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# **DIPLOMACY & DIVERSITY FELLOWSHIP**

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# Welcome Note

## Greetings-

The inaugural program of the Diplomacy and Diversity Fellowship takes place during a time of extraordinary challenge in international and domestic realms. We have constructed this program to explore some of the most important issues facing our societies today, many of which relate to diversity, democracy and pluralism. Our aim is to provide historical and contemporary insights from some of the very best observers and practitioners from both sides of the Atlantic and beyond—leaders in government, foreign policy institutions, business, media and the academy.

The wide range of subjects that we will explore include aspects of international law, transatlantic relations, security and conflict, national sovereignty, the European Union, international development, trade and business, democratic movements, technology and social media, trafficking and slavery, authoritarian states, human rights including those of minorities, and the role of NGOs, pressure groups and a variety of domestic constituencies in the formulation of foreign policy.

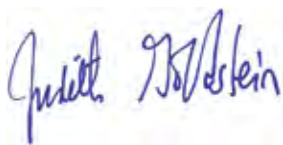
Questions about diversity and pluralism will intersect in these discussions with unusual frequency over the next few weeks. We will explore diversity in a broad sense—diversity of peoples, ideas, values, institutions and practices. We will discuss the formation and practice of foreign policy by a diverse cadre of institutions, groups and individuals and the impact of national and foreign policy on pluralistic societies.

Embarking on this program, Humanity in Action has specific goals: to make our societies more effective and constructive in addressing global issues; to increase the representation of minorities in international fields; to recognize the power and dignity in diversity based upon different cultural and historical perspectives; to appreciate the importance of pluralism as it intersects and sometimes even drives international issues; and to expand perspectives in graduate programs and research communities to include issues of diversity and pluralism in the consideration of international affairs.

We have brought together an exceptional group of 24 American and European graduate students to join us in this collective educational inquiry. We hope that their participation in the Diplomacy and Diversity Fellowship and their future work on these issues will help to bring pluralism to the international tables of discourse and power.

We are very grateful to our many speakers in Washington, Paris and Brussels and to those institutions and individuals hosting us.

With thanks,



**Judith S. Goldstein, Ph.D.**

Founder and Executive Director  
Humanity in Action

# About the Fellowship

Humanity in Action is launching the Diplomacy and Diversity Fellowship, a new transatlantic educational program in Washington, DC and Paris. In this program, a group of 24 American and European graduate student Fellows will engage in an intense and demanding series of high-level seminars, discussions and site visits to explore a wide range of international issues with particular emphasis on democracy, diversity and pluralism.

In the United States and France, the Fellows will meet with experts and practitioners at governmental agencies, international NGOs, universities, think tanks, media outlets and foreign policy organizations. The Council on Foreign Relations will host and organize multiple sessions in Washington focused on building skills, networks and knowledge for foreign policy careers. The 2014 Diplomacy and Diversity Fellowship will take place from May 17 – June 14, 2014 in Washington, DC and Paris. The Fellows will also visit Brussels on June 5, 2014.

## VISION

Foreign policy is no longer the sole domain of national governments and heads of state. CEOs, local governments, journalists, think tanks, NGOs, lobbyists and online activists increasingly play influential roles in international negotiations and initiatives. Foreign policy is also becoming more influenced by national pluralism and the interests of diverse domestic groups. Thus, the Diplomacy and Diversity Fellowship will explore diversity in the broadest sense—diversity of peoples, ideas, values, institutions and practices in international affairs.

Humanity in Action believes that this diversification of players in international affairs and the interests they pursue create the need for leaders from diverse backgrounds who are able to approach global challenges in innovative ways. Humanity in Action seeks to cultivate leadership and knowledge in the Diplomacy and Diversity Fellows—a new group of emerging leaders who have the knowledge, creativity and ability to collaborate across borders and sectors in changing international communities.

The guiding mission of the Diplomacy and Diversity Fellowship is to increase understanding of pluralistic societies, awareness of the importance of diversity in diplomatic and other international fields, and the inclusion of those from minority backgrounds in international affairs.

## APPROACH

In the 2014 Diplomacy and Diversity Fellowship, participants will discuss and research a wide range of subjects including, but not limited to, democracy in a domestic and international perspective; the influence of non-state actors—including business, non-profit organizations and interest groups—in foreign affairs; the nexus of media, technology and human rights; pluralism and diversity policies and initiatives; conflict and national security; the European Union's role in diplomacy; and migration and national identity.

