



Annual Report – 2006 and 2007



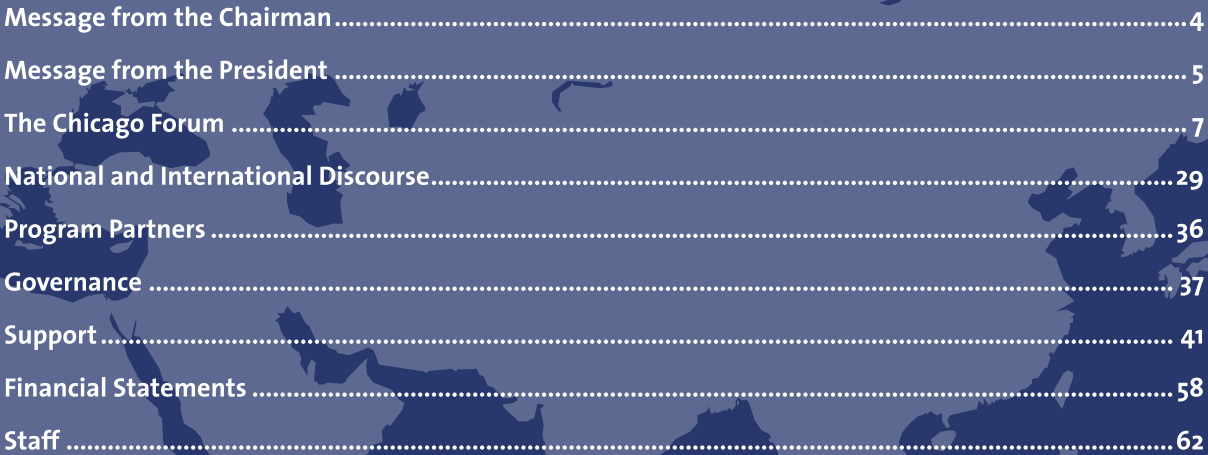
THE CHICAGO COUNCIL
ON GLOBAL AFFAIRS



The Chicago Council on Global Affairs, founded in 1922 as The Chicago Council on Foreign Relations, is a leading independent, nonpartisan organization committed to influencing the discourse on global issues through contributions to opinion and policy formation, leadership dialogue, and public learning.

The Chicago Council brings the world to Chicago by hosting public programs and private events featuring world leaders and experts with diverse views on a wide range of global topics. Through task forces, conferences, studies, and leadership dialogue, the Council brings Chicago's ideas and opinions to the world.

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Message from the Chairman



Lester Crown

The world has undergone tremendous change since The Chicago Council was founded in 1922, when nation-states dominated the international stage. Balance of power, national security, statecraft, and diplomacy were foremost on the agenda.

Today, our world is shaped increasingly by forces far beyond national capitals. Multinational corporations, nongovernmental organizations, and great cities play ever greater roles. Any organization concerned with the world must now address issues such as terrorism, the global economy, migration, public health, the environment, and global governance, that are, to a great degree, beyond the direct control of nations and world leaders alone.

Chicago also has changed significantly over the past eighty-five years. In 1922, Chicago was a great industrial city, serving an emerging continental economy between two oceans. The Chicago Council's founders had the wisdom to understand that even then Chicago had a stake in the world's affairs.

Today Chicago is a rapidly globalizing city – a leading international transportation hub, a global service provider, a destination for migrants and visitors from the world over, and a home to world-class educational and cultural institutions.

In light of these changes, The Chicago Council's Board of Directors concluded that if the Council is to fulfill its mission in the global era, it must first broaden its agenda beyond the traditional concerns of foreign policy. We also recognized that the Council can best serve Chicago not only by providing a forum in our city but also by helping Chicago and the Midwest to contribute to the national and international discourse on the critical issues of our time.

On September 1, 2006, The Chicago Council on Foreign Relations became The Chicago Council on Global Affairs. The new name respects the Council's heritage – a commitment to nonpartisanship and public education – while it signals an understanding of the changing world and reflects the Council's increased efforts to contribute to national and international discussions in a global era.

Changes at The Chicago Council are evident on many fronts – more and new programs, larger and more diverse audiences, a step-up in the pace of task force reports and conferences, heightened visibility, increased revenues, improved governance, and expanded staff. What has not changed is The Chicago Council's commitment to public education and nonpartisanship.

Chicago has prospered as the gateway and capital of the Midwest. But in the future its region will be the world. The selection of Chicago as the U.S. bid city for the 2016 Olympics further signals its coming of age as a global player. Chicago's future as a first-tier global city depends on its becoming even more connected to the rest of the world.

This is an important time in the history of The Chicago Council. As the region's premier nonprofit international affairs organization, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs is the ideal institution to help connect our great city to the world.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Lester Crown". The signature is stylized and fluid.

Lester Crown
Chairman

Message from the President



Marshall M. Bouton

This report covers two significant years in The Chicago Council's long and distinguished history. Fiscal years 2006 and 2007 marked the initial phase in a substantial transformation of the Council, as we began to implement key goals of the strategic plan adopted by the Board

of Directors in June 2005. In these two years, we have brought the plan to life.


It has been more than a year since we announced the new name, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs on September 1, 2006. I am pleased to report that reactions to the new name and expanded mission have been very positive. Whether in Chicago, Washington, London, or Shanghai, virtually everyone has expressed support.

The name change signals broader changes in the organization. One important commitment conveyed by our new name is an effort to expand the range and relevance of programs offered in Chicago. While we continue to organize public programs on current foreign policy issues, as our new name suggests, we now also cover a wider range of global topics. For instance, in spring 2007, the Chicago and the World Forum, the Council's most prominent public program series, focused on the economic, environmental, and geopolitical aspects of global energy. Through a newly established fellowship, we brought to Chicago an emerging leader who is educating children living in the slums of India. And we held more programs on areas of rising world influence, including Asia, Africa, and Latin America. We have increased our outreach to young professionals, with programs on provocative topics in formats attractive to this audience, and to the city's major immigrant

communities, with programs tailored to their interests. And we have deepened our understanding of Chicago's challenges and opportunities as a global city and provided input and recommendations on key issues, including the integration of the Mexican community and ways the city can enhance its competitiveness in the years ahead.

Our new name also conveys our commitment to expanding The Chicago Council's contributions to the national and international discourse. Long known for our studies of American public opinion on foreign policy matters, our goal is to become a more influential source of ideas and information in the shaping of opinions and policy on issues of importance to Chicago, the Midwest, and the country. In the arena of public opinion, the Council published a path-breaking study in 2006 of how publics in the United States, China, and India view each other and a range of international issues. We built on this effort in 2007 and worked with partners to survey publics in twenty other countries on many of the same questions. The Chicago Council's public opinion work also was the topic of a landmark volume by Benjamin R. Page, *The Foreign Policy Disconnect: What Americans Want from Our Leaders but Don't Get*, which in 2007 was chosen as the best book on U.S. national policy by the American Political Science Association.

In the past two years, we expanded our task force examinations of critical issues, including the modernization of U.S. farm policy, the economic rise of China and India, and the civic and political engagement of American Muslims. We also convened leadership dialogue through conferences and symposia on democratization, the aviation industry, genocide and the responsibility to protect, and migration in the Atlantic region. Our outreach on these and other topics extended to eight other cities in North America and thirty other countries and cities around the world.



While there have been many changes over the past two years, the core themes of The Chicago Council's mission remain. We are committed to public education. The proposition that an engaged, informed citizenry is vital to successful and sustainable American policies in the world remains central to our purpose. We are committed to nonpartisanship and to presenting diverse perspectives on a wide range of issues. While we will now be more active in contributing ideas and insights to the debate, The Chicago Council itself will not take positions on any issues. And we are committed to Chicago. Chicago is our home, our history, and our future. The Council draws vital intellectual and organizational sustenance from its Chicago audiences.

Chicago has much to add to the thinking about the world and America's role in it, and The Chicago Council on Global Affairs is ideally suited to lead this effort by virtue of its distinguished history, current capabilities, and support from Chicago's leaders.

Our efforts to expand our mission and reach new audiences would not be possible without the active engagement and extraordinary generosity of the Council's Board of Directors, under the leadership of our Chairman Lester Crown. Over the past two years, in addition to its other support, the Board has contributed or pledged more than \$5 million to the 21st Century Fund, which was established to transform The Chicago Council into one of the United States' foremost contributors to opinion and policy on global affairs. The fund enables the Council to develop new programs and reach new audiences while ensuring that it remains financially stable with an expanded base of long-term support.

We are deeply grateful also for the outstanding participation of Chicago's vibrant corporate community, for deep relationships with foundations throughout the country, to members of the Chairman's Circle and the President's Circle who actively support the Council as investors and advisors, and the thousands of individual members who attend our programs each year. Thanks to their support, the Council is in a position to engage Chicagoans in diverse programs and to bring fresh ideas and insights from Chicago to the world.

I extend my great personal appreciation to Chicago's leaders and the Council's many friends for sharing in the vision of a newly relevant future for this organization, most especially to our chairman, Lester Crown, whose wise leadership has made this vision possible.



Marshall M. Bouton
President

The Chicago Forum



Since its inception, The Chicago Council has provided a nonpartisan forum in Chicago for the public discussion of world affairs. The Council brings diverse public audiences together and offers unique experiences for Chicago's civic and philanthropic leaders, and its top corporations. In addition to a historic focus on Europe, over the past several years The Chicago Council has turned its attention to Asia, the Middle East, Latin America, and Africa. While the Council continues to address traditional foreign policy topics, it also now covers critical global issues such as migration, global governance, and energy.

President of the
Czech Republic,
His Excellency
Vaclav Klaus

World Leaders

As the premier platform in Chicago and the Midwest for keynote addresses by heads of state, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs offers members and the public opportunities to see, hear, and question the world's most powerful decision makers. Over the past two years, the Council has welcomed many of the most influential policymakers and world leaders to the Chicago forum.



U.S. secretary of state,
The Honorable Condoleezza
Rice, with Chicago
Council vice chairman
John F. Manley

July 21, 2005
Energy Security in the 21st Century
**The Honorable Samuel
Wright Bodman**, secretary of energy,
U.S. Department of Energy

September 28, 2005
Private Roundtable Breakfast
His Excellency Kamal Nath,
minister of commerce and industry,
Government of India

November 9, 2005
*The Economy, Trade, and
American Competitiveness:
America in the Worldwide Economy*
**The Honorable Carlos M.
Gutierrez**, secretary of commerce,
U.S. Department of Commerce

January 20, 2006
*Europe's Strategy for a
Globalized Economy*
His Excellency Guy Verhofstadt,
prime minister, Kingdom of Belgium

February 16, 2006
*After the G8 Summit:
An Outlook on the Global Economy*
The Honorable John W. Snow,
secretary of treasury,
U.S. Department of Treasury

April 19, 2006
Luncheon
The Honorable Condoleezza Rice,
secretary of state,
U.S. Department of State

April 27, 2006
*The Czech's Role in an
Artificially Unified Europe*
His Excellency Vaclav Klaus,
president, Czech Republic

May 8, 2006
*An Outlook on American Agriculture in
the Global Trading System*
The Honorable Mike Johanns,
secretary of agriculture,
U.S. Department of Agriculture

May 9, 2006
Program and Dinner
**Her Excellency
Ellen Johnson Sirleaf**,
president, Republic of Liberia

May 17, 2006
Dinner
The Honorable John Howard,
prime minister, Australia

March 14, 2007
*Vietnam's Reforms and the
Emerging U.S. Economic Partnership*
His Excellency Pham Gia Kham,
deputy prime minister and
minister of foreign affairs,
Socialist Republic of Vietnam

March 22, 2007
*The Role of Trade in
Addressing the Challenges and
Opportunities of Globalization*
The Right Honorable Helen Clark,
prime minister, New Zealand

May 31, 2007
Luncheon
His Excellency Bo Xilai,
minister of commerce,
People's Republic of China

Chicago and the World

The Chicago and the World Forum, the Council's most prominent public lecture series, features leading national and international experts presenting a variety of perspectives on pressing global issues. The forum is generously cosponsored each year by the McCormick Tribune Foundation. Topics covered in program years 2006 and 2007 included democratization, the rise of China and India, Russia's role in the world, and global energy.

FALL 2005 DEMOCRATIZATION: CAN IT MAKE THE WORLD SAFE?

September 19, 2005
Democracy: The Lithuanian Experience
His Excellency Valdas Adamkus,
president, Republic of Lithuania

October 11, 2005
*Democracy as Policy Goals and
Universal Values*
Carl Gershman, president,
National Endowment for Democracy

November 1, 2005
*Democracy as a Tool of
U.S. Foreign Policy*
Dr. Larry Diamond, senior fellow,
Hoover Institution, Stanford University

November 21, 2005
*Promoting Democracy Globally:
The Orange Revolution in Ukraine*
Dr. Paula J. Dobriansky, under
secretary of state for democracy and
global affairs, U.S. State Department

December 13, 2005
Can Democracy Defeat Terrorism?
Joseph S. Nye, University Distinguished
Service Professor and Sultan
of Oman Professor of International
Relations, John F. Kennedy School of
Government, Harvard University

SPRING 2006 THE NEXT SUPERPOWERS? CHINA AND INDIA RISING

May 3, 2006
*The Rise of China and India:
What's at Stake for the United States?*
Jim Hoge, editor and Peter G.
Peterson Chair, *Foreign Affairs*

May 23, 2006
*India and the United States:
New Partnership in a Changing Asia*
Ambassador Thomas Pickering,
senior vice president for international
relations, The Boeing Company

June 6, 2006
*The Coming Economic Clash between
China and the United States*
C. Fred Bergsten, director,
Institute for International Economics

June 13, 2006
*China and India:
The Asian Security Equation*
John Hamre, president,
The Center for Strategic and
International Studies

June 28, 2006
*China and India Rising:
Implications for the Global Order
and U.S. Leadership*
Lt. General Brent Scowcroft,
USAF (Ret.), president and founder,
The Scowcroft Group

FALL 2006 WHITHER RUSSIA?

September 20, 2006
Living with Putin's Russia
Ambassador Jack Matlock,
former U.S. ambassador to the
Soviet Union



October 24, 2006
*U.S. Nonstrategy Towards Russia:
How Can It Be Improved?*
Dimitri K. Simes, president,
The Nixon Center

November 6, 2006
*Democratic Erosion in Russia:
Causes and Consequences*
Michael A. McFaul, director,
Center on Democracy, Development,
and the Rule of Law,
Stanford University

November 29, 2006
*The Surprising Strength of
Civil Society in Russia*
Jonathan F. Fanton, president,
The John D. and Catherine T.
MacArthur Foundation

SPRING 2007 THE GLOBAL ENERGY FUTURE: ECONOMICS, CLIMATE, AND SECURITY

March 15, 2007
*Energy, Security, and the
Long War of the 21st Century*
R. James Woolsey,
vice president, Booz Allen Hamilton, Inc.

May 22, 2007
*The Challenge of the Future:
Can We Find a Path to Both
Climate and Energy Stability?*
Peter Goldmark,
director, Climate and Air Program,
Environmental Defense

June 6, 2007
*Kilowatts, Carbon, and Competition:
The Challenges of Global
Markets and Climate*
John Rowe, chairman, president,
and chief executive officer,
Exelon Corporation

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executive officer of
Exelon Corporation

Global Affairs

The Council's new name, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs, reflects an expansion of its public education focus to include global issues that go beyond traditional foreign policy topics. During the 2006 and 2007 program years, the Council covered issues of global governance, including terrorism, nuclear proliferation, and the roles of the United Nations and the International Criminal Court. Programs examined U.S. leadership in the international arena and the U.S. role in the world. The Middle East also was a top priority region, particularly as the Iraq war has continued and tensions have increased in the surrounding areas.

