A New Era of Great Power Competition?

The United States Naval Academy has invited Oberlin College to send a student representative to the 2017 Naval Academy Foreign Affairs Conference “A New Era of Great Power Competition?,” April 11-13, 2017. Delegates from over one hundred colleges, universities, service academies, and fifteen foreign countries will be attending this conference.

Delegates will participate in small-group roundtable discussions led by a midshipman moderator. They will also benefit from the insights of prominent politicians, leading academics and public intellectuals, government officials and foreign dignitaries who will speak at the conference. In addition to roundtable discussion and guest speakers, delegates will have the opportunity to discover the history and traditions of the Naval Academy.

Delegates are required to prepare and submit in advance an 800-1,200 word paper for discussion at the roundtable. The ROUNDTABLE TOPICS can be found on the NAFAC website.

All meals and lodging during the conference will be provided by the Naval Academy. Oberlin College will pay for transportation from Cleveland-Hopkins Airport to Baltimore-Washington. Students are responsible for transportation to the Cleveland airport.

TO APPLY
Submit the following information to ttucker@oberlin.edu by Monday, February 20, 2017:

• Name, OCMR box, phone number, e-mail address
• Class standing (i.e. junior, senior), Major
• Paper topic
• A paragraph that explains why you are suited to attend
• Courses you have taken relevant to the topic attend this conference
• Other relevant experience