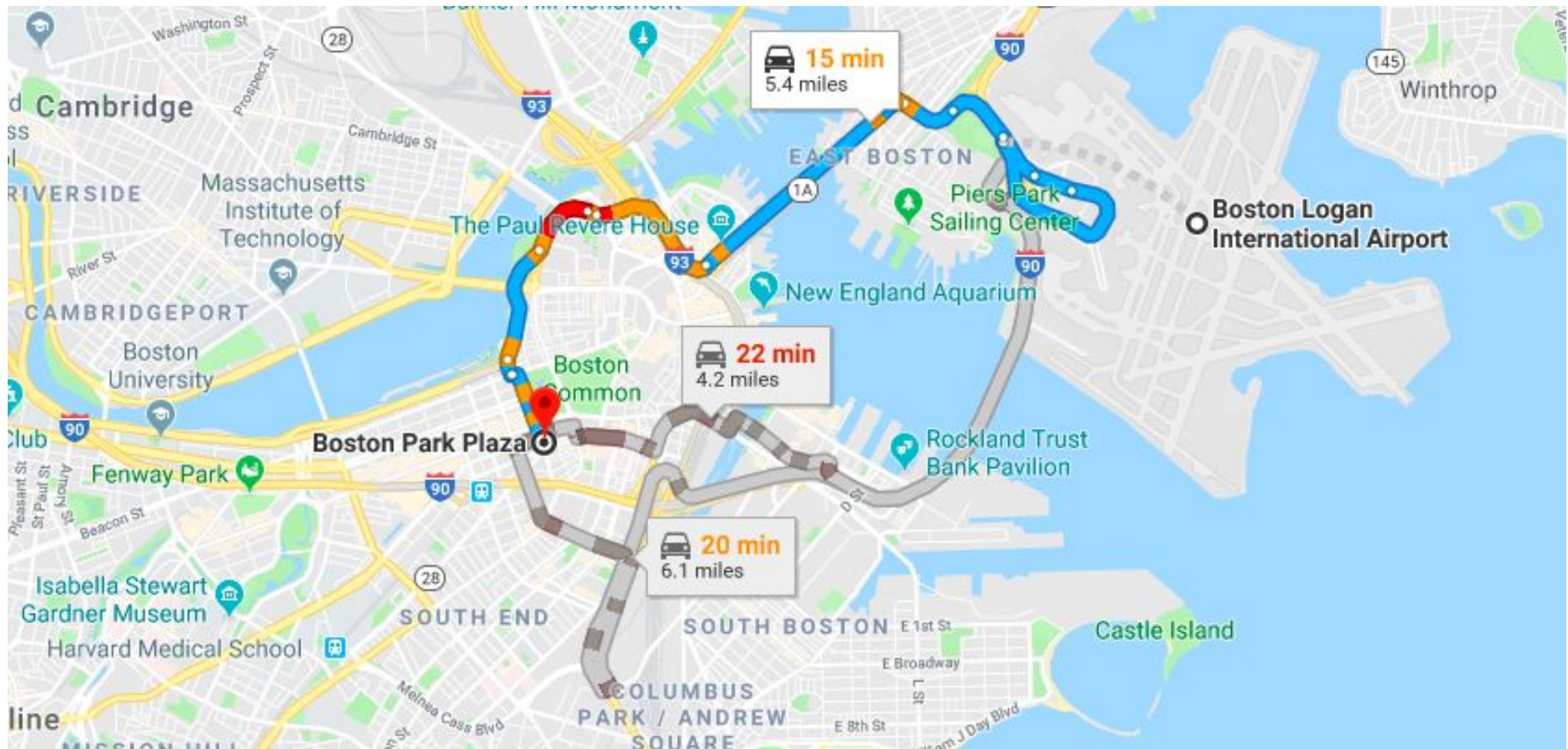
What to prepare

1. Dress is business casual - bring appropriate shoes and clothing; considerate of Boston climate!
2. Overnight toiletries and necessities
 - a. consider medications, contact solution, feminine care, hair care, etc.
3. Printed/Electronic version of your resume (that you can edit!)
4. Business cards (not required, but strongly encouraged)
5. Laptop
6. Elevator Pitch
7. Cash/credit card for meals, souvenirs, etc.
8. Snacks!
9. Enthusiastic learning attitude!



