



2011
Open World Program
Russia and Ukraine



Russian Program Themes* and Tentative Travel Dates:

ACCOUNTABLE GOVERNANCE	RULE OF LAW	SOCIAL ISSUES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Role of a State Legislature - Economic Development - Environmental Management 	Civic Rule of Law: judicial transparency and availability of legal services Human trafficking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Health Care Provision - Higher Education/especially community colleges - Social Services
Tentative Dates in U.S. City: (State Legislature focus) Feb 4 – 12; Feb 11 – 19; March 4 – 12 Other Acct Gov focus: June 18 – 26; Oct 21 – 29; Nov 11 – 19; Dec 9 - 17	Tentative Dates in U.S. City: May 20 – 28 (with social service) Or Accountable Governance travel dates	Tentative Dates in U.S. City: April 8 – 16 - Higher Education May 20 – 28 - Social Services Dec 2 – 10 - Health

Ukraine Program Themes*:

ACCOUNTABLE GOVERNANCE	EDUCATION	NGO DEVELOPMENT	RULE OF LAW
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Decentralization and transparency - Working effectively with non-governmental organizations - Economic Development 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Transparent and standardized testing - Credentialing, teacher training - School performance monitoring 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Administrative, advocacy and fund raising skill development - Strategies for providing leadership and service 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Judicial independence - The adversarial process - Equal protection - Equal access
Tentative Dates in U.S. City: (State Legislature focus) Mar 11 – 19 Accountable Governance Apr 15 – 23; Sept 16 – 24	Tentative Dates in U.S. City: Oct 14 - 22	Tentative Dates in U.S. City: Apr 15 – 23; Sept 16 – 24	Tentative Dates in U.S. City: Civic Rule of Law Sept 16 - 24

*The Open World Leadership Center in 2011 will focus on ensuring that ALL Russian and Ukrainian delegations receive significant exposure to the role and procedures of U.S. legislative bodies. Host organizations are asked to arrange meetings with Members of Congress, state legislators, city council members, and other local lawmakers and their staff members so that program participants can review functions such as lawmaking, legislative oversight, and constituent relations. Programs should show the effect of legislation on all themes— environment, health, rule of law, social services, and education policy.