September 12, 2005

Deliberating Justice and Accountability: International Tribunals and the International Criminal Court

M. Cherif Bassiouni, distinguished research professor of law and president, International Human Rights Law Institute, DePaul University; **Bartram Brown**, professor of law, Chicago-Kent College of Law; **Alain Destexhe**, convener, Parliamentarians

October 6, 2005

Tunisia and Islam

Dr. Khedija Arfaoui, Fulbright visiting specialist, Direct Access to the Muslim World Program, Lake Forest College
Cosponsored with the College of DuPage, ISPI, and Lake Forest College

November 8, 2005

Gus Hart Lecture

Ambassador Heraldo Muñoz, permanent representative of Chile to the United Nations

November 14, 2005

Examining the Philanthropic Landscape in China

Grantmakers Without Borders
Cosponsored with The Global Donors Network

January 17, 2006

The Future of the China-U.S. Relationship

His Excellency Zhou Wenzhong, ambassador of the People's Republic of China to the United States

January 18, 2006

How Ronald Reagan Changed America and the World

Richard Reeves, author and syndicated columnist

January 24, 2006

My Year in Iraq

Ambassador L. Paul Bremer, III, former ambassador and administrator of the Coalition Provisional Authority in Iraq

January 30, 2006

After Sharon: The Future of Israel and the Middle East

M. Cherif Bassiouni, distinguished research professor of law and president, International Human Rights Institute, DePaul University; **Barukh Binah**, consul general, Consulate General of Israel to the Midwest; **Christine Spolar**, Middle East correspondent, *Chicago Tribune*

January 31, 2006

American Vertigo: Traveling America in the Footsteps of Tocqueville

Bernard-Henri Lévy, French writer, philosopher, journalist, and activist

February 15, 2006

Reinvigorating the U.S. Role in East Asia

Ambassador J. Stapleton Roy, former U.S. ambassador to China

February 27, 2006

How Do Other Nations View the United States in 2006?

Yasemin Congar, columnist and Washington Bureau chief, *Milliyet* (Turkey); **Caroline Daniel**, White House correspondent, *Financial Times*; **Khaled Dawoud**, correspondent, *Al-Ahram*, (Egypt); moderated by **Timothy McNulty**, associate managing editor of foreign news, *Chicago Tribune*
Cosponsored with the College of DuPage and the International Strategy and Policy Institute

November 14, 2005

The Rise of India

Dr. Sunil Khilani, professor and director of the South Asia studies program, School of Advanced International Studies, The Johns Hopkins University
Cosponsored with the College of DuPage

November 15, 2005

Israel: The Threats from Without and Within

David Horowitz, editor, *Jerusalem Post*

November 17, 2005

Turkey: A Pivotal Partner

His Excellency Osman Faruk Logoglu, ambassador of the Republic of Turkey to the United States

November 22, 2005

Moving Forward on Iraq

The Honorable Barack Obama, U.S. senator for Illinois

November 28, 2005

European Union-U.S. Relations

His Excellency David Manning, ambassador of the United Kingdom to the United States; **His Excellency John Bruton**, ambassador of the European Union to the United States

December 5, 2005

Thieves of Baghdad: The Recovery of Iraq's Most Precious Treasures

Thomas Bogdanos, author

December 12, 2005

The Rise of China

Guy S. Alitto, professor, The University of Chicago
Cosponsored with the College of DuPage and The University of Chicago

October 25, 2005

America's Opportunity to Alter History's Course

Richard Haass, president, Council on Foreign Relations

October 27, 2005

Illicit: How Smugglers, Traffickers, and Copycats are Hijacking the Global Economy

Moises Naim, editor, *Foreign Policy*

November 3, 2005

Germany and the EU's Emerging Foreign Policy

Sascha Muller-Kraenner, director for Europe and North America, Heinrich Boell Foundation

November 7, 2005

Torture: Does It Make Us Safer? Is it Ever OK?

Human Rights Watch

for Global Action; **Mike Gapes**, member of British parliament; moderated by **Shazia Z. Rafi**, secretary general, Parliamentarians for Global Action

September 19, 2005

Iraq's People in the Shadow of America's War
Anthony Shadid, Pulitzer Prize-winning *Washington Post* correspondent

September 21, 2005

Occupation and Resistance: From Afghanistan to Iraq
Nelofer Pazira, journalist and filmmaker

September 26, 2005

The Future of Suicide Terrorism
Mia Bloom, author and assistant professor of political science, University of Cincinnati

Audience members ask questions following the presentation of The Chicago Council's Task Force report, "A Shared Future: The Economic Engagement of Greater Chicago and Its Mexican American Community."



March 13, 2006
The Decline of the United States' Continental Leadership: Patterns of Resistance and Dependence among Latin American States
Frank Safford, professor of Latin American history, Northwestern University

March 23, 2006
Taming American Power
Stephen M. Walt, professor of international affairs, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University

March 30, 2006
A Conversation with Michael Gordon
Michael Gordon, chief military correspondent, *New York Times*; moderated by **BG David L. Grange, USA (Ret.)**, president and chief executive officer, McCormick Tribune Foundation

April 6, 2006
Africa Between Hope and Uncertainties
Mr. Olara Otunnu, former special representative of the UN Secretary General for Children and Armed Conflict

April 10, 2006
More Than Humanitarianism: A Strategic U.S. Approach Toward Africa
Princeton Lyman, senior fellow and director, Africa Policy Studies, Council on Foreign Relations; **J. Stephen Morrison**, director, Africa Program and the Task Force on HIV/AIDS, Center for Strategic and International Studies; moderated by **Richard Joseph**, professor and director, Program of Africa Studies, Northwestern University

April 18, 2006
Immigration Reform: A Nation at the Crossroads
The Honorable Jim Edgar, distinguished fellow, The Institute of Government and Public Affairs, University of Illinois; **Maricela Garcia**, chairwoman of the board, Immigration Committee of Latinos United; **Brian Perryman**, former district director, Immigration & Naturalization Service Office, U.S. Department of Justice

April 20, 2006
Navigating the Shoals of Oil and Power in Nigerian Politics
Wole Soyinka, Nigerian author and Nobel Prize-winner

April 24, 2006
After the Israeli Elections
Dr. Shai Feldman, director, Crown Center for Middle East Studies, and professor of politics, Brandeis University; **Cherif Bassiouni**, distinguished research professor of law and president, International Rights Law Institute, DePaul University; moderated by **Jerome McDonnell**, host, *Worldview*, Chicago Public Radio

April 24, 2006
The Long Struggle: The Arab World and the Christian West
Milton Viorst, Middle East expert, journalist, and author

May 4, 2006
Thicker Than Oil: America's Uneasy Partnership with Saudi Arabia
Rachel Bronson, director, Middle East Studies, Council on Foreign Relations

May 8, 2006
Iran Awakening: Human Rights, Islam, and the West
Dr. Shirin Ebadi, Iranian lawyer and Nobel Prize-winner

May 9, 2006
Avian Influenza: Pandemic or Flight of Fancy?
Daniel O. Hryhorczuk, director, Great Lakes Center for Occupational and Environmental Safety and Health, University of Illinois at Chicago; **Colonel Jill Morgenthaler**, deputy chief of staff for public safety, and homeland security advisor, Illinois Department of Public Safety; **Colleen M. O'Keefe**, division manager, food safety and animal protection, Illinois Department of Agriculture; **Dominic A. Travis**, director, Davee Center for Epidemiology and Endocrinology, Lincoln Park Zoo

May 16, 2006
The Mighty and the Almighty
Madeleine K. Albright, former secretary of state, U.S. Department of State

May 30, 2006
Iran's Nuclear Ambitions
Dr. Gary S. Samore, vice president, Program on Global Security and Sustainability, The John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation

June 5, 2006
Iraq: Mission Continued
BG Mark T. Kimmit, deputy director, Strategy and Plans, U.S. Central Command; **Lawrence J. Korb**, senior fellow, Center for American Progress, and senior advisor, Center for Defense Information; **John J. Mearsheimer**, professor of political science and codirector, Program on International Security Policy, The University of Chicago

June 19, 2006
Mexico-U.S. Relations, Immigration, and Other Key Issues
His Excellency Carlos de Icaza, ambassador of Mexico to the United States

September 18, 2006
Report Release – A Shared Future: The Economic Engagement of Greater Chicago and Its Mexican American Community
Task Force cochairs **Doug Doetsch**, partner, Mayer Brown LLP; **Clare Muñana**, president, Ancora Associates, Inc.; **Alejandro Silva**, chairman, Evans Food Group; Task Force members **Allert Brown-Gort**, associate director, Institute for Latino Studies, University of Notre Dame; **Sylvia Puente**, director, Metropolitan Chicago Initiative, Institute for Latino Studies, University of Notre Dame

September 21, 2006
Is Iraq Another Vietnam?
Robert Brigham, author and professor, Vassar College



June 20, 2006
Seminar
Ambassador Kenneth Brill, director, National Counter-Proliferation Center, Office of the Director of National Intelligence

June 29, 2006
The Challenges of Nonproliferation in Today's Nuclear World
Ambassador Linton F. Brooks, under secretary for energy and nuclear security, and administrator, U.S. National Nuclear Security Administration

September 25, 2006
Faith and Politics: How the 'Moral Values' Debate Divides America and How to Move Forward Together
Senator John C. Danforth, former U.S. senator for Missouri

September 25, 2006
Policy Issues Concerning Asian and Pacific Immigrants
Dr. Sunil Chand, president, College of DuPage West Suburban Program at the College of DuPage

September 28, 2006
Making Globalization Work
Joseph Stiglitz, Nobel Prize-winner, author, and professor, Columbia University

Nobel Prize-winning economist, Joseph Stiglitz, signs copies of his book, *Making Globalization Work*, following a public program.

September 29, 2006

Report Release – Modernizing America's Food and Farm Policy: Vision for a New Direction

Task Force cochairs **Catherine Bertini**, former executive director, UN World Food Program; **August Schumacher Jr.**, former undersecretary of agriculture for farm and foreign agriculture services, U.S. Department of Agriculture; **Robert L. Thompson**, Gardner Chair in Agriculture Policy, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Cosponsored with the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago

October 3, 2006

Report Release – Engaging China and India: An Economic Agenda for Study Group and the United States
Study Group cochairs **Kenneth Dam**, Max Pam Professor Emeritus of

October 12, 2006

The United States and the Rise of China and India: A Report on the Findings of The Chicago Council's 2006 Public Opinion Study
Marshall M. Bouton, president, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs; **Benjamin I. Page**, Gordon Scott Fulcher Professor of Decision Making, Department of Political Science, Northwestern University; **Steven Kull**, director, Program on International Policy Attitudes; **Dali Yang**, professor and chairman, Department of Political Science, The University of Chicago

October 16, 2006

Mecca and Main Street: Muslim Life in America After 9/11
Geneive Abdo, author
West Suburban Program at the College of DuPage

October 17, 2006

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Geneive Abdo, author

October 18, 2006

The Punishment of Virtue: Inside Afghanistan After the Taliban
Sarah Chayes, author

October 19, 2006

Nuclear North Korea: What Comes Next for Asia and the United States?
Meredith Jung-En Woo, professor of political science, University of Michigan; **Amy Gordon**, director, International Peace and Security, The John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation; **Walter L. Keats**, president, Asia Pacific Travel

October 20, 2006

The Middle East After a Summer of Conflict: An Assessment
His Excellency Yoram Ben-Zeev, deputy director general for North America, Israel Ministry of Foreign Affairs

October 25, 2006

How Congress is Failing America and How to Get It Back on Track
Authors **Norman J. Ornstein** and **Thomas E. Mann**

October 31, 2006

Gus Hart Lecture – The Challenges of Democracy in Latin America
His Excellency José Miguel Insulza, secretary general, Organization of American States

November 1, 2006

Ethical Realism: A Vision for America's Role in the World
Authors **Anatol Lieven** and **John Hulsman**

November 6, 2006

America at Risk: Broke and Broken Government – Six Big Ideas to Fix It
Harlan Ullman, senior adviser, International Security Program, Center for Strategic and International Studies, and senior fellow, Center for Naval Analyses

November 8, 2006

From Lebanon to Iran: A Middle East Update
Dr. Shai Feldman, director, Crown Center for Middle East Studies, Brandeis University

November 9, 2006

The Iraq War: A True Account by the Soldiers Who Were There
Trish Wood, Canadian journalist; Iraq war veterans **Bobby Muller** and **Garett Reppenhagen**

November 14, 2006

The Paradox and Power of Iran
Ray Takeyh, senior fellow, Council on Foreign Relations

November 20, 2006

The Changing Faces of Our Region: Immigration and Metropolitan Chicago
Kenneth Johnson, professor, Loyola University; **Sylvia Puente**, director, Metropolitan Chicago Initiative of the Institute for Latino Studies, University of Notre Dame; moderated by **Tara Malone**, reporter, *Daily Herald*
West Suburban Program at the College of DuPage

November 20, 2006

Next Steps in Iraq
The Honorable Barack Obama, U.S. senator for Illinois

December 4, 2006

The Changing Kurdish Dynamics in the Middle East
Michael Gunter, professor of political science, Tennessee Tech University
West Suburban Program at the College of DuPage

December 5, 2006

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Michael Gunter, professor of political science, Tennessee Tech University

December 6, 2006

War Made New: Technology, Warfare, and the Course of History, 1500 to Today
Max Boot, senior fellow, Council on Foreign Relations

January 16, 2007

Islamic Sectarianism and the Conflict in the Middle East
Vali Nasr, professor, Naval Postgraduate School, and adjunct senior fellow, Council on Foreign Relations

January 29, 2007

Global Surveillance and Democracy in the Post-9/11 World
Maureen Webb, Canadian human rights lawyer and author
West Suburban Program at the College of DuPage

January 30, 2007

Global Surveillance and Democracy in the Post-9/11 World
Maureen Webb, Canadian human rights lawyer and author

February 8, 2007

The Middle East and the United States: A Long and Complicated Relationship
Michael Oren, author and senior fellow, Shalem Center, Jerusalem

February 12, 2007

America's Century of Regime Change from Hawaii to Iraq
Stephen Kinzer, former *New York Times* correspondent and author
West Suburban Program at the College of DuPage

February 20, 2007

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Stephen Kinzer, former *New York Times* correspondent and author



Senator John Danforth greets Newton and Josephine Minow.

