

2018 "Faith + Advocacy" Training Agenda (subject to change)

Saturday, July 28: Welcome & Orientation

Time	Activity	Responsible	Location
5:00 pm	Opening Prayer and Welcome Dinner	Scott	FMS House
5:30 pm	Icebreaker Bingo	Wesley	
6:00 pm	Why We're Here	Becca & Wesley	
6:30 pm	 Expectations & Agenda Program expectations: professionalism for the week, etc. Go over Schedule for the week and hand out material. 	Wesley	
7:15 pm	Community Agreement	Wesley	

Sunday, July 29: Foundations of Advocacy

Time	Activity	Responsible	Location
9:00 am	Morning Mass (optional)	Fr. Andrei	FMS
10:00 am	Life-line Activity		Columban Center
11:00 am	Introduction to CCAO	Becca & Wesley	Columban Center
12:00 am	Introduction to the Columbans	Fr. Andrei	Columban Center
12:45 pm	Lunch		
1:30 pm	CST 101	Wesley	Columban Center
2:30 pm	Advocacy 101	Весса	Columban Center
4:00 pm	Storytelling for Advocacy	Весса	Columban Center
6:00 pm	Dinner with Amy Echeverria, International JPIC Coordinator		Wesley's Apt Building



Monday, July 30: Skills for Advocacy

Time	Activity	Responsible	Location
8:30 am	Opening Reflection		Columban Center
9:00 am	Advocacy in the Community	Dr. Linda Donaldson	
10:15 am	Government 101	Весса	
11:30 am	Individual Reflection	Everyone	
12:00 pm	Lunch		
1:30 pm	Community Organizing	Meg Olson	NETWORK
3:30 pm	Media for Advocacy	Dan Nejfelt	Faith in Public Life
5:30 pm	Dinner		TBD

Tuesday, July 31: Environment Day

Time	Activity	Responsible	Location
8:30am	Opening Reflection		Columban Center
9:00 am	Columbans + Environmental Justice	Scott	
9:30 am	Environment State of Play	Весса	
10:00 am	Skype with a Columban	Fr. Liam	
11:15 am	Climate Change and the Catholic Response	Jose Aguto/ Dan Misleh	Columban Center
12:30 pm	Lunch		
1:15 pm	Environment Exercise	Everyone	
3:30 pm	Building the Climate Movement	Keya Chatterjee	USCAN
5:30 pm	Movie Night: <i>Years of Living</i> Dangerously		FMS



Wednesday, August 1: Migration Day

Time	Activity	Responsible	Location
8:30 am	Opening Reflection		Columban Center
9:00 am	Skype with a Columban	Fr. Peter O'Neill	
10:00 am	Columbans & Migration	Scott	
10:30 am	Migration State of Play	Becca	
11:00 am	Visioning Exercise	Becca & Wesley	
12:00 pm	Lunch		
1:30 pm	State of Play in Washington	Carlos Guevara	UnidosUS
3:30 pm	Meeting with USAID Staff		USAID Office
5:30 pm	Art as Advocacy	Wesley	American Art Museum

Thursday, August 2: Skills for Advocacy, Part 2

Time	Activity	Responsible	Location
8:30 am	Opening Reflection		Columban Center
9:00 am	Migration Advocacy	Alaide Vilchis Ibarra	Columban Center
10:15 am	Lobby Training	Becca	
12:00 pm	Lunch		Basilica
1:00 pm	Introduction to Economic Justice & Peace and Demilitarization	Scott	
2:15 pm	Best Practices for Talking about Social Justice	Wesley	
3:15 pm	Bringing Advocacy Home	Becca & Wesley	
4:00 pm	Letter to the Editor Workshop	Wesley	
5:30 pm	Dinner	Everyone	



Friday, August 3: Lobby Day

Time	Activity	Responsible	Location
8:50 am	Capitol Tour		Capitol
Ongoing	Lobby Visits		
1:00 pm	Lunch		Senate Cafeteria
3:30 pm	Interviews & Group Photo		
5:00 pm	Free Evening		

Saturday, August 4: Closing

Time	Activity	Responsible	Location
9:00 am	Optional Mass	Fr. Andrei	FMS House
10:00 am	Group debrief	Everyone	FMS House
11:00 am	Post Program Expectations Review	Wesley & Becca	
11:30 am	Closing Reflection	Scott	FMS House
12:00 pm	Lunch		FMS House
12:30 pm	Program Feedback	Everyone	FMS House
1:00 pm	Begin leaving for DCA		FMS House