The Fellows will explore these subjects from national, transatlantic and international vantage points while also evaluating the ways in which history impacts contemporary policy. The program's sessions will introduce Fellows to both foreign policy experts and practitioners who will provide conceptual and theoretical perspectives as well as networking opportunities.

## HUMANITY IN ACTION

Humanity in Action is an international organization that educates, inspires and connects a global network of established and emerging leaders committed to promoting human rights, diversity and active citizenship—in their own communities and around the world. Humanity in Action organizes educational and professional programs in Europe and the United States. Humanity in Action's offices are located in Bosnia and Herzegovina, Denmark, France, Germany, the Netherlands, Poland and the United States.

# Fellow Biographies



## AUDREY HSIEH

Georgetown University

Audrey Hsieh is a current graduate student at Georgetown University's security studies program. Previously, she served in the US Army as a Psychological Operations officer. While in the military she deployed to Afghanistan, Iraq and Yemen. Since leaving the uniformed service, she has continued to seek opportunities for public service by interning with the Office of Under Secretary of Defense – Acquisitions, Technology and Logistics and the U.S. Embassy in Beijing. She received her undergraduate degree in international studies with a minor in women and gender studies from The College of New Jersey. In her free time, she enjoys competitive karaoke and running. Audrey grew up in Ramsey, New Jersey.



## AVA MORGENSTERN

University of Michigan

Ava Morgenstern is a doctoral student and Graduate Student Instructor in the Department of Sociology at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. Her research interests include comparative immigration policy and social movements, human rights, and the Americas. She received her BA in sociology from Brandeis University. Ava has lived in New Jersey, Massachusetts, and Michigan, and has also volunteered or researched in California, Peru, and Northern Ireland. Ava is a Humanity in Action Senior Fellow (2008).



## BASTIAAN BOUWMAN

University of Amsterdam

Bastiaan Bouwman recently finished an internship at Justice and Peace Netherlands, an international human rights NGO. He worked on the Shelter City program, through which he supported a threatened Rwandese lawyer and human rights defender, who had been given temporary shelter in The Hague. Previously, Bastiaan was a junior scholar at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, where he conducted research on the Cold War history of nuclear weapons and of human rights. Bastiaan received his research MA in history at the University of Amsterdam, as well as his BA in Philosophy. Bastiaan was born and raised in Amsterdam.



## DAPHNÉ JOSEPH-GABRIEL

EMLYON Business School

A French-Caribbean student, Daphné Joseph-Gabriel was born and raised in the Netherlands. She is currently pursuing a Master's degree in economics, corporate strategy, and corporate social responsibility at EMLYON Business School in Écully, France. Her thesis focuses on conflict minerals (e.g. Coltan) in the digital age, fragile states, and the roles of multinational corporations. She has worked with the European External Action Service in Brussels, the European Urban Development Program in Paris, and the European Space Agency and Aerospace Consultancy in Washington, DC. Recently, she assisted the Trade Department of the U.S Embassy in Paris. She is fluent in English and French.

# Fellow Biographies



## ETIENNE MASHULI

Yale University

Born and raised in Rwanda, Etienne Mashuli has lived in Kenya, Uganda and the Democratic Republic of the Congo. Etienne is an MA student in African studies at Yale University. A life-long advocate for education, he is the co-founder of Ubuntu in Action, an organization that promotes peace through education in the Great Lakes region of Africa. Etienne is a Paul & Daisy Soros Fellow and a Humanity in Action Senior Fellow (2012).



## FABIANA (FABI) PERERA

The George Washington University

Fabiana Perera is a Ph.D. student in the Department of Political Science at The George Washington University. Fabiana is also an Honorary Teaching Fellow and Teaching Coach at The Global Language Network and served on the board of the alumni association of the Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities for six years. Fabiana has an MA in Latin American studies from Georgetown University where she was a fellow in languages and area studies. Fabiana was born in New Jersey and raised in Caracas, Venezuela.



## GISELLE (GIGI) LOPEZ

American University

Giselle Lopez is pursuing a master's degree in international peace and conflict resolution at American University's School of International Service. At American, she serves as President of Creative Peace Initiatives, a graduate student organization, and received the El Hibri Foundation Peace Education Scholarship for her work in promoting awareness of nonviolent struggle in Bahrain. Through her studies and work as a research associate with the Public International Law and Policy Group, Giselle has gained experience working on issues of transitional justice and rule of law issues in Arab states. Giselle received her undergraduate degree in international studies with a focus in human rights and law from the University of Washington. She was born and raised in California and Texas.