American and Foreign Law and senior lecturer, The University of Chicago Law School, and senior fellow, The Brookings Institution; **Noboru Hatakeyama**, chairman and chief executive officer, Japan Economic Foundation; Study Group members **Akira Kojima**, chairman, Japan Center for Economic Research; **Ambassador Sakutaro Tanino**, director, Toshiba Corporation, and visiting professor, Waseda University

October 5, 2006

The Iron Cage: The Story of the Palestinian Struggle for Statehood
Rashid Khalidi, author, Edward Said Chair in Arab Studies, Columbia University

October 5, 2006

Transatlantic Symposium Spotlights Human Rights Abuses in Darfur and the Democratic Republic of the Congo
Cosponsored with Northwestern University School of Law

February 28, 2007
Islam: Image vs. Reality
Richard Perle, former U.S. assistant secretary of defense, and former chairman, Defense Policy Board, U.S. Department of Defense; **Abdul Bari Atwan**, editor-in-chief, *Al-Quds Al-Arabi*; **Sherman Jackson**, professor of Islamic law, University of Michigan; **Mahmood Mamdani**, Herbert Lehman professor of government, Columbia University; moderated by **Stephen Sheppard**, professor of international and constitutional law, University of Arkansas
Cosponsored with DePaul University's Islamic World Studies Program

March 1, 2007
Global Threats, Local Defense: Maritime Security Strategies for the Great Lakes in the Age of Terrorism
Rear Admiral John Crowley, Jr., commander of the 9th District, U.S. Coast Guard

March 14, 2007
Rebuilding a Resilient Nation
Steven Flynn, senior fellow, Council on Foreign Relations
Cosponsored with the Council on Foreign Relations

March 19, 2007
From Tehran to Beirut and Gaza
His Excellency Sallai Meridor, ambassador of Israel to the United States

March 26, 2007
Palestinian Politics: Perspectives and Prospects for Peace
His Excellency Afif Safieh, representative of the Palestine Liberation Organization to the United States

April 4, 2007
Second Chance: Three Presidents and the Crisis of American Superpower
Zbigniew Brzezinski, former national security advisor, author, and scholar, Center for Strategic and International Studies

April 11, 2007
Local Conflicts as a Global Challenge
George Rupp, president, International Rescue Committee

April 23, 2007
The American Moment
The Honorable Barack Obama, U.S. senator for Illinois

April 23, 2007
Unintended Consequences: Perspectives on U.S. Relations with Lebanon and Syria
Andrew Tabler, journalist and fellow, Institute of Current World Affairs
West Suburban Program at the College of DuPage

May 4, 2006
France and the United States: Perspectives on the Past and Prospects for the Future
His Excellency Jean-David Levitte, ambassador of France to the United States

May 7, 2007
The Last Forest
Authors **Mark London** and **Brian Kelly**
West Suburban Program at the College of DuPage

May 8, 2007
The Last Forest
Authors **Mark London** and **Brian Kelly**

May 9, 2007
Confronting Terrorism: Can Diplomacy Work?
Ambassador Wendy Chamberlin, president, Middle East Institute; **Ambassador Thomas D. Boyatt**, president, U.S. Defense Systems; moderated by **Anthony C.E. Quainton**, distinguished diplomat in residence, American University
Cosponsored with the American Academy of Diplomacy

May 15, 2007
Islam and Politics in Africa: Perspectives from Nigeria, Senegal, and Morocco
Souleymane Bachir Diagne, professor of philosophy, Northwestern University; **Muhammad Sani Umar**, director-designate, Institute for the Study of Islamic Thought in Africa, Northwestern University; **Fatima Harrak**, Institute des Etudes Africaines, Morocco; moderated by **Richard Joseph**, professor, Northwestern University

May 16, 2007
Presidential Courage: Brave Leaders and How They Changed America, 1789 – 1989
Michael Beschloss, author and presidential historian

May 23, 2007
Lessons Learned: From the Cuban Missile Crisis to Iraq
Theodore C. Sorensen, former special counsel and advisor to President John F. Kennedy

May 30, 2007
Shared Border, Different Worldviews: Comparing Mexican and American Public Opinion
Christopher Whitney, executive director for studies, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs; **Susan Minushkin**, project director, Mexico and the World 2006; **Rachel Bronson**, vice president for programs and studies, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs; **Manuel Rodriguez Arriaga**, Consul General of Mexico in Chicago; **Antonio Rosas-Landa**, editor, *HOY-Chicago Tribune*



June 4, 2007
Patricia Blunt Koldyke Lecture – From Aspiration to Achievement: Educating India's Children
Shaheen Mistri, founder, Akanksha Foundation, and 2007 Patricia Blunt Koldyke Fellow

June 11, 2007
Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness...Unless You're Illegal?
Susan Gzesh, director, Human Rights Program, The University of Chicago; **Jim Oberweis**, former U.S. senate candidate; moderated by **Ric Estrada**, executive director, Erie Neighborhood House
Cosponsored with the McCormick Tribune Freedom Museum

June 12, 2007
The Idea That is America: Keeping Faith with our Values in a Dangerous World
Anne-Marie Slaughter, dean, Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs, Princeton University

June 14, 2007
Statecraft: And How to Restore America's Standing in the World
Ambassador Dennis Ross, author and Ziegler Distinguished Fellow, Washington Institute for Near East Policy

June 19, 2007
Iran: A Town Hall Meeting
David Albright, president, Institute for Science and International Security; **Ray Takeyh**, senior fellow, Middle East Studies, Council on Foreign Relations; moderated by **Rachel Bronson**, vice president for programs and studies, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs

June 20, 2007
The Military and Political Development in Egypt, Algeria, and Turkey
Steven Cook, Douglas Dillon Fellow, Council on Foreign Relations
Cosponsored with the Council on Foreign Relations

June 26, 2007
Chicago Release of the 2007 BP Statistical Review of World Energy
Mark Finley, director of energy analysis, BP
Cosponsored with BP and the Chicagoland Chamber of Commerce

The Honorable
Barack Obama,
U.S. senator for Illinois

Asia in Chicago

Over the past several years The Chicago Council has increased its focus on areas of rising world influence, including Asia. In program years 2006 and 2007, Asia in Chicago programs featured leading academics, international experts, and government officials who have extensive experience in this important part of the world. Programs covered security issues, transitioning governments, and U.S. relations with key nations, including China, India, Japan, Pakistan, and Vietnam. Asia in Chicago is cosponsored by The University of Chicago's Center for East Asian Studies and its South Asia Language and Area Center, and by Northern Illinois University's Center for Southeast Asian Studies.

November 8, 2005

Recent Developments in South-North Korea's Relations and the Challenge Hereafter
Young-Kyu Park, president, Korean Institute for National Reunification

December 8, 2005

Southeast Asia – Tensions and Transitions
Hadi Saestro, visiting professor, Columbia University; **Dwight King**, director, Center for Southeast Asian Studies, Northeastern Illinois University

September 21, 2006

Democracy and Politics in Indonesia
Andi Mallarangeng, special presidential staff for domestic information and presidential spokesman, Republic of Indonesia

March 27, 2007

From Foe to Friend: Furthering U.S.-Vietnam Engagement
His Excellency Michael Marine, U.S. ambassador to Vietnam

April 9, 2007

Beneath the Superpower Façade: China's Deepest Fears and the Avoidable Conflict with the United States
Susan Shirk, professor of political science, University of California, San Diego

April 18, 2007

New Asia, Old Tensions: Can the Region's Persistent Conflicts be Solved?
Visiting Fellows from the Center for Northeast Asian Policy Studies, The Brookings Institution; moderated by **Richard Bush**, director, Center for Northeast Asian Policy Studies, The Brookings Institution

May 31, 2007

China Town Hall: Local Connections, National Reflections
Ambassador J. Stapleton Roy, vice chairman, Kissinger Associates, and former U.S. ambassador to the People's Republic of China; live Web cast with **Thomas Christensen**, deputy assistant secretary of state for East Asian and Pacific Affairs, U.S. Department of State

June 21, 2007

Pakistan's Role in Regional and Global Peace
His Excellency Mian Khurshid Mahmud Kasuri, foreign minister of Pakistan

October 3, 2006

Shutting Out the Sun: How Japan Created Its Own Lost Generation
Michael Zielenziger, research scholar, Institute of East Asian Studies, University of California, Berkeley; moderated by **Karl Buschmann**, executive director, Japan America Society

October 23, 2006

Just Next Door but Worlds Apart: India and Its Dangerous Neighborhood
Ambassador Husain Haqqani, director, Center for International Relations, Boston University; **Ambassador Jeffrey Lunstead**, former U.S. ambassador to Sri Lanka; moderated by **Rummana Hussain**, reporter, *Chicago Sun-Times*

November 7, 2006

Elvis Has Left the Building: Goodbye Mr. Koizumi and Welcome Mr. Abe
Gerald Curtis, Burgess Professor of Political Science, Columbia University
Cosponsored with Japan America Society

February 26, 2007

Passing the Asia Test: Education and the Future of America's Workforce
Robert A. Davis, director, Confucius Center and Chinese Studies, Chicago Public Schools; **Stefanie Lenway**, dean, School of Business Administration, University of Illinois at Chicago

March 8, 2007

The Weight of the World: Does Our Future Depend on India?
Mira Kamdar, senior fellow, World Policy Institute

November 14, 2005

Security in Asia – Challenges and Opportunities
Bates Gill, Freeman Chair in China Studies, Center for Strategic and International Studies; **Michael Lev**, Beijing correspondent, *Chicago Tribune*

January 23, 2006

Security in Asia – Challenges and Opportunities and South Asia: Unresolved Conflicts
Dr. Walter Andersen, associate director, South Asia Studies Program, The Johns Hopkins University; **Ambassador Husain Haqqani**, director, Center for International Relations, Boston University

Chicago Council Board member BG David L. Grange, USA (Ret.), president and chief executive officer of the McCormick Tribune Foundation, moderates a discussion with the foreign minister of Pakistan, His Excellency Mian Khurshid Mahmud Kasuri.



Globally Occupied Attention (GOAt)

Originally designed to attract young people to Chicago Council programs, the Globally Occupied Attention (GOAt) series appeals to young and old alike. Held in popular Chicago neighborhood bars and music venues, GOAt programs address important global issues in an entertaining, debate-style format. Local experts participate in the discussions about “hot” topics while area musicians, artists, entertainers, and teachers act as moderators.

October 25, 2005

Blogzilla vs. MegaMedia: The Clash of Alternative and Mainstream Media

Dan Proft, president, Leader Media Company; **Phil Rosenthal**, media columnist, *Chicago Tribune*; moderated by **Brian McDonald**, musician and producer

December 1, 2005

The Truth Can Hurt: Torture and Security in the Age of Terrorism

John Yoo, professor of law, University of California, Berkeley, and visiting scholar, American Enterprise Institute; **Douglass Cassel**, professor and director, Center for Civil and Human Rights, University of Notre Dame Law School; moderated by **Jerome McDonnell**, host, *Worldview*, Chicago Public Radio

February 21, 2006

Setting a Course for Democracy or Disaster?

Major James A. Gavrilis, officer, U.S. Army Special Forces, and associate, Institute for the Study of Diplomacy, Walsh School of Foreign Service, Georgetown University; **Nader Hashemi**, Andrew W. Mellon Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Political Science, Northwestern University; moderated by **Darren Spitzer**, singer, songwriter, and musician, The Changes

March 29, 2006

Talking 'Til You're Red, White and Blue in the Face

Stephen Kull, director, Program on International Policy Attitudes and the Center on Policy Attitudes; **Dan Proft**, principal, Urquhart Media, LLC; moderated by **Josh Shapera**, producer, engineer, and musician

May 23, 2006

Addicted to Oil: Can the U.S. Kick the Habit?

Craig Sieben, president, Sieben Energy Associates; **Joseph Bast**, president and chief executive officer, The Heartland Institute; moderated by **Dave Freeman**, founder, Audio Art Chicago

June 29, 2006

Takes a Celebrity to Raise a Village: The Hard Sell on Humanitarianism

Tom Schatz, president, Citizens Against Government Waste; **Peter Rosenblum**, Lief, Cabraser, Heimann & Bernstein Clinical Professor of Human Rights Law, Columbia School of Law; moderated by **Steve Edwards**, host, *Eighty-Four*, Chicago Public Radio

September 25, 2006

Step In or Step Back? U.S. Intervention in the Middle East

Ghada Hashem Talhami, professor of politics, Lake Forest College; **Patrick Clawson**, deputy director for research, Washington Institute for Near East Policy; moderated by **Eric Chial**, musician, The Bon Mots

November 1, 2006

Preventing Genocide in the Modern World: Feasible or Folly?

Thomas Cushman, professor of sociology, Wellesley College; **Ariela Blätter**, director, Crisis Prevention and Response Center, Amnesty International; moderated by **Shawn Rios**, musician, Slings & Arrows

November 28, 2006

A Recipe for Immigrant Integration: Salad Bowl or Melting Pot

Allert Brown-Gort, associate director, Institute for Latino Studies, Notre Dame University; **Brian Perryman**, district director, Immigration and Naturalization Service; moderated by **Jeff Zimmermann**, international muralist

January 30, 2007

What Can Blue Do For You? Evaluating the 2006 U.S. Elections

Brian Hanson, associate professor, Center for International and Comparative Studies, Northwestern University; **Dan Lindley**, assistant professor of political science, University of Notre Dame; moderated by **Scott Smith**, web editor, Chicagoist.com, and *Time Out Chicago*

April 30, 2007

No Nukes For You! Why We Have Them and Others Shouldn't

Kennette Benedict, executive director, Bulletin of Atomic Scientists; **Charles Glaser**, professor of public policy and deputy dean, Harris School of Public Policy, The University of Chicago; moderated by **Steve Dawson**, singer-songwriter



February 27, 2007

International Crime and Punishment: A Post Mortem on the Hanging of Saddam Hussein

Michael Scharf, professor of law and director, Frederick Cox International Law Center, Case Western Reserve University School of Law; **Eric Posner**, Kirkland & Ellis Professor of Law, The University of Chicago Law School; moderated by **Gretchen Helfrich**, former host, *Odyssey*, Chicago Public Radio

March 27, 2007

Solving the Darfur Equation

David Scheffer, professor and director, Center for International Human Rights, Northwestern University School of Law; **François Grignon**, director, Africa Program, International Crisis Group; moderated by **Christopher Whitney**, executive director for studies, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs

May 21, 2007

The Global Warming Debate: Hard Fact or Hot Air?

Norman Rogers, physicist and Chicago Council President's Circle member; **Michael Schlesinger**, professor and director, Climate Research Group, Department of Atmospheric Sciences, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign; moderated by **Tim Tuten**, co-owner, the Hideout

June 25, 2007

Sounds of Silence – A Film By Amir Hamz and Mark Lazarz

Amir Hamz, film director; **Dr. Ahmad Sadr**, professor of sociology and James P. Gorter Chair of Islamic World Studies, Lake Forest College; moderated by **Arman Moseni**, president, Unicord Corporation, and Chicago Council President's Circle Member

Audience participation is strongly encouraged at GOAt programs, which take place in Chicago neighborhood bars and music venues.

Young Professionals (YP)

During the 2007 program year, The Chicago Council stepped up efforts to actively engage under-forty Chicagoans by revamping its Young Professionals (YP) program series. YP programs are generously supported by the John E. Rielly Fund. The programs take place in hip, downtown boutique hotels and draw large crowds of young professionals who want to enjoy cocktails or beer while networking and discussing current global issues. Featured YP guests are interviewed by local experts or journalists.

September 13, 2006

Leaving Microsoft to Change the World: An Entrepreneur's Odyssey to Educate the World's Children

John Wood, founder and chief executive officer, Room to Read; moderated by **Tim Tuten**, co-owner, the Hideout

January 18, 2007

The Future of the United Nations

William K. Davis, director of the UN Information Center (Washington, D.C.); moderated by **Jerome McDonnell**, host, *Worldview*, Chicago Public Radio

March 13, 2007

New News is Good News?

