

The World Affairs Council of the Desert

Presents

The 17th Annual

Academic WorldQuest

March 3, 2022
4:00 p.m.

-Virtual Competition-



FEATURING...

21st Century Money: Dollars to
Digital Currencies

Current Events

Great Decisions

Human-Centered Agenda to the
Future of Work

Insecurity in China's Neighborhood

Technology & Democracy:
Threat or Promise?

Where Climate & Migration Meet

Working for Peace Through
Legacies of War: The Case of
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