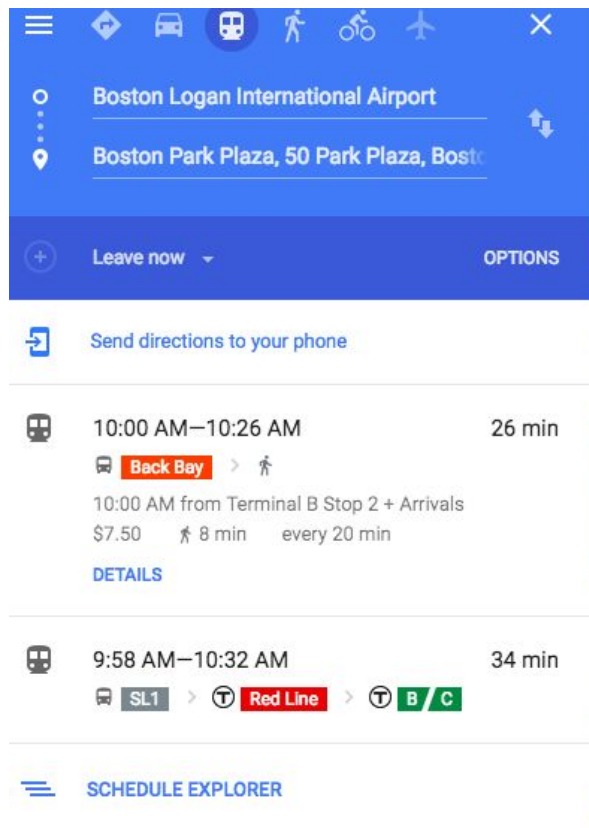
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- Consider public transit (about 26 minutes), car-sharing services
- Double check hotel check-in times



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From: Boston Logan International Airport