Shaping Worldviews with Blogs, Webzines, and the Internet
Sandeep Junnarkar, associate professor, Graduate School of Journalism, City University of New York; **Ted Anthony**, editor, The Associated Press; **Kerry Luft**, associate managing editor, *Chicago Tribune*; moderated by **Steve Edwards**, host, *Eight Forty-Eight*, Chicago Public Radio

May 18, 2007

After Globalization

Daniel W. Drezner, associate professor of international politics, Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University; moderated by **Rachel Bronson**, vice president for programs and studies, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs
Cosponsored with the Council on Foreign Relations

June 7, 2007

Empowering the Powerless:

A Story of Educational Entrepreneurship in India

Shaheen Mistri, founder, Akanksha Foundation, and 2007 Patricia Blunt Koldyke Fellow; moderated by **Jerome McDonnell**, host, *Worldview*, Chicago Public Radio

April 19, 2007

You Can Hear Me Now:

Connecting the World's Poor to the Global Economy

Nicholas Sullivan, author; moderated by **Ted Souder**, head of Midwest travel sales, Google, Inc., and Chicago Council President's Circle Member

May 10, 2007

28: Stories of AIDS in Africa

Stephanie Nolen, Africa bureau chief, *Globe and Mail*; moderated by **Tom Derdak**, founder and executive director, Global Alliance for Africa

February 21, 2007

The City That Works, For Now?

Chicago, America, and the Global Economy

Austan Goolsbee, professor of economics, Graduate School of Business, The University of Chicago; moderated by **Richard Longworth**, senior fellow, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs, and former correspondent, *Chicago Tribune*

October 23, 2006

The Conservative Soul:

How We Lost It, How to Get It Back

Andrew Sullivan, author, political commentator, and editor of *The Daily Dish*; moderated by **D. Cameron Findlay**, executive vice president and general counsel, Aon Corporation

With an increase in programming, YP membership also has grown substantially. More than 600 individuals from diverse academic, professional, and cultural backgrounds are now YP members of The Chicago Council on Global Affairs.



Visiting Fellowships

To strengthen Chicago's connections to the world, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs has established visiting fellowships with funding from long-time, philanthropic supporters of the Council. Through these visiting fellowships, the Council brings emerging leaders to Chicago to exchange ideas on pressing global issues with the city's top civic, academic, nonprofit, and corporate leaders.

PATRICIA BLUNT KOLDYKE VISITING FELLOWSHIP IN SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP

In September 2006, Patricia Blunt Koldyke and Martin J. Koldyke established the Patricia Blunt Koldyke Visiting Fellowship in Social Entrepreneurship to recognize emerging leaders who are transforming society through innovative solutions to pressing global challenges. Pat Koldyke has spent years furthering awareness and understanding of international affairs in Chicago and the Midwest and is particularly interested in public education and youth leadership.

A Koldyke Fellow is selected annually by a committee representing The Chicago Council, the Koldyke family, and outside experts. The fellows are emerging international leaders who are developing creative responses to social problems – especially those related to children and youth.

Each year, the selected fellow spends one week in Chicago, participating in a series of programs with local NGOs, schools, academic institutions, the media, and other organizations. The fellow also delivers the annual Patricia Blunt Koldyke Lecture and is honored by the Council's Board and other leading figures in the city at a dinner following the lecture.

Shaheen Mistri, founder of the Akanksha Foundation, was the first Koldyke Fellow and visited Chicago the week of June 4 – 8, 2007.

Born in Mumbai, Shaheen lived in thirteen different countries while growing up. In 1989, at the age of eighteen, she returned to Mumbai and founded the first Akanksha Center to provide supplemental education for children living in the slums of India. Since then, her foundation has expanded from serving fifteen children in one Akanksha center in Mumbai to serving more than 5,000 children throughout India.

While in Chicago, Shaheen visited schools and met with community and education leaders to discuss innovative ideas to improve education for less-privileged children here and in India.

GUS HART FELLOWSHIP

In April 2007, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs established the Gus Hart Fellowship with an endowment bequest from the family of Gus Hart. The fellowship honors former Chicago Council chairman Gus Hart and was established to bring emerging leaders from the Latin American and Caribbean region to Chicago.



Each year the Gus Hart Fellowship committee selects an individual who is making significant contributions in areas such as education, economics, health, commerce, poverty reduction, microfinance, the environment, international development, governance, or society.

The first Hart Fellow will visit Chicago in 2008 and will spend one week interacting with Chicago-based commercial, civic, and media professionals in a program tailored specifically to his or her interest, experience, and expertise. The fellow also will deliver The Chicago Council's annual Gus Hart Lecture, which the Hart family established in 2001, and will be honored by the Council's Board and other leading figures in the city at a dinner following the lecture.

The 2007 Patricia Blunt Koldyke Fellow, Shaheen Mistri, founder of the Akanksha Foundation in India, attends a kindergarten graduation ceremony at Erie House in Chicago.

The Global Chicago Center continues to raise awareness of Chicago's strengths as a global city by identifying the city's economic, social, intellectual, and cultural links to the rest of the world. Through study groups, task force reports, and other projects, the Global Chicago Center examines issues critical to Chicago and the Midwest, such as migration and immigrant integration, Chicago's future as a global city, and Midwestern media coverage of international news. The Global Chicago Web site, globalchicago.org, also includes a comprehensive calendar of Chicago-area international events and facilitates communication and collaboration among nearly 400 Chicago institutions with global focus, including businesses and educational, cultural, social, and humanitarian organizations.



"A Shared Future"
Task Force cochairs:
Douglas A. Doetsch,
Clare Muñana, and
Alejandro Silva

A Shared Future: The Economic Engagement of Greater Chicago and Its Mexican Community



In October 2005, the Global Chicago Center convened an independent Task Force to examine the economic engagement and integration of the Mexican community in Chicago and the Midwest. The Task Force was cochaired by Chicago Council Board members Douglas Doetsch, partner, Mayer Brown LLP; Clare Muñana, president, Ancora Associates, Inc.; and Alejandro Silva, chairman, Evans Food Group Ltd. Forty-five prominent

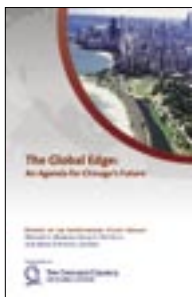
Mexican and non-Mexican leaders from the Chicago region also participated and represented various stakeholder institutions and organizations.

The Task Force report of findings and recommendations, "A Shared Future: The Economic Engagement of Greater Chicago and Its Mexican Community," was released in September 2006. The report finds that Chicago's Mexican community comprises a large part of the city's current and future workforce and is the engine that will fuel future economic growth in the city and region. It calls for unprecedented partnerships among government, business, nonprofit agencies, and the Mexican community to realize the potential of Mexican immigrants and their children to participate fully in the economic, social, and civic life of Chicago.

The Task Force report recommendations focus on four key areas: preparing Mexicans for high growth jobs; improving education and academic achievement in the Mexican community; promoting citizenship, voter registration, and civic engagement; and increasing access to affordable health care and other social services.

Generous support from the Chicago Community Trust, The Boeing Company, Exelon Corporation, McCormick Tribune Foundation, the Fulk Family Foundation, Mayer Brown LLP, Evans Food Group, Clare Muñana, MacNeal Hospital, the Mexican Fine Arts Center Museum, and an anonymous donor made the Task Force and its report possible.

The Global Edge: An Agenda for Chicago's Future



In January 2007, the Global Chicago Center convened a Study Group on Chicago's global future. The Study Group report, accessing the work already done to enhance Chicago's status as a global city and prioritizing the critical issues still facing the city, was published in fall 2007.

The Study Group was chaired by Chicago Council Board members and cochairs of the Global Chicago Center: Michael Moskow, recently retired president and chief executive officer of the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, and senior fellow for the Global Economy at The Chicago Council; Henry J. Perritt, Jr., professor and former dean at the Chicago-Kent Law School; and Adele Simmons, vice chair of Metropolis 2020 and former president of The John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation. Chicago Council senior fellow Richard C. Longworth was the rapporteur for the Study Group and authored the report.

Forty leading Chicagoans, representing business, academia, government, and non-profit organizations, participated in monthly meetings on issues such as transport, communications, education, diversity, business services, finance, city government, tourism, quality of life, and enhancing the city's image abroad. The Study Group focused on ways to draw in the kind of creative and innovative citizens that any global city needs to maintain economic vitality while making sure that Chicago's traditional middle class and minorities are not left behind.

The report highlights Chicago's successes and acknowledges shortcomings and challenges that may impede on the city's ability to ensure its global future. The recommendations dovetail with Chicago's bid for the 2016 Olympic Games by focusing on making the city a more attractive candidate for the Games while leaving it a stronger, more vibrant city when the Games are over.

Generous support from the McCormick Tribune Foundation, The Chicago Community Trust, Sara Lee Corporation, Exelon Corporation, and an anonymous donor made the Study Group and its report possible.

Midwest Media Project

The Global Chicago Center's Midwest Media Project, supported by a two-year grant from the Ford Foundation, focused on bringing greater depth and scope to Midwestern media coverage of global news. Reporters and editors from all over the Midwest attended a series



of monthly two-day seminars in 2006 and 2007 that provided background, insight, and information on global issues with a focus on local impact.

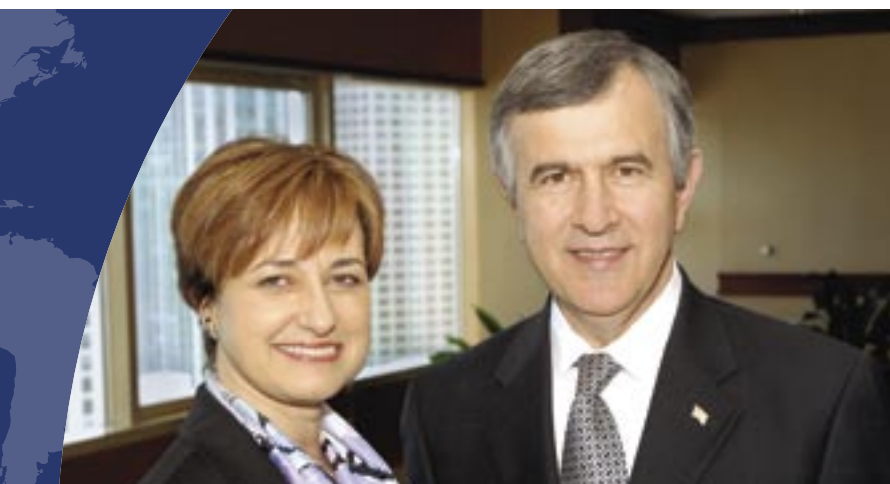
Sessions covered topics such as economics, global agriculture, new media, immigration, education, science and bioscience, and energy and the environment. The Midwest Media Project helped participating journalists connect what is happening around the world to what is happening in their own communities.

Ten papers participated in 2006 and eleven participated in 2007, including the *St. Louis Post Dispatch*, *Milwaukee Journal-Sentinel*, *The Kansas City Star*, *Omaha World Herald*, *Green Bay Press-Gazette*, and *Cleveland Plain Dealer*, among others.

"The Global Edge"
Study Group cochairs:
Michael H. Moskow,
Adele Simmons, and
Henry H. Perritt, Jr.

CORPORATE PROGRAMS

In 2006 and 2007, The Chicago Council organized more than forty Corporate Programs focused on issues such as American agriculture in global trade, building on transatlantic partnerships, challenges and opportunities of globalization, and emerging U.S. economic partnerships with developing nations. In addition, the Year of India Series took an in-depth look at what to expect from the world's fastest growing economy, and the Aviation Summit brought together industry leaders and top government officials to discuss important issues facing commercial aviation.



Patricia A. Woertz, president and chief executive officer of Archer Daniels Midland Company, with U.S. secretary of agriculture, The Honorable Mike Johanns

October 17, 2005
India: An Economic Superpower
His Excellency David C. Mulford, U.S. ambassador to India

November 1, 2005
The Chinese Multinational: Your Next Partner or Competitor?
Ambassador Charlene Barshefsky, former U.S. trade representative;
Pin Ni, president, Wanxiang American;
R. Craig Breese, president, Maytag International, Inc.; **Kenneth Lieberthal**, professor, distinguished fellow, and director for China, William Davidson Institute, University of Michigan
Cosponsored with A.T. Kearney

November 9, 2005
Private Business Roundtable
The Honorable Carlos M. Gutierrez, secretary of commerce, U.S. Department of Commerce

November 10, 2005
Energy Security: A Foreign Policy Trump Card?
Jan H. Kalicki, public policy scholar, Woodrow Wilson International Center, and counselor for international strategy, Chevron Corporation

December 5, 2005
China: Understanding the Business Relationship with the Rising Economic Dragon
The Honorable Mark Steven Kirk, cochair, U.S.-China Working Group, U.S. House of Representative

December 9, 2005
Today's Energy Reality: We are In a Deep Hole
Matthew Simmons, author

January 19, 2006
World Trade at a Crossroads: What Lies Ahead for the WTO Doha Round
The Honorable Clayton Yetter, of counsel, Hogan & Hartson, LLP, former U.S. trade representative, and secretary of agriculture, U.S. Department of Agriculture

February 16, 2006
Private Business Roundtable
The Honorable John W. Snow, secretary of treasury, U.S. Department of Treasury

March 28, 2006
Private CEO Dinner
Nandan Nilekani, chief executive officer, president, and managing director, Infosys Technologies Ltd.

April 20, 2006
Cultural Understanding in a Global Community
His Royal Highness Prince Turki Al-Faisal, ambassador of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia to the United States

April 27, 2006
Private Business Roundtable
His Excellency Vaclav Klaus, president, Czech Republic

May 8, 2006
Private Business Roundtable
The Honorable Mike Johanns, secretary of agriculture, U.S. Department of Agriculture

May 11, 2006
Poland and the United States: Building on the Transatlantic Partnership
His Excellency Janusz Reiter, ambassador of the Republic of Poland to the United States

May 19, 2006
A Trade Agenda for Prosperity, Democracy, and Peace
Ambassador Rob Portman, U.S. trade representative

June 2, 2006
Economic Growth and Investment in Chile and Latin America
The Honorable Jose de Gregorio, Jr., vice governor, Central Bank of Chile

June 22, 2006
Economic Reform and Restructuring Strategy for Saudi Arabia
His Excellency Dr. Hashim A. Yamani, minister of commerce and industry, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

September 13, 2006
The Global Game of Risk and Reward
Ian Bremmer, president, Eurasia Group

October 26, 2006
Program and Dinner
Carly Fiorina, former chairman and chief executive officer, Hewlett Packard Company

November 21, 2006
Private Business Roundtable
The Honorable Carlos M. Gutierrez, secretary of commerce, U.S. Department of Commerce

December 14, 2006
Ukraine's Foreign Policy and Business Agenda
His Excellency Dmytro Tabachnyk, vice prime minister, Ukraine

January 17, 2007
Global Financial Warriors: The Untold Story of International Finance in the Post-9/11 World
John Taylor, former U.S. undersecretary for international affairs
Coorganized with The University of Chicago's Graduate School of Business

February 1, 2007
Opportunities and Challenges of a Global Economy
The Honorable Edward Lazear, chairman, Council of Economic Advisers
Coorganized with The University of Chicago's Graduate School of Business

March 5, 2007
Private Luncheon
His Highness Shaikh Salman bin Hamad bin Isa Al-Khalifa, crown prince and commander-in-chief, Bahrain Defense Force
Coorganized with JPMorgan Chase & Co.