## GOLEEN SAMARI

University of California, Los Angeles

Goleen Samari is a Ph.D. candidate in community health sciences at the University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) Fielding School of Public Health. Her dissertation focuses on determinants of women's autonomy over the last 15 years in Egypt and the subsequent impact on fertility. She also holds a master of public health and an MA in Islamic studies from UCLA and completed her undergraduate studies at the University of Texas at Austin. She is a Bixby Doctoral Fellow in Population and a pre-doctoral trainee with the Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development. Recently, she worked with the International Organization on Migration in South Africa. Goleen serves as a National level judge for US Figure Skating. She grew up in Austin, Texas.



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## GRAZYNA BARANOWSKA

Polish Academy of Sciences

Grazyna Baranowska is a researcher in the Poznan Human Rights Centre of the Institute of Legal Studies of the Polish Academy of Sciences, where she also works on her doctorate about enforced disappearances in Europe. She received her MSc in European studies (2009) and Turkish Philology (2011) from the Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznan. Her main fields of research are the universal system of human rights protection, enforced disappearances and human rights in Turkey. Grazyna completed a five-month fellowship program at the Committee on Human Rights and Humanitarian Aid in the German Parliament. Grazyna was born in Poland and raised in Berlin.



## HERVÉ THOMAS

Princeton University

Hervé is pursuing a master's in public affairs at Princeton University's Woodrow Wilson School where he focuses on economics and environmental policy. Previously, he worked for the Joint Multinational Readiness Center in Germany. He spent nearly three years in Afghanistan with USAID, serving as Acting Water Team Leader, Agriculture Development Officer, and Team Lead for the Paktya province. Hervé worked in Iraq with the US State Department, the National Democratic Institute, the International Medical Corps and RTI International. Born in Orange, New Jersey, he grew up in Port-au-Prince, Haiti. He holds a BA (honors) in Arabic and a BA (honors and distinction) in development studies from The Ohio State University. As a Boren Scholar, he studied at The American University in Cairo from 2002-2003. Hervé was also a John Glenn Fellow and is currently one of three inaugural USAID Donald M. Payne International Development Fellows.



## JAKE NELSON

Yale University

Jake Nelson is a Foreign Service Officer with the U.S. Department of State, originally from Williamsburg, Virginia. He recently received his MA in European and Russian studies from Yale University, where he worked as a teaching fellow in the history department and wrote a thesis on François Hollande's counterterrorism rhetoric. Prior to graduate school, he worked at the Department of State as a specialist on European human rights and multilateral diplomacy. He received a BA in music and French and Francophone studies from the College of William & Mary. Jake grew up in Williamsburg, Virginia.



## JASMIN HASIĆ

LUISS Guido Carli University of Rome

Jasmin Hasić is a current Ph.D. candidate focusing on political theory at the Libera Università Internazionale degli Studi Sociali Guido Carli di Roma in Rome. He holds a bachelor's and master's degree in law from the University of Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina. He also holds a BA in European studies and international relations from Masaryk University and a MA in political science from the Central European University in Hungary. He has previously worked as a trainee at the European Parliament in Brussels and as research analyst at the Centre for Security Studies in Sarajevo. His research interests include diaspora studies, transitional justice and constitutional law and comparative political systems. Jasmin is a Humanity in Action Senior Fellow (2009).

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## JESSICA (JESSIE) LANDERMAN

Harvard University

Jessica Landerman is a master in public policy candidate at the Harvard Kennedy School of Government. She is currently the Chair of Campus Climate for the Student Diversity Committee and the Chair of Media Advocacy for the Human Rights Professional Interest Council. Before pursuing graduate school, Jessie worked as a documentary filmmaker and a human rights advocate in Argentina, Nicaragua and the United States. She is passionate about using technology and communications to promote civic and political participation and empowerment, particularly among women and marginalized populations. Jessie was born and raised in Durham, North Carolina, and received her Bachelor's Degree in cultural anthropology from Wesleyan University in Middletown, Connecticut.



## JESSICA (JESS) WAMALA

Villanova University

Jessica Wamala graduated from Villanova University in May with majors in political science, Arab and Islamic studies, and global interdisciplinary studies. She is a Truman Scholar, a Rangel Scholar and a Gates Millennium Scholar. She is now pursuing an MA in political science at Villanova. In the fall, Jessica will read for the MPhil in modern Middle East studies at the University of Oxford as a 2014 Rhodes Scholar. Jessica has interned at the U.S. Embassy in Belgrade and at the State Department office of Near Eastern Affairs. A sophomore walk-on, Jessica was co-captain of Villanova's 2013-2014 Division I varsity basketball team. She has done extensive volunteer work with Philadelphia's homeless. Ultimately, she plans to pursue a career in the Foreign Service. Jessica grew up in Lowell, Massachusetts.



