

U.S. FOREIGN POLICY COLLOQUIUM

WASHINGTON, D.C.
MAY 28 - 31, 2019



AGENDA

Unless otherwise noted, all sessions will be held in the George Washington University's Elliott School of International Affairs, 1957 E Street, N.W., Auditorium B17 or the 6th floor Lindner Family Commons.

TUESDAY, MAY 28

3:00-5:00 P.M.

HOTEL CHECK-IN & COLLOQUIUM REGISTRATION FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS
State Plaza Hotel, 2117 E Street N.W.

6:00-8:30

OPENING NIGHT PROGRAM

Icebreaker

Introductions & Program Overview

Ms. Jessica Bissett, Director, Leadership Programs; Ms. Madeline Bauer, Schwarzman Scholars Fellow; Ms. Hope Marshall, Program Assistant

Dinner

Meet Core Group Members

National Committee History: 50 Years of U.S.-China Relations

Ms. Jan Berris, Vice President, NCUSCR

WEDNESDAY, MAY 29

8:00-8:40 A.M.

BREAKFAST

8:45-10:15

THE FUNDAMENTALS OF U.S. FOREIGN POLICY

10:30-12:15 P.M.

THE ROLE OF LOBBYING: PANEL DISCUSSION ON INTEREST GROUPS

Politics

NGOs

Business

12:00-1:00

LUNCH

1:10-2:10

CORE GROUP BREAKOUT SESSION I

2:10-2:45

UPDATE ON LOGISTICS AND ASSEMBLE FOR OFF-SITE BRIEFING DEPARTURES

3:30-5:00

OFF-SITE BRIEFINGS

Participants break out into small groups of 8-10 for site visits. Past site visits include:

- **The Boeing Company**
- **Covington and Burling LLP**
- **Human Rights Watch**
- **National Security Council**
- **RAND**
- **U.S. Chamber of Commerce**
- **U.S. Department of State – Office of Chinese and Mongolian Affairs**
- **U.S. Department of State – Office of Peace Operations, Sanctions and Counterterrorism**

FREE EVENING

THURSDAY, MAY 30

- 8:00-8:50 A.M. **BREAKFAST**
- 9:00-10:00 **QUESTIONS OF LIBERTY AND SECURITY**
- 10:15-11:15 **THE ROLE OF THE MEDIA IN U.S. FOREIGN POLICY:
UNBIASED REPORTER OR SHAPER OF EVENTS?**
- 11:30-12:30 P.M. **CORE GROUPS BREAKOUT SESSION II**
- 12:30-1:20 **LUNCH**
- 1:30-2:45 **THE ROLE OF CONGRESS**
- 3:00-4:15 **THE ROLE OF EMERGING TECHNOLOGY**
- BREAK**
- 6:30-9:30 **KEYNOTE PROGRAM**
1957 E Street N.W., Harry Harding Auditorium, 2nd Floor
- WELCOME**
Mr. Stephen A. Orlins, President, National Committee on U.S-China Relations
Ambassador Carla A. Hills, Chair and CEO, Hills & Company, International
Consultants; Chair, National Committee on U.S.-China Relations
Ambassador Reuben E. Brigety II, Dean, Elliott School of International Affairs,
The George Washington University
Minister Counselor Zhou Jingxing, Chief, Political Section, Embassy of the People's
Republic of China
Mr. Yancy Molnar, Senior Vice President, International Government Affairs, Chubb Group
- KEYNOTE ADDRESS**
- RECEPTION**

FRIDAY, MAY 31

- 8:00-8:50 A.M. *All sessions and meals will be held in the City View Room, 7th Floor*
BREAKFAST AND UPDATE ON LOGISTICS
- 9:00-10:30 **INTERVIEW WITH AN ADMINISTRATION OFFICIAL**
- 10:30-12:00 **HOT TOPICS IN U.S. FOREIGN POLICY: PANEL DISCUSSION**
 Security Issues
 Economic, Financial & Trade Issues:
 Global Issues
- 12:00-12:45 P.M. **LUNCH**
- 12:45-1:30 **CORE GROUPS BREAKOUT SESSION III**
- 1:30-3:00 **TRIVIA COMPETITION BETWEEN CORE GROUPS**
- 3:00-3:15 **BREAK**

3:15-4:15 **U.S.-CHINA RELATIONS: A VISION FOR THE FUTURE**
Mr. Stephen A. Orlins, President, NCUSCR

4:15-5:00 **CLOSING REMARKS AND PROGRAM EVALUATION**

6:15 **DEPART FOR CHINESE EMBASSY**
Buses will pick up from the State Plaza Hotel

7:00-9:00 **RECEPTION AND DISCUSSION AT CHINESE EMBASSY**
3505 International Place, N.W.

SATURDAY, JUNE 1
By 12:00 P.M.

CHECK OUT OF HOTEL
You can leave luggage at the front desk if you have a later travel time

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