March 12, 2007
The EU Presidency and Transatlantic Trade Relations
His Excellency Klaus Scharioth, ambassador of Germany to the United States; **His Excellency John Bruton**, head of delegation of the European Union to the United States; **Daniel Hamilton**, The Johns Hopkins University
Coorganized with the German-American Chamber of Commerce and the Consulate General of Germany in Chicago

March 22, 2007
Expanding the U.S. – South Africa Business Relationship
His Excellency Mandisi Mpahlwa, minister of trade and industry, Republic of South Africa

March 27, 2007
The United States and Vietnam: A Vision for Trade and Investment Relations
The Honorable Michael Marine, U.S. ambassador to Socialist Republic of Vietnam

March 28, 2007
Hong Kong: Gateway to China
Margaret Fong, economic and trade affairs commissioner, Hong Kong

May 21, 2007
Making Global Economic Institutions Work: What the World Needs Now
Mr. David Dodge, governor, Bank of Canada

May 31, 2007
Private Roundtable
His Excellency Bo Xilai, minister of commerce, People's Republic of China

May 31, 2007
Mexico in a Globalized World
Agustin Carstens, secretary of finance and public credit of Mexico
Coorganized with The University of Chicago's Graduate School of Business

June 21, 2007
Private Dinner
His Excellency Yuan Chunqing, Governor of Shaanxi Province, People's Republic of China

Year of India Series

During the 2007 program year, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs partnered with the Confederation of Indian Industry, India's premier business association, to organize the Year of India Series. India has experienced tremendous growth in recent years and foreign and indirect investment continues to grow at an unprecedented rate. In addition to offering significant opportunities, India's economic rise also poses some challenges. The Year of India series brought American business executives operating in India and Indian government leaders and experts to Chicago to discuss the latest thinking on topics including economic reform and development, outsourcing and service sector expansion, and new market opportunities.



September 8, 2006
Thirteen Years on the Inside: A Perspective on India
Scott R. Bayman, president and chief executive officer, General Electric India

October 27, 2006
Breakfast Roundtable and Luncheon Program
His Excellency Dr. Montek Singh Ahluwalia, deputy chairman, Planning Commission, Government of India

November 2, 2006
Bangalore Tiger: How Indian Tech Upstart Wipro is Rewriting the Rules of Global Competition
Steve Hamm, author and journalist, *Business Week*

April 12, 2007
India's Economic Outlook: How the Past Will Shape the Future
Raghuram G. Rajan, professor of finance, The University of Chicago's Graduate School of Business
Cosponsored with The University of Chicago's Graduate School of Business

Scott Bayman, president and chief executive officer of GE India, with **Sreekumar Nair**, deputy director of the Confederation of Indian Industry

Aviation Leadership Summit: Sustainable Aviation Policies for America and the World

The Chicago Council and the International Aviation Law Institute of DePaul University College of Law brought together more than fifty industry leaders, senior policy makers, and experts for the Aviation Leadership Summit in October 2006.

Glenn F. Tilton, chairman, president, and chief executive officer of United Airlines, chaired the summit and Marion C. Blakey, administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration, delivered the keynote address. With air transport issues gaining traction in multilateral and bilateral trade negotiations around the world, the summit examined regulatory and market innovations that may give new opportunities to the commercial aviation industry.

Corporate sponsors included United Airlines, FedEx Express, The Boeing Company, AAR Corporation, and Wolters Kluwer; and coorganizing sponsors included Northwestern University's Kellogg School of Management, The University of Chicago's Graduate School of Business, and World Business Chicago.

India Roundtable

The India Roundtable is a pioneering forum for business, political, civic, and nonprofit leaders committed to thoughtful dialogue on issues shaping India-U.S. economic and political relations. Through small-format programs, India Roundtable participants discuss critical economic, political, and social issues with leading India experts and government officials.

The India Roundtable is cochaired by Marshall M. Bouton, president, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs; Dipak Jain, dean, Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University; and Ashish Prasad, partner, Mayer Brown LLP.

October 11, 2005

Crisis in Nepal: Does it Threaten India?

Ashok Mehta, retired major general, Indian Army

October 17, 2005

India-U.S.: An Emerging Strategic Partnership!

The Honorable David C. Mulford, U.S. ambassador to India

January 23, 2006

South Asia: Unresolved Conflicts

Walter Andersen, associate director of South Asia studies, The Johns Hopkins University; **Nasim Zehra**, senior fellow, Asia Center, Harvard University

April 28, 2006

Power Sector in India: Collaboration Opportunities

The Honorable Shri Sushil Kumar Shinde, union minister of power, Republic of India

September 8, 2006

Examining Cultural, Political and Financial Obstacles of Doing Business in India

Scott R. Bayman, president and chief executive officer, General Electric India

October 13, 2006

India's Thirst for Energy and Economic Development: A View from Gujarat State

Kamal Navanty and delegation of industry leaders from Gujarat, India

November 30, 2006

Future Directions of India – U.S. Relations

The Honorable Ronen Sen, ambassador of India to the United States

December, 18, 2006

Uncertain Passage?: India-U.S. Relations After the Nuclear Deal

Marshall M. Bouton, president, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs

February 22, 2007

Religious Violence and Peace in India

Steven Wilkinson, professor of political science, The University of Chicago

April 12, 2007

India's Economic Outlook: How the Past Will Shape the Future

Raghuram G. Rajan, professor of finance, Graduate School of Business, The University of Chicago

May 30, 2007

Treaties and Turmoil: Uncertainty in South Asia

Stephen Cohen, senior fellow of foreign policy studies, The Brookings Institution

June 27, 2007

Economic Relations between China and the United States

Diplomats from the Ministry of External Affairs, India
Cosponsored with the Asia Foundation

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March 8, 2007

China and India's Foreign Investment: Africa and Beyond

Harry Broadman, economic advisor, World Bank

March 12, 2007

Armies of Asian Engineers: Debating Competitiveness and Innovation

William Wulf, president, National Academy of Engineering



Dr. Montek Singh Ahluwalia, deputy chairman of planning for the Government of India, with **Tarun Das**, director general of the Confederation of Indian Industry, and **Michael H. Moskow**, Chicago Council vice chairman

November 12, 2005

The Argumentative Indian – Writings on Indian History, Culture and Identity

Dr. Amartya Sen, Lamont University Professor, Harvard University
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November 21, 2005

Economic Reforms in India: Where Are We and Where Do We Go?

Rakesh Mohan, deputy governor, Reserve Bank of India

March 28, 2006

Kashmir: Prospects for Peace

Farooq Kathwari, chairman and chief executive officer, Ethan Allen Industries, Inc.

April 18, 2006

Terrorism and Communal Views

The Honorable Syed Shahabuddin, former member, Indian Parliament, and ambassador, Indian Ministry of External Affairs

China Roundtable

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November 14, 2005

The Great Power Game in East Asia

Michael Lev, business editor,
Chicago Tribune

December 7, 2005

One Billion Customers:

*Lessons from the Front Lines of
Doing Business in China*

James McGregor, former China
bureau chief, *Wall Street Journal*

January 20, 2006

Hong Kong and China:

Common Experiences as Hub Cities

Sandra Lee, permanent secretary
of economic and development,
Hong Kong Special Administrative
Region Government

January 26, 2006

Power Shift:

China and Asia's New Dynamics

David Shambaugh, director, China
Policy Program, Elliott School of
International Affairs, George
Washington University

January 31, 2006

Briefing

Qin Zhilai, research fellow, Institute
of International Strategic Studies,
China Central Party School

February 16, 2006

*Reinvigorating the
U.S. Role in East Asia*

Ambassador J. Stapleton Roy,
former U.S. ambassador to the People's
Republic of China, and managing
director, Kissinger Associates, Inc.

February 27, 2006

*Made in China: Photography
Exhibit and Lecture*

Dali Yang, professor of political
science, The University of Chicago;
Jun Yang, artist

March 9, 2006

*China and the United States
in the 21st Century*

Ambassador Nicholas Platt,
president emeritus, Asia Society

May 2, 2006

Briefing

Ambassador Ma Zhengang,
president, China Institute of
International Studies

May 18, 2006

*U.S. Security Policy
towards a Rising China*

Dan Blumenthal, resident fellow,
the American Enterprise Institute;
Dr. Robert Ross, professor
of political science, Boston College

June 1, 2006

*China's Shifting Bounds of
Free Expression*

Evan Osnos, China correspondent,
Chicago Tribune

June 27, 2006

*Consensus and Conflict in
U.S.-China Relations*

Liping Zhang, senior Fulbright
American Political Science Association
Congressional fellow

April 9, 2007

China: Fragile Superpower

Susan Shirk, professor of political
science, University of California,
San Diego



October 31, 2006

Peace and Development in Asia

Chairman Lien Chan, honorary
chairman, Kuomintang Party of Taiwan

February 21, 2007

*Between Beijing and the Provinces:
Controlling the Empire*

Dali Yang, professor of political
science, The University of Chicago

May 3, 2007

Dangerous Nationalism?:

Implications for China and Japan

Suisheng "Sam" Zhao, executive
director, Center of U.S.-China
Cooperation, University of Denver

Marilyn R. Diamond,
Chicago Council Board
member; **He Ning**,
director general of
American and Oceanian
Affairs for China's
Ministry of Commerce;
Verne G. Istock, Chicago
Council Board member;
His Excellency Bo Xilai,
China's minister of
commerce; and **Lester
Crown**, Chicago Council
chairman, participate
in a private roundtable
discussion.

Global Leadership Awards Dinner

The Chicago Council established the Global Leadership Awards Dinner in 2003 to honor distinguished individuals for outstanding achievements in the areas of international relations, civic leadership, and philanthropy. Local, national, and international figures are honored at a prestigious dinner event, which has become one of the

in Chicago. John W. Madigan, retired chairman and chief executive officer of Tribune Company, chaired the event with dinner hosts John F. and Mary Manley. The dinner raised more than \$660,000 for Chicago Council programs.

In April 2007, The Chicago Council honored Her Excellency Sadako Ogata, former UN High Commissioner for Refugees, with the international award for her



LEFT:
2006 Global Leadership Award recipients Patrick G. Ryan, Shirley Welsh Ryan, His Excellency Fernando Henrique Cardoso, and Paul A. Volker

RIGHT:
2007 Global Leadership Award recipients Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft, USAF (Ret.), Her Excellency Sadako Ogata, and Andrew J. McKenna

highlights of The Chicago Council's annual calendar.

In February 2006, the Council honored His Excellency Fernando Henrique Cardoso, former president of Brazil, with the international award for his lifelong commitment to justice, human development, and democracy. The Honorable Paul A. Volker, former chairman of the board of governors of the Federal Reserve System, received the national award for establishing significant national and global economic policies and leading crucial international inquiries with probity and clarity. The Council presented the local award to Shirley Welsh Ryan, chairman of Pathways Awareness Foundation, and Patrick G. Ryan, executive chairman of Aon Corporation, for their work as civic leaders and philanthropists



unwavering commitment to public service in pursuit of human security and international cooperation. Former U.S. National Security advisor Lt. General Brent Scowcroft, USAF (Ret.), received the national award for his lifelong career of distinguished service and his commitment to making the United States stronger and the world safer. The Council presented the local award to Andrew J. McKenna, chairman of Schwarz Paper Company and McDonald's Corporation, for increasing Chicago's international stature through business and civic leadership and corporate philanthropy. W. James Farrell, retired chairman of Illinois Tool Works Inc., chaired the event with dinner hosts John F. and Mary Manley. The dinner set a record and raised more than \$940,000 for Chicago Council programs.

Chairman's Circle and President's Circle

Members of the Council's Board of Directors and donors at the Chairman's Circle and the President's Circle levels have direct access to leading national and international figures through the Council's unique Leadership Programs. Private receptions, dinners, and briefings offer top Council contributors face-to-face time with visiting dignitaries and thought leaders. Leadership donors also have the opportunity to host and chair special events as program contributors and presenters.

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October 11, 2005

Carl Gershman,
president, National Endowment
for Democracy

November 8, 2005

Ambassador Heraldo Muñoz,
permanent representative of
Chile to the United Nations

November 17, 2005

**His Excellency
Dr. Osman Faruk Logoglu**,
ambassador of the Republic of Turkey
to the United States

November 21, 2005

Dr. Paula J. Dobriansky,
under secretary of state for
democracy and global affairs,
U.S. Department of State

November 28, 2005

His Excellency John Bruton,
ambassador of the European Union
to the United States;
Sir David Manning, ambassador of
Great Britain to the United States

January 24, 2006

Ambassador L. Paul Bremer, III,
former ambassador and administrator
of the U.S. Coalition Provisional
Authority in Iraq

January 31, 2006

Bernard-Henri Lévy,
French writer, philosopher,
journalist, and activist

February 15, 2006

Ambassador J. Stapleton Roy,
former U.S. ambassador to China,
Indonesia, and Singapore

March 30, 2006

Michael Gordon,
author and chief military
correspondent, *The New York Times*

April 20, 2006

Wole Soyinka,
Nigerian author and political activist,
Nobel Prize-winner

May 3, 2006

James F. Hoge Jr.,
editor and Peter G. Peterson Chair,
Foreign Affairs

May 8, 2006

Dr. Shirin Ebadi,
Iranian lawyer,
Nobel Prize-winner

May 9, 2006

**Her Excellency Ellen
Johnson Sirleaf**,
president, Republic of Liberia

May 16, 2006

Madeleine K. Albright,
former secretary of state,
U.S. Department of State

June 6, 2006

C. Fred Bergsten,
director, Institute for
International Economics

June 13, 2006

John Hamre,
president and chief executive
officer, Center for Strategic and
International Studies

June 19, 2006

His Excellency Carlos de Icaza,
ambassador of Mexico to the
United States



June 28, 2006

Lt. General Brent Scowcroft,
USAF (Ret.), president and founder,
The Scowcroft Group

September 25, 2006

Senator John C. Danforth,
former U.S. senator for Missouri

September 28, 2006

Joseph Stiglitz,
former chief economist and senior
vice president of the World Bank,
and professor, Columbia University

October 5, 2006

Dr. Rashid Khalidi,
Edward Said Chair in Arab Studies,
Columbia University

November 29, 2006

Jonathan F. Fanton,
president, The John D. and
Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation

February 8, 2007

Michael Oren,
senior fellow,
Shalem Center, Jerusalem

March 15, 2007

R. James Woolsey,
vice president,
Booz Allen Hamilton, Inc.

April 4, 2007

Dr. Zbigniew Brzezinski,
former national security advisor,
trustee, Center for Strategic and
International Studies

April 11, 2007

Dr. George Rupp,
president, International
Rescue Committee

May 16, 2007

Michael Beschloss,
author and presidential historian

Jonathan F. Fanton,
president of The John D.
and Catherine T.
MacArthur Foundation,
with President's Circle
members Isabel and
Donald Stewart

May 22, 2007
Peter C. Goldmark,
director, Climate and Air program,
Environmental Defense

June 4, 2007
Shaheen Mistri,
2007 Patricia Blunt Koldyke Fellow
and founder, Akanksha Foundation

June 6, 2007
John W. Rowe,
chairman, president, and chief
executive officer, Exelon Corporation

June 14, 2007
Ambassador Dennis Ross,
former Middle East envoy

June 19, 2007
David Albright,
president, Institute for Science
and International Security;

October 5, 2005
*Afghanistan to Iraq: Moving forward
on The Global War on Terrorism*
Rear Admiral Robert Moeller,
director of plans and policy,
U.S. Central Command

