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The Zoom link to all sessions is http://go.fiu.edu/EnviroFly21 unless otherwise stated below.

Monday, April 5

9:30a Welcome to Your Fly-In Seminar

10:00a The Center for Climate and Security
John Conger, Director
Erin Sikorsky, Deputy Director

11:00am Climate & Environment: Local Impacts
Rachel Streitfeld, Commissioner, North Bay Village; Resilient Land Use Attorney

1:00pm Environmental Justice and Community Education
Mariana Del Valle Prieto Cervantes, Clean & Healthy Waters Advocate, GreenLatinos
Salome Garcia, Policy & Campaigns Manager, The CLEO Institute

4:00pm Energy and Environment
Daniel Bresette, Executive Director, Environmental and Energy Study Institute
Chelsea Mervenne, Fellow, Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, U.S. Department of Energy; Environmental Justice Chair, DC Commission on Climate Change and Resiliency

Tuesday, April 6

8:30am ‘Salient Solutions’ Pre-Session

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http://go.fiu.edu/SalientSolutions

11:00am Consolidation of the Agriculture Industry
James MacDonald, USDA Economic Research Service; University of Maryland

1:00pm Corporations’ Role in Public Policy
Duane Simpson, VP, Government & Industry Affairs, Bayer Crop Science
Meg Villareal, Manager, Policy & Public Affairs, Nestle

2:00pm Filibuster 101: An Explainer of the Senate Rule
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3:00pm Community Resilience & National Security
Matt Lyttle, Associate Director, National Security, Guidehouse
Dayra Carvajal, International Engagement Coordinator, FEMA

4:00pm Think Tank Visit
Sarah Hunt, Founder and President, Joseph Rainey Center for Public Policy

Wednesday, April 7

9:00am ‘Is The Price Right?’  http://go.fiu.edu/priceright

10:30am Hot Opportunity Alert: Internships at K2
Danny McGlynn, Senior Managing Director, K2 Integrity

10:45-11:00am Hill Visit Prep

11:00am-1:00pm Policy Hack

1pm National Security Implications of Climate Change in Florida  https://bit.ly/3sgrQdh

2-3 Policy Hack Presentations

3-4 Hill Visits
Office of Rep. Kathy Castor (FL-14)
Office of Rep. Maria Salazar (FL-27)

4-5 Conclusion & Debrief