# SESSION IV: GOVERNMENT
## CLASS OF 2019-20 | JAN. 15-17 | DES MOINES

### WEDNESDAY, JAN. 15

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| 10:45 – 11:50 am | LUNCH & KEYNOTE  
SPONSORED BY BATON GLOBAL  
Secretary Tom Vilsack, U.S. Dairy Export Council | State Historical Museum of Iowa  
600 E Locust St.  
Des Moines, IA 50319  
3rd Floor; A/B Classroom |
| 11:50 – 12:25 pm | CLASS PHOTO / MUSEUM EXPLORATION | |
| 12:30 – 3:30 pm | CONGRESSIONAL INSIGHT SIMULATION  
BREAK SPONSORED BY PALMER GROUP  
Mary Foley-Balvanz (LI ’94-95), Iowa Farm Bureau Federation | Community Choice Credit Union  
Convention Center  
833 5th Ave. Des Moines |
| 4:00 – 4:30 pm | ABI LEGISLATIVE BRIEFING  
JD Davis, Iowa Association of Business and Industry  
Brad Hartkopf, Iowa Association of Business and Industry | Community Choice Credit Union  
Convention Center  
833 5th Ave. Des Moines |
| 4:30 – 6:30 pm | LEGISLATIVE RECESSION  
SPONSORED BY CIBC BANK, DAVIS BROWN LAW FIRM, HDH ADVISORS, LLC, NYEMASTER GOODE, P.C. | Community Choice Credit Union  
Convention Center  
833 5th Ave. Des Moines |
| 6:30 – 8:30 pm | DINNER AT RENAISSANCE DES MOINES SAVERY HOTEL  
SPONSORED BY R&R REALTY, BROWNWINICK, MIDAMERICAN ENERGY & RILEY RESOURCE GROUP | 401 Locust St.  
Des Moines |

### THURSDAY, JAN. 16

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| 7:45 – 8:00 am | BREAKFAST & GATHERING  
SPONSORED BY GREATER DES MOINES PARTNERSHIP | Iowa Assoc. of Business & Industry  
400 E. Court Ave.,  
Ste. 100 Des Moines |
| 8:00 – 8:15 am | WELCOME TO DES MOINES  
Trina Flack, Catch Des Moines | |
| 8:15 – 8:30 am | LI LINKAGE (PART I) | |
| 8:35 – 9:35 am | STATE BUDGET OVERVIEW  
Dave Roederer, Iowa Department of Management | |
| 9:35 – 9:45 am | BREAK  
SPONSORED BY CATCH DES MOINES | |
| 9:45 – 10:45 am | AN INSIDE LOOK AT IOWA ELECTIONS  
Heidi Burhans (LI ’14-15), State of Iowa  
Auditor Dennis Parrott, Jasper County  
Scott Raecker, Robert D. & Billie Ray Center, Drake University  
Kelly Winfrey, Carrie Chapman Catt Center for Women & Politics | |
10:45 – 11:15 am  BREAK & TRAVEL TO CAPITOL BUILDING
PROVIDED BY IOWA ARMY & AIR NATIONAL GUARD

11:15 – 12:30 pm  LUNCH WITH LEGISLATORS
SPONSORED BY ATLANTIC COCA-COLA BOTTLING COMPANY
Senator Charles Schneider (LI ’03-04), Iowa Senate
Senator Amanda Ragan, Iowa Senate
Representative Jennifer Konfrst, Iowa House of Representatives
Representative Matt Windschitl, Iowa House of Representatives

12:35 – 2:15 pm  ADVOCACY INSIGHT & CAPITOL TOUR
Tours at 1:00pm
Nicole Crain (LI ’14-15), Iowa Association of Business and Industry
Andrea Woodard (LI ’18-19), Greater Des Moines Partnership

2:25 – 2:35 pm  TRAVEL TO JUDICIAL BUILDING

2:40 – 4:35 pm  UNDERSTANDING IOWA’S JUDICIAL SYSTEM
Dan Huitink (LI ’18-19), Vermeer / Judicial Nominating Commission
Justice Susan Christensen, Supreme Court of Iowa
Judge Sharon Greer, Iowa Court of Appeals
Judge David Nelmark, Iowa District Court

4:45 – 4:55 pm  TRAVEL BACK TO ABI

5:00 – 6:30 pm  BREAK / EXPLORE DES MOINES

6:40 pm  DINNER & “FIVE MINUTES OF FAME”
SPONSORED BY JOHN DEERE
Jack Lashier (LI ’88-89), LRI Graphics

8:30 pm  ADJOURN

FRIDAY, JAN. 17

7:30 – 7:45 am  BREAKFAST & GATHERING
SPONSORED BY DAVIS BROWN LAW FIRM

7:45 – 8:15 am  WELCOME & OVERVIEW
COL Wunn, Iowa Army National Guard

8:30 – 10:30 am  “SOLDIER FOR A DAY” EXPERIENCE

10:30 – 10:40 am  TRAVEL TO JOINT FORCES HEADQUARTERS

10:45 – 11:25 am  STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER
Major Parrino and SFC Allen, Iowa National Guard

11:30 – 12:30 pm  LUNCH & IOWA AIR NATIONAL GUARD / SAFETY BRIEF
Provided by Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve
Col. Mark Chidley (LI ’18-19), 132d Wing, Iowa Air National Guard

12:40 – 1:25 pm  LI LINKAGE (PART II)

1:25 – 3:00 pm  FLIGHT ROTATIONS & ADJOURN
Greg Schwab and Dick Rue, ESGR

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