November 1, 2005
The Chicago Council's Strategic Plan
John F. Manley, president,
Chicago City Capital Group, Inc.,
and vice chairman, The Chicago
Council on Global Affairs

November 3, 2005
*Germany and the EU's Emerging
Foreign Policy*
Sascha Muller-Kraenner, director
for Europe and North America,
Heinrich Boell Foundation

February 2, 2006
Current Affairs in the Middle East
Lester Crown, chairman, Henry
Crown & Company, and chairman,
The Chicago Council on Global Affairs

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U.S. – Israel Relations
Amatzia Baram, professor,
University of Haifa, and visiting fellow,
The Brookings Institution
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General of Israel to the Midwest

February 3, 2006
Cyprus in the European Union
**His Excellency Euripides
Eriviades**, ambassador of Cyprus
to the United States

February 24, 2006
Briefing
Her Excellency Mu Sochua,
former minister of Women's and
Veterans' Affairs of Cambodia

March 16, 2006
China and India Rising
Marshall M. Bouton, president,
The Chicago Council on Global Affairs

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*Taming American Power:
The Global Response to U.S. Power*
Stephen Walt, academic dean,
professor of international affairs,
John F. Kennedy School of
Government, Harvard University

May 25, 2006
*U.S.-Egypt Relations and
Egypt's Role in the Middle East*
Ambassador Mohamed Shaker,
vice chair, Egyptian Council on Foreign
Affairs, and former ambassador of
the Arab Republic of Egypt to the
United Kingdom

May 25, 2006
Egypt – The Land of Crossroads
**Ambassador Abdel Raouf El
Reedy**, chair, Egyptian Council on
Foreign Affairs; **Ambassador
Mohamed Shaker**, vice chair,
Egyptian Council on Foreign Affairs;
Dr. Ossama El Ghazali Harb,
editor-in-chief, *Al-Siyassa Al-Dawliya*;
Dr. Zahi Hawas, secretary general,
Supreme Council of Antiquities;
Dr. Aly Radwan, professor of
Egyptology, Cairo University
Collaboration with Consulate General
of the Arab Republic of Egypt, The
Egyptian Council on Foreign Affairs,
and The Field Museum

June 8, 2006
Transatlantic Relations
Christian Schmidt, parliamentary
state secretary to the federal minister
of defense of Germany

September 12, 2006
A View from the Middle East
Joel Greenberg, correspondent,
Chicago Tribune

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*A Shared Future: The Economic
Engagement of Greater Chicago and
Its Mexican American Community*
Task Force cochairs **Douglas A.
Doestch**, partner, Mayer Brown LLP;
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Associates, Inc.; **Alejandro Silva**,
chairman, Evans Food Group, Ltd.

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*Leaving Microsoft to Change the
World: An Entrepreneur's Odyssey to
Educate the World's Children*
John Wood, founder and chief
executive officer, Room to Read

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A View From Haifa
Yona Yahav, mayor, Haifa, Israel

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*Cambodia's Upcoming Khmer Rouge
Tribunals: A Personal Story*
Samron Nil; moderated by
Kathryn Lucatelli, executive director,
Build Cambodia

October 6, 2006
View from Iraq
Liz Sly, correspondent,
Chicago Tribune

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*Beyond U.S. Views:
Accessing the Rise of China and India*
Marshall M. Bouton, president,
The Chicago Council on Global Affairs

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Peace and Development in Asia
Lien Chan, honorary chairman,
Kuomintang Party of Taiwan

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*The Post-Koizumi Era:
Implications for Japan,
the United States, and East Asia*
Gerald Curtis, Burgess Professor of
Political Science, Columbia University



Vicki Jones of AT&T
Midwest and Chairman's
Circle member Gordon
Segal with Carly Fiorina,
former chairman and
chief executive officer of
Hewlett Packard Company

Rachel Bronson,
vice president for programs
and studies, The Chicago Council
on Global Affairs;
Ray Takeyh, senior fellow
for Middle East studies,
Council on Foreign Relations

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September 19, 2005
*Israel and the Middle East
After Disengagement*
His Excellency Daniel Ayalon,
ambassador of Israel to the
United States

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Iran's Strategic Weapons Programs
Dr. Gary Samore, vice president,
Global Security and Sustainability,
The John D. and Catherine T.
MacArthur Foundation

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*The U.S., the UN & Africa –
Liberia America's Stepchild*
Jacques Paul Klein, special
representative and coordinator,
UN Operation in Liberia

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Syria: Challenge and Crisis
His Excellency Imad Moustapha,
ambassador of Syria to the
United States

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Afghanistan: A Campaign Assessment
Lt. General Karl W. Eikenberry,
commanding general, U.S. Combined
Forces Command-Afghanistan

December 5, 2006
The Law-Growth Nexus
Kenneth W. Dam, Max Pam
Professor American and Foreign Law,
The University of Chicago Law School

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Inside North Korea:
My First Year in Pyongyang
His Excellency Mats Foyer,
ambassador of Sweden to North Korea

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Politics and Energy in Central Asia:
The Great Game Resumes
Alex Rodriguez, Moscow Bureau
chief, *Chicago Tribune*

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Security Challenges and Opportunities
in the Asia-Pacific Region
Admiral William Fallon,
commander, U.S. Pacific Command

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The Persepolis Fortification Tablets:
What are They and Why are
They at Risk?
Professor Matthew Stolper,
John A. Wilson professor of Oriental
Studies, The Oriental Institute

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Truth and Justice in Rwanda:
Reflections Thirteen Years
After a Genocide
Paul Rusesabagina,
founder, the Hotel Rwanda
Rusesabagina Foundation

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Old Ties, New Crises:
The Strategic Rationale
for the U.S.-Saudi Relationship
Rachel Bronson, vice president for
programs and studies, The Chicago
Council on Global Affairs

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Al-Qa'ida in the West: The United
States, United Kingdom, and Canada
Jarret Brachman, director of
research, Combating Terrorism Center,
U.S. Military Academy

March 2, 2007
Briefing
Mary Kaldor, professor,
London School of Economics

March 9, 2007
The Globalization of Security Threats:
A UK Perspective
Sir Peter Ricketts, permanent
undersecretary, UK Foreign and
Commonwealth Office

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Roundtable on Russia
moderated by **Rachel Bronson**, vice
president of programs and studies,
The Chicago Council on Global Affairs;
Richard Longworth, senior fellow,
The Chicago Council on Global Affairs

April 6, 2007
The New Cold War in the Middle East:
A View from Within the Region's New
Military and Ideological Battlefields
Rami Khouri, director of the Issam
Fares Institute for Public Policy and
International Affairs, American
University of Beirut, and editor-at-
large, *The Daily Star*

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Religion and Politics in
Ethiopia and the Horn of Africa:
A Creeping Catastrophe?
Donald Levine, professor,
The University of Chicago

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Relationship between the European
Union and the United States
His Excellency Carlos Westendorp
y Cabeza, ambassador of Spain to
the United States

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Oil, Corruption, and Democracy:
The Implications of Nigeria's Elections
Helima Croft, senior strategist,
Lehman Brothers

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Are Emerging Markets Driving the
Global Economy?
David Hale, economist,
Hale Advisors, LLC

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What Does the Rise of China and India
Mean for Our City and Nation?
Marshall M. Bouton, president,
The Chicago Council on Global Affairs

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What Exactly is Happening in
Latin America Today?
Alberto Coll, professor of law, DePaul
University, and president, International
Human Rights Law Institute

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The Key to Middle East Peace?
Joshua Landis, professor,
University of Oklahoma, and editor,
SyriaComment

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Key Foreign Policy Issues
for the 2008 Elections
Charles Lipson, professor,
The University of Chicago

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Turkey's EU Accession Prospects:
Train Wreck or New Paradigm?
David Cuthell, executive director,
Institute for Turkish Studies, and
professor, Columbia University

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India: A Global Powerhouse
Chicago Council Board Members and
participants of the India Study Group,
Marilyn Diamond, Fred
Steingraber, and **Leah Zell Wanger**;
moderated by **Marshall M. Bouton**,
president, The Chicago Council on
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Lebanon – Between
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Michael Young, editor, *The Daily Star*

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Peter Goldmark, director,
Climate and Air program,
Environmental Defense

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Future Prospects
The Right Honorable Baroness
Amos of Brondebury,
leader of the UK House of Lords

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The Strategic Landscape of Israel
and the Broader Middle East
Uzi Arad, founding head of the
Institute for Policy and Strategy,
Lauder School of Government,
Diplomacy, and Strategy, Inter-
Disciplinary Center Herzliya

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Bound Together: How Traders,
Preachers, Adventurers, and
Warriors Shaped Globalization
Nayan Chanda, director of
publications, Yale Center for the
Study of Globalization

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Economic and Strategic
Affairs in Israel
Daniel Kutner, head of the Bureau
for Economic and Strategic Affairs,
Center for Political Research

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Transatlantic Relations and the
Recent G8 Summit
Dr. Norbert Lammer, Christian
Democratic Union Party, president of
the Bundestag; **Petra Ernstberger**,
Social Democratic Party, member of
the Bundestag; **Dr. Werner Hoyer**,
Free Democratic Party, member of
the Bundestag

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Africa After Gleneagles
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Joseph, John Evans Professor of
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the Program of African Studies,
Northwestern University

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Mexican Immigration to the United
States – Finding a Rational Policy
on Both Sides of the Border
Hosted by **Susan Manning**
and **Douglas A. Doetsch**, with
special guest **The Honorable**
Carlos M. Sada Solana,
Mexican Consul General

October 21, 2005
American Foreign Policy:
The View from Congress
Hosted by **Amy and D. Cameron**
Findlay, with special guest
The Honorable Mark Steven Kirk,
U.S. House of Representatives

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The Increasingly Important and
Changing Role of the NGO/
Nonprofit Sector in Building
Participatory Societies
Hosted by **Wendy Wiles Kase**,
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Szecssey, international consultant
and trainer, Social Impact

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Investment in India
Hosted by **Connie and Thomas A.**
Cole and **Nancy and Imad I. Qasim**,
with special guest **Samir Ghandi**,
partner, Sidley Austin LLP

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How Smugglers, Traffickers
and Copycats are Hijacking
the Global Economy
Hosted by **Chris and Scott Gordon**,
with special guest **Dr. Moisés Naim**,
editor and publisher, *Foreign Policy*



November 1, 2005
The Fate of Democracy in Iraq
Hosted by **John D. Gray**, with special guest **Professor Larry Diamond**, coeditor, *Journal of Democracy*, and senior fellow, Hoover Institution, Stanford University

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U.S. Policy Challenges in the Middle East
Hosted by **Frank Clark**, with special guest **Ambassador Edward P. Djerejian**, founding director, James A. Baker, III Institute for Public Policy, Rice University

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China's Hot Topics of the Day
With hosts and experts **Lyric Hughes Hale**, publisher and chief executive officer, China Online, Inc.; **David Hale**, head of Hale Advisors, LLC

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The Economy, Trade, and American Competitiveness
Hosted by **Arch W. Shaw**, with special guest **The Honorable Carlos M. Gutierrez**, secretary of commerce, U.S. Department of Commerce

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The Case for Islamo-Christian Civilization
Hosted by **Inna Rozumenko and Dr. Ogan Gurel**, with special guest **Professor Richard W. Bulliet**, author and professor, Columbia University

November 10, 2005
The Global Pension Crisis in a Rapidly Aging World: Will Baby-Boomers Have Their Own Cake, and Eat That of Their Children, Too?
Hosted by **Christopher O'Dea**, with special guest **Jacob Funk Kirkegaard**, research associate, Institute for International Economics

November 14, 2005
Mexico in the Balance
Hosted by **Carol and Don Randel**, with special guest **Emilio Kouri**, associate professor, The University of Chicago

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Israel: The Threats Without and Within
hosted by **Leah Zell Wanger and Ralph Wanger**, with special guest **David Horowitz**, editor-in-chief, *The Jerusalem Post*

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Can Democracy Defeat Terrorism?
Hosted by **Lynn and Mark A. Angelson**, with special guest **Professor Joseph Nye**, University Distinguished Service Professor, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University

January 27, 2006
Russia's Retreat from Democracy and Its Impact on Legal Reform: A Practitioner's Perspective
Hosted by **Lisa Brown-Tribbett and Charles A. Tribbett, III**, with special guest **Richard Dean**, partner and head of Russia and Central Asia practice, Coudert Brothers

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Exploring U.S. Options in Iran
Hosted by **Kimberly K. Querrey and Louis A. Simpson**, with special guest **Ambassador Jack Vaughn**, former U.S. ambassador to Panama and Colombia

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The United States and Vietnam: New Partnerships for the Twenty-first Century
Hosted by **Linh and Thomas O'Connor**, with special guest **Nguyen Ngoc Phuc**, vice minister of planning and investment, Socialist Republic of Vietnam

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Mecca and Main Street
Hosted by **William and Libby Graham**, with special guest **Geneive Abdo**, journalist and liaison for the UN Alliance of Civilizations

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Hosted by **Ellen Stone Belic**, with special guest **Sarah Chayes**, journalist and former NPR correspondent

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From Breadbasket to Worldbasket – The Future of U.S. Agriculture
Hosted by **Donna LaPietra and Bill Kurtis**, with special guest **John D. Hardin, Jr.**, vice chair, board of trustees, Purdue University, and owner, Hardin Farms

October 24, 2006
Whither Russia?
Hosted by **Anne and Bill Tobey**, with special guest **Dimitri K. Simes**, president, The Nixon Center

October 24, 2006
Blame the Jihadis for Stalling the India-Pakistan Peace Process
Hosted by **Lynn M. Martin and Harry Leinenweber**, with special guest **Ambassador Husain Haqqani**, director, Department of International Relations, Boston University

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How Congress is Failing America and How to Get it Back on Track
Hosted by **Chris and Scott Gordon**, with special guests **Thomas E. Mann**, the W. Averell Harriman Chair and senior fellow in Governance Studies, The Brookings Institution; **Norman J. Ornstein**, resident scholar, American Enterprise Institute for Public Policy Research

October 30, 2006
Climate Change: Global Perspectives, Midwest Action
Hosted by **The Honorable Andrew Seaton**, with special guest **Elen S. Alberding**, president, The Joyce Foundation

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Civil Liberties and Wartime
Hosted by **Connie and Thomas A. Cole and Nancy and Imad I. Qasim**, with special guests **Geoffrey R. Stone**, Harry Kalven, Jr. Distinguished Professor of Law, The University of Chicago; and **Joseph R. Guerra**, partner, Sidley Austin LLP

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Ethical Realism and the Foreign Policy Debate
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Chicago Futures Exchanges: The Epicenter of Financial Globalization
With hosts and experts **Charles P. Carey**, chairman, Chicago Board of Trade; **Bernard W. Dan**, president and chief executive officer, Chicago Board of Trade

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Egypt on the Brink
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November 16, 2006
The Responsibility to Protect: A New Guiding Principle in International Relations
Hosted by **Kay and Fred Krehbiel**, with special guest **The Honorable Gareth Evans**, president and chief executive officer, International Crisis Group

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The Devastating Consequences of America's Drug War
Hosted by **Judith and Peter Bensinger and Winnie and Bob Crawford**, with special guest **Peter Bensinger**, former director, U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration

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The Top Ten Risks to the Global Economy
Hosted by **Fredrick C. Broda, James H. Stone, and Kimberly K. Taylor**, with special guest **Dr. David Young**, managing director and founder, Oxford Analytica

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The Israeli-Palestinian Puzzle
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Where is Cuba Going?
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Energy Security Policy
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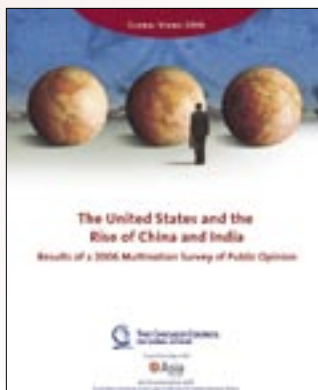


For more than eighty-five years, The Chicago Council has provided a distinguished public forum for world leaders, policymakers, and experts to discuss issues of national and international importance. Finding solutions to today's most vexing problems also requires bringing together key stakeholders to fully examine the issues and offer recommendations for moving forward. Through studies, task forces, and conferences, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs brings together the world's thought leaders to contribute fresh insights and authentic perspectives to the formation of opinion and policy in the United States and abroad.

2006 America and the World Conference:
"The Rise of China and India: Implications for World Order"

Long known for studies on U.S. public attitudes on international relations and foreign policy, The Chicago Council has expanded the scope of its internationally renowned public opinion surveys to include parallel surveys in other countries. The Council's public opinion studies, now conducted every two years, provide rich, comparative data on major topics in countries around the world. Results of the most recent public opinion studies were covered by several media outlets including The Associated Press, *Chicago Tribune*, CNN, *Financial Times*, *International Herald Tribune*, *The New York Times*, *Newsweek International*, and Reuters, among others. Public opinion study reports are available online at thechicagocouncil.org.

Global Views 2006: The Rise of China and India



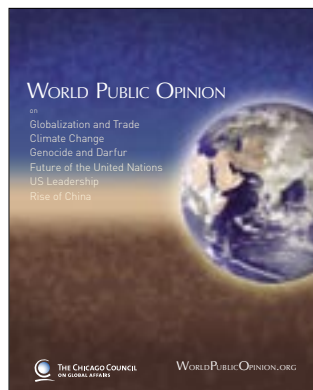
The 2006 Public Opinion Study included ground-breaking nationally representative polls of China and India and parallel polls in South Korea and Australia, in addition to the United States. Results were released in October 2006 in a report titled “The

United States and the Rise of China and India.”

The report assessed American public opinion on a variety of challenges, including international terrorism, nuclear proliferation, conflict in the Middle East, the rising economic and political power of Asia, economic competition from abroad, and threats to energy supplies and the environment. It also presented a comparison of international attitudes on how the emergence of China and India as economic dynamos and claimants to great power status will affect the global economy, international security, and politics.

Generous support from The John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation, the McCormick Tribune Foundation, the Asia Society, and the Korea Foundation made the 2006 Public Opinion Study and the report possible.

World Public Opinion 2007



In January 2007, The Chicago Council collaborated with WorldPublicOpinion.org to undertake a follow-up study to The Chicago Council's 2006 Public Opinion Study on the rise of China and India.

Participating research centers interviewed nearly 22,000

people in China, India, the United States, Russia, Indonesia, France, Thailand, Ukraine, Poland, Iran, Mexico, South Korea, the Philippines, Australia, Argentina, Peru, Armenia, Israel, and the Palestinian territories. The countries surveyed include roughly fifty-six percent of the world's population.

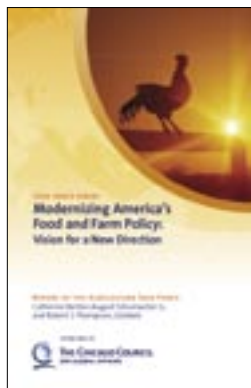
In-depth reports of world public opinion on key international issues, including globalization, climate change, the United Nations, U.S. leadership, and China were released throughout spring 2007, with a final comprehensive report released in May 2007. In addition to a global overview of opinion on key issues, the final report included detailed country-by-country analysis.

Generous support from the Rockefeller Brothers Fund, Ford Foundation, and JEHT Foundation made it possible to extend the Council's 2006 Public Opinion Study to include more partners and to survey additional countries for this collaboration with WorldPublicOpinion.org.

The Chicago Council brings together diverse experts and stakeholders for wide-ranging discussions on global topics of importance to the Midwest and the nation. Resulting reports contribute insights and perspectives from Chicago and the Midwest to the formation of opinion and policies on issues such as immigration, immigrant integration, agriculture policy, and the economic rise of China and India.

In choosing topics for task forces and study groups, the Council is guided by extensive consultations and elaborate planning efforts. The Council works hard to ensure the groups include diverse backgrounds and perspectives. In the end, the findings and recommendations are those of the groups alone – usually in hard-won consensus – not those of The Chicago Council on Global Affairs.

Modernizing America's Farm and Food Policy: Vision for a New Direction



In September 2005, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs convened a Task Force on U.S. agriculture policy. The Task Force was cochaired by Catherine Bertini, former executive director of the UN World Food Program; Robert Thompson, former director of agriculture and rural development at the World Bank; and August Schumacher, former

undersecretary of agriculture for farm and foreign agricultural services. A group of thirty prominent leaders and policy specialists from Chicago, the Midwest, and the nation met on a regular basis for more than a year to discuss recommendations for achieving meaningful, sector-wide reform focused on ensuring the long-term competitiveness and sustainability of U.S. agriculture and food systems.

The Chicago Council released the resulting report, "Modernizing America's Farm and Food Policy: Vision for a New Direction," of findings and recommendations in Washington, D.C. in September 2007, at a special event organized in cooperation with the Institute for International Economics. The Task Force's key recommendations include shifting the focus of support programs from commodity-specific price supports toward market-oriented risk management tools available

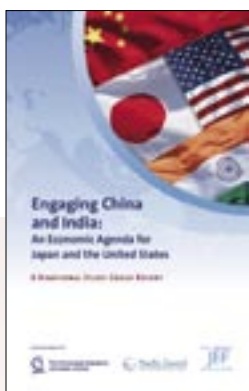


to all producers; developing adequate transition measures and choices for producers; improving the efficiency of conservation programs that enhance water, land, and public resources; and linking the major federal feeding programs to nutrition guidelines.

The report has been well received by government, nongovernmental groups, and the private sector. It is being included in course curricula at Harvard University, New York University, and University of California, Berkeley, and at conferences convened by The University of Chicago Paris Center and the Trilateral Commission.

Generous support from Archer Daniels Midland Company, Kraft Foods Inc., Evans Food Products, The German Marshall Fund of the United States, and the Farm Foundation made the Task Force and its report possible.

Engaging China and India: An Economic Agenda for Japan and the United States



The Chicago Council on Global Affairs, working with the Japan Economic Foundation in Tokyo and the Pacific Council on International Policy in Los Angeles, convened a Binational Study Group in September 2005 to forge a common understanding of how the United States and Japan should respond to the immense challenges – and

enormous opportunities – posed by the economic ascent of China and India. Kenneth W. Dam, former deputy secretary of State and of the Treasury, and Max Pam professor emeritus at The University of Chicago Law School, and Noburu Hatakeyama, chairman and chief executive officer of the Japan Economic Foundation and former vice minister of international affairs for the Ministry of International Trade and Industry, cochaired the Study Group of American and Japanese leaders and experts.

The resulting report, “Engaging China and India: An Economic Agenda for Japan and the United States,” was released in October 2006 and was featured at events in Washington, D.C., Los Angeles, and San Francisco, in addition to Chicago. It argues that the continued economic success of the United States and Japan is closely linked to the sustained growth of China and India.

The report is an important contribution to policy debates underway and recommends a number of steps to support balanced and sustained growth in China and India to enhance their positive impact on the global economy. Key recommendations include reducing global economic imbalances, promoting free trade throughout the Asia-Pacific region, encouraging technological innovation, managing energy competition, and reducing environmental degradation.

Generous support from the Japan Foundation Center for Global Partnership and an anonymous donor made the Study Group and its report possible.

Strengthening America: The Civic and Political Integration of Muslim Americans



In February 2006, The Chicago Council convened an independent Task Force cochaired by Farooq Kathwari, chairman and chief executive officer of Ethan Allen Interiors Inc., and Lynn Martin, former U.S. secretary of labor and congresswoman, and composed of thirty-two distinguished Muslim and non-Muslim leaders. They met to examine

the Muslim American experience and to suggest ways to address the gathering climate of mistrust between Muslim and non-Muslim Americans and to accelerate Muslim American integration in American society.

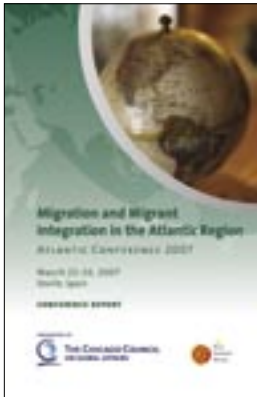
The resulting Task Force report, “Strengthening America: The Civic and Political Integration of Muslim Americans,” was released in June 2007, during a special event at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars in Washington, D.C. The report calls for Muslims and non-Muslims to work together to create full and equal opportunities for Muslim Americans to participate in American civic and political life.

The Task Force concluded that Muslim Americans are a well-educated, diverse group whose talents are needed to help address critical domestic and foreign policy challenges related to homeland security and U.S. relations with Muslim countries and peoples. Key report recommendations include expanding and recognizing Muslim American contributions to national security, improving media coverage and public understanding of Muslim Americans, building stronger Muslim American institutions, and cultivating the next generation of Muslim American leaders. The Task Force also calls for ongoing national attention to Muslim American integration.

Generous support from the Ford Foundation, the Carnegie Corporation of New York, Rockefeller Brothers Fund, The John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation, The Joyce Foundation, Louis Family Foundation, Javeed Akhter, and Imad I. Qasim made the Task Force and its report possible.

International policymakers and analysts discuss global issues of governance, security, and economic development at high-profile Chicago Council conferences, such as the biennial Atlantic Conference and the annual America and the World Conference. The Chicago Council also periodically convenes meetings on current topics or subjects of special interest, such as preventing genocide and immigrant integration. Conference reports are available online at thechicagocouncil.org.

Atlantic Conference



For more than thirty years, the Atlantic Conference has brought together international affairs experts and leaders from North America, Latin America, and Europe to discuss issues of mutual concern and determine how the Atlantic partners can contribute to international peace and security. In recent years, participation has

grown to include Africa and to cover broader global issues such as governance, security, and economic development. Each biennial conference rotates among the continents and focuses on a theme.

The most recent Atlantic Conference, “Migration and Migrant Integration in the Atlantic Region,” took place March 22 – 24, 2007, in Seville, Spain. The Chicago Council partnered with the Real Instituto Elcano de Estudios Internacionales y Estrategicos, one of Spain’s leading think tanks, to organize the conference. Keynote speakers included Jesus Caldera, the Spanish minister of labor and social affairs; Emilio T. Gonzalez, under secretary of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security and director of U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services; and Bernardino León, the Spanish undersecretary of state for foreign affairs.

The Atlantic region is experiencing a surge in international migration, which has doubled since 1975. Healthy economies depend on the movement of people, just as they do the free flow of goods and capital. At the same time, however, the unprecedented combination of the numbers, arrival pace, and diversity of international migrants poses significant social and political challenges for many receiving societies.

Sixty leading policymakers, international experts, corporate executives, and media representatives from twenty countries gathered to discuss regional responses to increasing global migration. Topics discussed ranged from the brain drain experienced by countries that people are leaving to the political opportunities and challenges confronting those accepting migrants.

Participants concurred on the need for development policies to address demographic, economic, and political factors that drive migration; coherent national and global migration policies, regarding integration and migrant rights; and better international cooperation, particularly between sending and receiving countries.

Generous support from the Robert Bosch Stiftung, The Rockefeller Foundation, and the Ford Foundation made the 2007 Atlantic Conference possible.

America and the World Conference

The America and the World Conference brings together foreign policy specialists from think tanks, academics, media, government, nongovernmental organizations, and business from the United States and abroad to discuss key global issues. The McCormick Tribune Foundation cosponsors the America and the World Conference, which is held in Chicago each year. United Airlines and JPMorgan Chase & Co. also participated as cosponsors.

DEMOCRATIZATION: CAN IT MAKE THE WORLD SAFE?

The third annual America and the World Conference, “Democratization: Can It Make the World Safe?” took place in Chicago September 29 – October 1, 2005. Cochaired by Lewis Manilow, former chairman of the



2006 America and the World Conference: “The Rise of China and India: Implications for World Order”

Advisory Commission on Public Diplomacy, and William M. Daley, chairman of the Midwest region for JPMorgan Chase & Co., it provided a forum for substantive debate on democracy, its evolution, its growth, and on the means to spread it across the globe. More than thirty-five participants represented fifteen countries in the discussions.

THE RISE OF CHINA AND INDIA: IMPLICATIONS FOR WORLD ORDER

The fourth annual America and the World Conference, “The Rise of China and India: Implications for World Order,” took place in Chicago October 12 – 14, 2006. It included discussions on topics raised by two Chicago Council reports: the 2006 Public Opinion Study, “The United States and the Rise of China and India,” and the Binational Study, “Engaging China and India: An

Economic Agenda for Japan and the United States.” More than thirty-five individuals from eight countries participated in discussions about the rise of China and India and its impact on the global economy, global security, and the global political order.

Chicago-Birmingham Dialogue

The Chicago Council on Global Affairs and the Centre for Studies in Security and Diplomacy at the University of Birmingham collaborated to examine the integration of British and American Muslims in their broader national communities. The goal of the Dialogue, which took place in Chicago June 4 – 6, 2006, and in Birmingham November 3 – 5, 2006, was to compare Muslim experiences in the two countries and identify ways Muslim and non-Muslim stakeholders can collaborate to increase the engagement of Muslims in the domestic and foreign policy process and thereby reduce alienation and mistrust. Approximately thirty individuals, both Muslim and non-Muslim, drawn equally from the United Kingdom and the United States, participated in each session.

The Responsibility to Protect: A Strategy for Engaging America



In November 2006, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs, R2P Coalition, International Crisis Group, DePaul University’s International Human Rights Law Institute, and Northwestern University School of Law’s Center for International Human Rights, organized the most in-depth discussion of the Responsibility to Protect (R2P) doctrine since the

release of the International Commission on Intervention and State Sovereignty’s report in 2001, when the concept was first articulated.

More than forty individuals participated in the conference, titled “The Responsibility to Protect: A Strategy for Engaging America,” and discussed ways to bring prominence to an issue that, until recently, has been absent from public thinking and the political agenda in the United States.

Leadership Study Missions

Leadership Study Missions are an important part of The Chicago Council's efforts to connect Chicago's civic and philanthropic leaders to the world. Periodically the Council organizes trips for its Board of Directors and leadership supporters. Participating delegates gain perspective on regions of the world that have had or will have significant impact on Chicago's history, growth, and culture. They return with a deeper understanding of the regions' economic, political, and social evolution and their relations with the United States.

Trips of this nature are an important part of The Chicago Council's mission to influence discourse on global issues. Participating delegates contribute ideas from Chicago and the Midwest to discussions that take place abroad. And upon returning, delegates share their experiences and knowledge gained with the Chicago community.

2006 CENTRAL EUROPE

In May 2006, approximately twenty-five Chicago Council Board members and leadership supporters traveled to Central Europe with Chicago Council president Marshall M. Bouton and chairman Lester Crown. Delegates spent time in Germany, Poland, and Ukraine, with visits to Berlin, Krakow, Warsaw, and Kyiv.

