DRAFT PROGRAMME
UWI STUDY TOUR
MSC INTERNATIONAL TRADE POLICY (MITP)
23 MAY 2013 - 2.30pm - 4.30pm
ROOM E-9055, PALAIS DE NATIONS

1. INTRODUCTION

2. OVERVIEW OF WTO NEGOTIATIONS AND CARICOM’S EXPERIENCE (TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO)
Students will be provided with a brief summary of CARICOM’s:
- Presence in Geneva including capital representation
- Chairmanships
- Coordination efforts
- Operational challenges
- Experience in the DOHA negotiations

3. OECS PERSPECTIVE (OECS)
Students will be provided with additional insight by the Chargé d'Affaires, Mr. Ricardo James, on the OECS’s perspective on the negotiations, their areas of interest, challenges and outlook

4. SMALL VULNERABLE ECONOMIES (BARBADOS)
Ambassador Marion Williams will provide insight into the SVE negotiations; issues; challenges and programme of work on the Doha Development Agenda (DDA)

5. LDCs (HAITI)
Students will hear from Mission Counsellor, Ms. Marie-Hélène Calvin, on the LDC issues, challenges and programme of work in the context of the DDA

6. ACP CORDINATION (JAMAICA)
Deputy Permanent Representative Mr. Esmond Reid will complement the discussions on the DDA and refer to Jamaica’s role as ACP coordinator in that context.

7. PERSPECTIVE OF PAST MITP STUDENT
(Mr. Neville Alexander)

8. PERSPECTIVE OF A PHD STUDENT
(Mr. Courtney Lindsay)

9. QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS