A Public Policy Conference
The U.S. and the Middle East: The Future of the Relationship

An esteemed group of policy makers and specialists who have their fingers on the pulse of the economic, political, and security relationship between U.S. and the Middle East will explore the future in light of a vastly revised international landscape. A significant outcome will be a set of recommendations on how to ensure a harmonious future.

Keynote speakers include:

CHASE UNTERMeyer - International Business Consultant and former U.S. Ambassador to Qatar
ALAN G. MISENHEIMER - director, Office of Near East and South Asia Affairs, Bureau of Intelligence and Research, U.S. State Department
NADER HASHemi - Director, Center for Middle East Studies, University of Denver
THOMAS W. LIPPMAN - Scholar, Middle East Institute
ROBY BARRETT - President, Stratplan International and Fellow, Joint Special Operations University
MARVIN WEINBAUM - Scholar-in-Residence, Middle East Institute
MICHAEL RYAN - Senior Fellow, The Jamestown Foundation
AUGUSTUS RICHARD NORTON - Director of the Institute for Iraqi Studies, Boston University
HISHAM FOAD - Director, Center for Islamic and Arabic Studies, San Diego State University
RIZA DEMIRER - Associate Professor, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
ALAA ISSA - Consul General of Egypt
BEN-DROR YEMINI - opinion page editor for Maariv

Consular Corps Roundtable

The Consul Generals from Egypt and Israel will discuss the opportunities and challenges confronting the U.S. and Middle East at a luncheon roundtable.

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Event is free to the public, with the exception of the luncheon roundtable.