In Berlin, the group met with government leaders, corporate executives, and some of Germany's leading journalists and academics. Delegates also dined with former minister of defense of Germany Volker Rühle and U.S. ambassador to Germany William R. Timken.

During a weekend in Krakow, delegates visited several cultural and historical sites, including Auschwitz-Birkenau and the Wieliczka Salt Mines. They also met with noted historian Norman Davies at Jagiellonian University and discussed outlooks on Poland's future with leading Polish university students. In Warsaw, the group met with senior government leaders, received briefings by prominent experts on key trends and issues, engaged in discussions with senior business and civic figures, and dined in the Royal Palace.

Delegates spent the final days of the trip in Kyiv, where the first lady of Ukraine Kateryna Yushchenko hosted a formal dinner, followed the next day by an almost two-hour discussion with President Viktor Yushchenko. Delegates also had the opportunity to visit many of Kyiv's historical and architectural sites and to meet with business and investment leaders in the region.

2007 INDIA

In March 2007, approximately thirty members of The Chicago Council's Board of Directors and leadership supporters traveled to India with Chicago Council president Marshall M. Bouton for an intimate view of the world's largest democracy. Cities visited included Delhi, Dharamsala, Varanasi, Udaipur, Agra, Jaipur, Mumbai, and Bangalore.

In Delhi, the group met with government leaders and corporate executives, including the special envoy of the prime minister of India, members of parliament, and Scott Bayman, chief executive officer of GE India. In-depth briefings focused on the current political environment, economic growth, education systems, and poverty and health.

Twenty-five participants then traveled to Dharamsala and eight visited Udaipur. In Udaipur, delegates learned



how NGOs encourage rural villagers to build autonomous local institutions and empower women through a range of cooperative ventures. In Dharamsala, delegates met in private with His Holiness the Dalai Lama and toured the Tibetan Children's Village program, which educates and fosters about 3,000 students, orphans, and new refugees from China.

In Mumbai and Bangalore, delegates met with NGOs, corporations, and leaders in the emerging tech sector to discuss challenges related to infrastructure developments. The group visited the Infosys campus and GE's Jack Welch Center in Bangalore.

Excursions throughout the trip highlighted India's history, culture, and diversity. Delegates were led by expert guides to discover many of India's historic treasures, including Jama Masjid, a mosque in India commissioned by Mughal emperor Shah Jahan; Humayan's Tomb, a stunning example of 16th Century Mughal architecture; and the National Museum, which boasts some 150,000 pieces covering five millennia.

Neelima Khetan, executive director of Seva Mandir, discusses India's rural development with Council Board member Fred G. Steingraber and Chairman's Circle members Marvin and Elaine Gottlieb.

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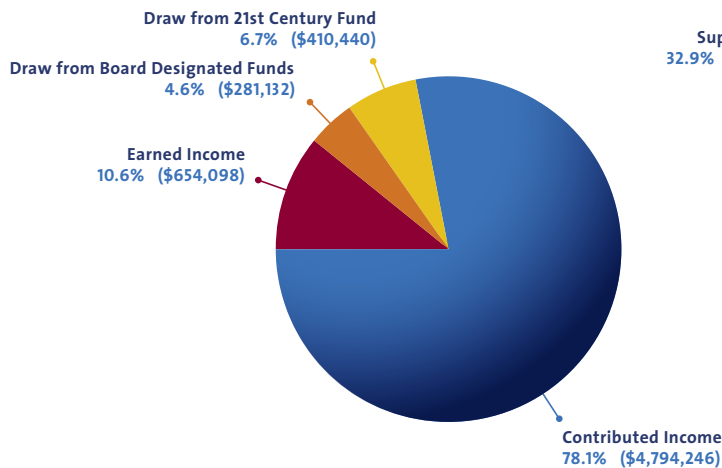
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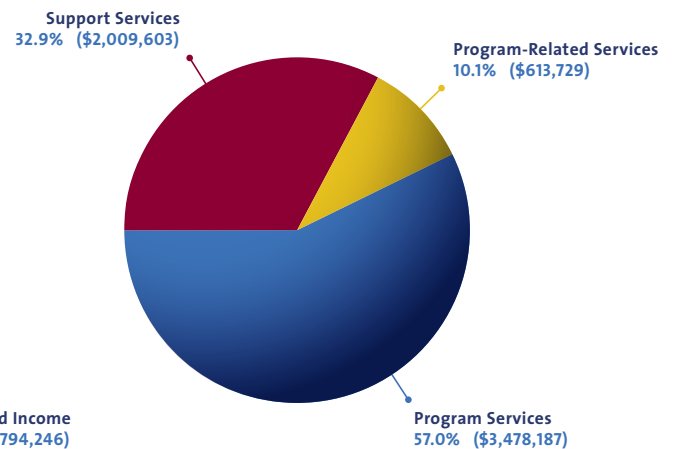
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| ASSETS | UNRESTRICTED | | | TOTAL |
|---|--------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| | OPERATING FUNDS | BOARD DESIGNATED FUNDS | TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 584,841 | \$ 1,277,784 | | \$ 1,862,625 |
| Investments | 115,182 | 5,062,320 | \$ 199,212 | 5,376,714 |
| Accounts receivable | 160,553 | | | 160,553 |
| Pledges receivable | 134,000 | 1,594,698 | 505,250 | 2,233,948 |
| Prepaid expenses | 63,330 | | | 63,330 |
| Property and equipment | 283,638 | | | 283,638 |
| Total Assets | \$1,341,544 | \$7,934,802 | \$ 704,462 | \$9,980,808 |
| LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS | | | | |
| Accounts payable | \$ 267,374 | | | \$ 267,374 |
| Accrued liabilities | 325,229 | | | 325,229 |
| Deferred revenue | 1,111 | | | 1,111 |
| Capital lease obligation | 127,754 | | | 127,754 |
| Interfund balances | 500,862 | \$ (119,946) | \$ (380,916) | |
| Total Liabilities | \$1,222,330 | \$ (119,946) | \$ (380,916) | \$ 721,468 |
| Net Assets | \$ 119,214 | \$8,054,748 | \$1,085,378 | \$9,259,340 |
| Total Liabilities and Net Assets | \$1,341,544 | \$7,934,802 | \$ 704,462 | \$9,980,808 |

OPERATING REVENUES – FY2006



OPERATING EXPENSES – FY2006



STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2006

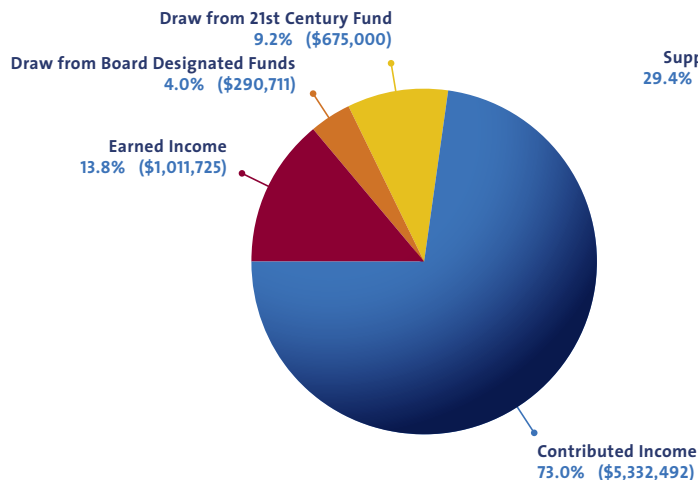
| REVENUES | UNRESTRICTED | | | TOTAL |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| | OPERATING FUNDS | BOARD DESIGNATED FUNDS | TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED | |
| Contributions and grants | \$ 1,354,109 | \$ 2,208,789 | \$ 1,067,750 | \$ 4,630,648 |
| Membership dues | 1,632,401 | | | 1,632,401 |
| Special events | 711,342 | | | 711,342 |
| Earned income | | | | |
| Admission fees | 329,778 | | | 329,778 |
| Travel income | 316,673 | | | 316,673 |
| Investment return | 7,647 | 365,738 | 10,683 | 384,068 |
| Draw from Board Designated Funds | 281,132 | (281,132) | | - |
| Draw from 21st Century Fund | 410,440 | (410,440) | | - |
| Net assets released from restrictions | 1,096,394 | | (1,096,394) | - |
| Total Revenues | \$6,139,916 | \$ 1,882,955 | \$ (17,961) | \$ 8,004,910 |
| EXPENSES | | | | |
| Program Services: | | | | |
| Chicago forum – public programs | \$ 779,880 | | | \$ 779,880 |
| Chicago forum – corporate programs | 875,155 | | | 875,155 |
| Chicago forum – leadership programs | 521,837 | | | 521,837 |
| National discourse – studies | 724,129 | | | 724,129 |
| National discourse – study missions | 456,789 | | | 456,789 |
| National discourse – conferences | 120,397 | | | 120,397 |
| Total Program Services | \$3,478,187 | - | - | \$ 3,478,187 |
| Program-Related Services: | | | | |
| Membership | \$ 181,860 | | | \$ 181,860 |
| Marketing | 431,869 | | | 431,869 |
| Total Program-Related Services | \$ 613,729 | - | - | \$ 613,729 |
| Support Services: | | | | |
| Fundraising | \$ 658,236 | | | \$ 658,236 |
| Special events | 289,115 | | | 289,115 |
| Management and general | 1,062,252 | \$ 29,473 | | 1,091,725 |
| Total Support Services | \$2,009,603 | \$ 29,473 | - | \$ 2,039,076 |
| Total Expenses | \$6,101,519 | \$ 29,473 | - | \$ 6,130,992 |
| Changes in Net Assets | \$ 38,397 | \$ 1,853,482 | \$ (17,961) | \$ 1,873,918 |
| Net Assets, Beginning of Year | \$ 80,817 | \$ 6,201,266 | \$ 1,103,339 | \$ 7,385,422 |
| Net Assets, End of Year | \$ 119,214 | \$ 8,054,748 | \$ 1,085,378 | \$ 9,259,340 |

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

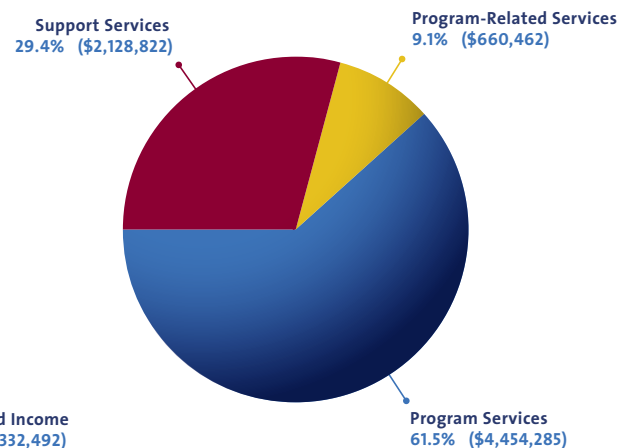
JUNE 30, 2007

| ASSETS | UNRESTRICTED | | | | TOTAL |
|---|--------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| | OPERATING FUNDS | BOARD DESIGNATED FUNDS | TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED | PERMANENTLY RESTRICTED | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 584,522 | \$ 2,866,530 | | | \$ 3,451,052 |
| Investments | | 5,637,660 | | \$ 507,952 | 6,145,612 |
| Accounts receivable | 86,801 | | | | 86,801 |
| Pledges receivable | 125,150 | 2,434,842 | \$ 555,000 | 300,000 | 3,414,992 |
| Prepaid expenses | 64,790 | | | | 64,790 |
| Property and equipment | 313,109 | | | | 313,109 |
| Total Assets | \$1,174,372 | \$10,939,032 | \$ 555,000 | \$807,952 | \$13,476,356 |
| LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS | | | | | |
| Accounts payable | \$ 197,401 | | | | \$ 197,401 |
| Accrued liabilities | 219,769 | | | | 219,769 |
| Deferred revenue | 88,133 | | | | 88,133 |
| Capital lease obligation | 94,368 | | | | 94,368 |
| Interfund balances | 389,128 | \$ 120,790 | \$ (509,918) | | - |
| Total Liabilities | \$ 988,799 | \$ 120,790 | \$ (509,918) | - | \$ 599,671 |
| Net Assets | \$ 185,573 | \$10,818,242 | \$1,064,918 | \$807,952 | \$12,876,685 |
| Total Liabilities and Net Assets | \$1,174,372 | \$10,939,032 | \$ 555,000 | \$807,952 | \$13,476,356 |

OPERATING REVENUES – FY2007



OPERATING EXPENSES – FY2007



STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

| REVENUES | UNRESTRICTED | | | | TOTAL |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| | OPERATING FUNDS | BOARD DESIGNATED FUNDS | TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED | PERMANENTLY RESTRICTED | |
| Contributions and grants | \$ 1,287,338 | \$ 2,709,013 | \$ 1,289,566 | \$ 600,000 | \$ 5,885,917 |
| Membership dues | 1,915,390 | | | | 1,915,390 |
| Special events | 1,010,693 | | | | 1,010,693 |
| Earned income | | | | | - |
| Admission fees | 339,110 | | | | 339,110 |
| Travel income | 656,765 | | | | 656,765 |
| Investment return | 15,850 | 1,035,044 | 19,368 | 27,534 | 1,097,796 |
| Draw from Board Designated Funds | 290,711 | (290,711) | | | - |
| Draw from 21st Century Fund | 675,000 | (675,000) | | | - |
| Net assets released from restrictions | 1,119,071 | | (1,110,814) | (8,257) | - |
| Total Revenues | \$7,309,928 | 2,778,346 | \$ 198,120 | \$619,277 | \$10,905,671 |
| EXPENSES | | | | | |
| Program Services: | | | | | |
| Chicago forum – public programs | \$ 846,658 | | | | \$ 846,658 |
| Chicago forum – corporate programs | 764,706 | | | | 764,706 |
| Chicago forum – leadership programs | 726,512 | | | | 726,512 |
| National discourse – studies | 1,034,922 | | | | 1,034,922 |
| National discourse – study missions | 684,851 | | | | 684,851 |
| National discourse – conferences | 396,636 | | | | 396,636 |
| Total Program Services | \$4,454,285 | - | - | - | \$ 4,454,285 |
| Program-Related Services: | | | | | |
| Membership | 137,675 | | | | 137,675 |
| Marketing | 522,787 | | | | 522,787 |
| Total Program-Related Services | \$ 660,462 | - | - | - | \$ 660,462 |
| Support Services: | | | | | |
| Fundraising | 717,487 | | | | 717,487 |
| Special events | 335,525 | | | | 335,525 |
| Management and general | 1,075,810 | \$ 44,757 | | | 1,120,567 |
| Total Support Services | \$2,128,822 | \$ 44,757 | - | - | \$ 2,173,579 |
| Total Expenses | \$7,243,569 | \$ 44,757 | - | - | \$ 7,288,326 |
| Changes in Net Assets | \$ 66,359 | \$ 2,733,589 | \$ 198,120 | \$619,277 | \$ 3,617,345 |
| Net Assets, Beginning of Year | \$ 119,214 | \$ 8,054,748 | \$1,085,378 | | \$ 9,259,340 |
| Prior Period Adjustment | | \$ 29,905 | \$ (29,905) | | - |
| Reclassification of Net Assets | | | \$ (188,675) | \$188,675 | - |
| Net Assets, End of Year | \$ 185,573 | \$10,818,242 | \$1,064,918 | \$807,952 | \$12,876,685 |

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