To: Boston Park Plaza, 50 Park Plaza, Boston

Leave now

OPTIONS

Send directions to your phone

10:00 AM—10:26 AM 26 min

Back Bay > Walking

10:00 AM from Terminal B Stop 2 + Arrivals

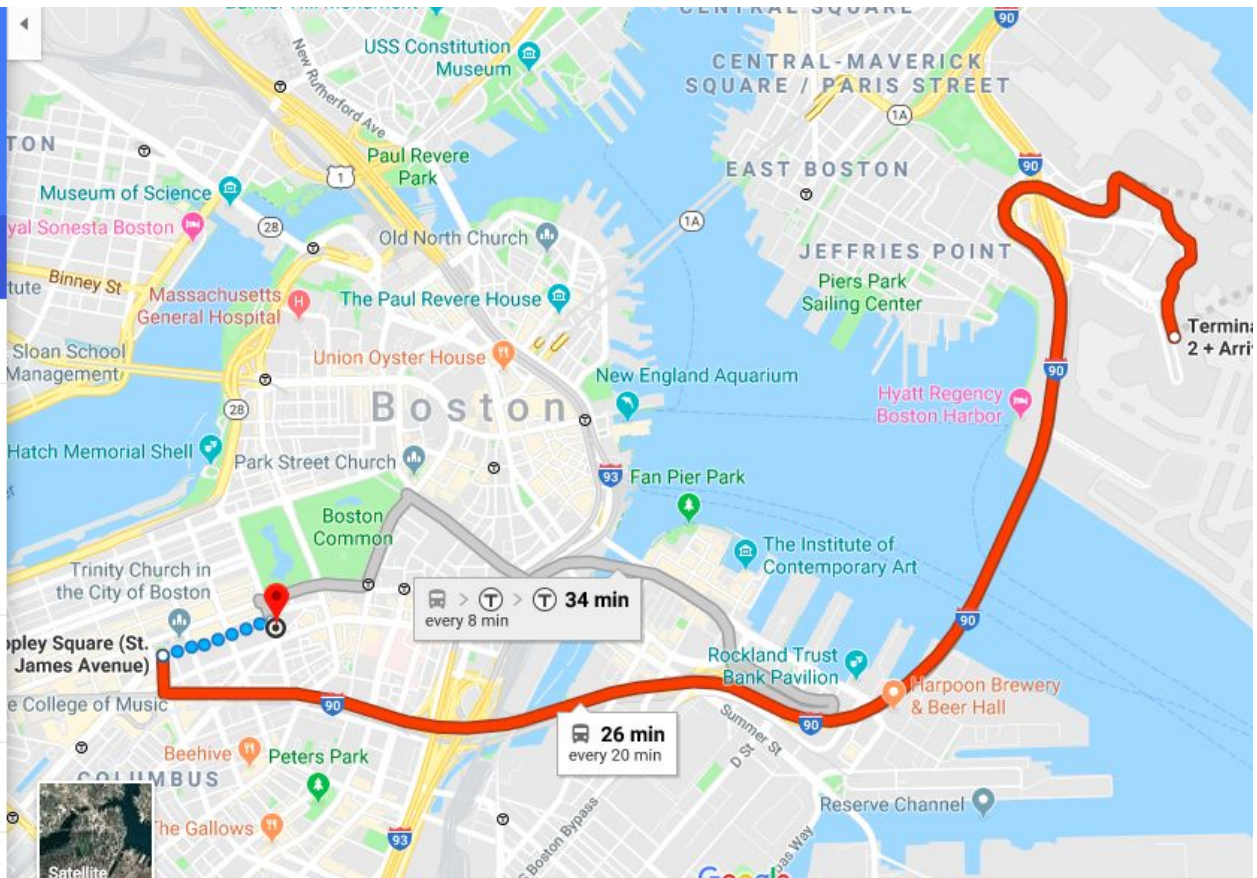
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DETAILS

9:58 AM—10:32 AM 34 min

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SCHEDULE EXPLORER





Accommodations in Boston

“Official” Conference Option

1. HYATT REGENCY
 - a. One Avenue de Lafayette, Boston, MA 02111
2. Boston Park Plaza is - SOLD OUT
3. <http://conference.diversitynetwork.org/hotel-travel/>
 - You should already have your housing/accommodation BOOKED!
 - Confirm with me if you are still having trouble finding a room
 - Only accommodation option with rooms available through

Alternative Options:

1. Airbnb
2. Local Hostels (Hosteling International in Boston is great!)
3. Staying with friends/family



Benefits of being part of the GSLS



What YOU will gain

- Community and camaraderie with other diverse global leaders across the country
- Develop your leadership style among globally-minded peers
- An opportunity to critically reflect on/unpack your time abroad, specifically how your identities were impacted in an international context
- The chance to draw connections between your experience and what's next in your academic or professional career
- Networking with professionals and students who share a passion for diversity and international experiences
- Build memories and friendships with others





Preparing for GSLS



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- Welcome packet - Email coming Wednesday February 20th
- Open mind and a willingness to engage in discussions
- Consider opportunities for networking and participating in a professional conference
 - Professionalism
 - Dress
 - Behavior
- GSLS is a marathon, not a sprint (fatigue and energy)
- Bring your whole self!



Questions?

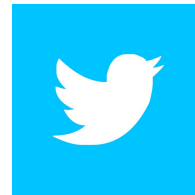
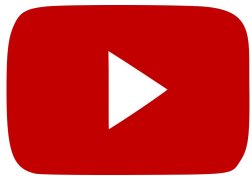


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1. Confirm your travel and accommodation logistics are SET
 - a. Hotel in Boston for 3-4 nights
 - b. Getting to/from the airport at home
 - c. Getting to/from the Boston airport to your hotel
2. Print/make copies of your resume, business card, etc.
3. Complete the Welcome Packet, which includes activities designed to help you prepare for a successful conference!
4. Pack all the things! Business/ business casual wear for the conference, additional outfits, toiletries, personal needs, etc.
5. Come ready to share, grow, and build community

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Thank you!

