

Embassy of the Czech Republic Washington, DC

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## MASARYK DIPLOMATIC PROGRAM

EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING & RESEARCH PROGRAM FOR U.S.UNIVERSITY STUDENTS ENHANCING THE TRANSATLANTIC CZECH-AMERICAN PARTNERSHIP

Learn, network & make a change!

April - May 2022

## During the program MDP students will:

- Complete five virtual workshops with diplomats
- Conduct their own research to benefit Czech-U.S. relations
- Have access to a mentoring program
- Present research at the Embassy and participate in the final ceremony

## More information please visit:

www.mzv.cz/washington

## MASARYK DIPLOMATIC PROGRAM

- Masaryk Diplomatic Program (MDP) is a two-month-long, research-intensive program organized by the Embassy of the Czech Republic in Washington D.C. The program is designed and open for current American university students and recent graduates interested in diplomacy, transatlantic relations, and U.S. relations with the Czech Republic.
- The program consists of a **series of virtual workshops led by diplomats** of the Czech Embassy in Washington. The workshops will focus on topics such as Czech-American relations, business and trade, cybersecurity, public diplomacy and energy security.
- From the **mentoring part of the program**, diplomats and topic experts will assist MDP Students in the **preparation and presentation of their projects**. This will help deepen Czech-American relations and mutual cooperation.
- MDP students have the opportunity to choose their own topic that fosters Czech-American relations and brainstorm actionable recommendations. Examples include security cooperation, tackling misinformation, protecting press freedom and rule of law, promoting the legacy of the Czech-U.S. diaspora, enhancing bilateral cooperation in education and science, and exploring new commercial opportunities.
- Those accepted as MDP students will be offered: insight into the practical functioning of the Embassy, knowledge about Czech-American relations, and mentoring with diplomats. They will become part of the alumni network.
- To apply, please **send your CV and brief motivational letter to czechembassydc@gmail.com.** In the motivation letter, please state what is the specific topic you choose. The deadline for the application submission is March 20, 2022. No applications will be accepted after the deadline.