## JOHANNES LUKAS GARTNER

Humboldt University

Johannes Lukas Gartner is a graduate student in law at Humboldt University Berlin and in international relations at Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies. Previously, Johannes worked at the Centro Nacional de Comunicación Social in Mexico City, where he was involved in the preparation, launch and monitoring of a large-scale federal press freedom campaign. He has also worked at the United Nations Development Programme, the European Union Fundamental Rights Agency and multinational law firms in Istanbul and London. Johannes received his undergraduate education in law from King's College, London. Born and raised in Vienna, Austria, he spent a year at the age of 15 as an American Field Service exchange student in the rural countryside of Panama.



## KIA HALL

American University

Kia Hall is a Ph.D. candidate in international relations at American University in Washington, DC with an anticipated graduation date of May 2014. Her research in international development, funded by a Fulbright research grant, took her into the Afro-indigenous Garifuna community of Honduras, where she studied grassroots development. As an extension of this research, Kia launched a fund- and awareness-raising web campaign about the makers of *ereba* (or cassava bread in English) in the Iruya region of Honduras. Previously, she studied computer and information science (M.S., Temple University) and mathematics (B.A., Sarah Lawrence College).



After graduation, Kia plans to continue researching development challenges for marginalized populations and advocating for social justice.



### **KYLE ROHRICH**

Tufts University

Kyle Rohrich is a master's student at the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy at Tufts University focusing on international conflict resolution and public international law. Kyle's interests include diplomatic studies, EU diplomacy, human rights, and the Europe/Eurasia region. Kyle was a Boren Scholar in the Kyrgyz Republic. While studying the Kyrgyz and Russian languages, he volunteered for local LGBT human rights organizations as well as Freedom House. Kyle has also worked at the US State Department and has conducted his own field research assessing the conflict dynamics of the Basque Country in Spain. He received his BA in political science and Spanish from Nebraska Wesleyan University. He speaks Spanish, Kyrgyz, Russian, and French. Kyle was born and raised in Pierce, Nebraska.



### **MICHAEL HAYES**

Columbia University

Michael Hayes is a graduate student pursuing dual degrees at Columbia University and the London School of Economics. Prior to graduate school, he worked as an analyst at the strategy and consulting firm Booz Allen Hamilton. Michael received his undergraduate degree from Clark Atlanta University in speech communication where he was awarded the Graduate Rangel Fellowship. He was born and raised in Antioch, California.



### **MIYA CAIN**

Harvard University

Miya Cain is a first year MPP student at the Harvard Kennedy School. Previously, she worked in Washington, D.C. as a political appointee for the Obama Administration at the Department of Health and Human Services and as a White House Associate in the Office of the Vice President. Miya also worked as a Supply Chain Analyst for Partners in Health in rural Rwanda, where she helped improve the management and distribution of essential medicines and medical supplies. In addition, she worked to improve care for premature babies and streamline services at an HIV clinic for youth. Miya received her Bachelor of Arts in Psychology-Behavioral Neuroscience from Yale University. She was born and raised in Miami, Florida.



### **NAJMA AHMED HUSSEIN**

SciencesPo Toulouse

Najma Ahmed Hussein is a French-Somali student studying for an MPA at Sciences Po Toulouse and an LL.M in public law at the Université Toulouse 1 Capitole. She worked previously as an administrative assistant at the Legislation and Quality of Law Department of the Office of the French Secretary of Government. Prior to that, she interned at the Office of the Prosecutor of the Djibouti Court of First Instance where she worked on a legal assistance project. She also conducted research for the Office of the Prosecutor's legal team, drafting Djibouti's Child Protection Code. Najma was born in Kenya and raised in Germany and France.

# Fellow Biographies



## **SØRINE (SERINE) VESTH RASMUSSEN**

London School of Economics

Born in Denmark, Sørine Vesth Rasmussen has spent nearly half of her life abroad. She holds a bachelor's in psychology and human rights from Kingston University and a MS in politics and conflict studies from the London School of Economics. She has experience working within the political and business realm of grassroots organizations in Denmark, El Salvador, India, the United Kingdom and the United States. Sørine continues to study the subjects of economies during conflict, human trafficking, and minority and women's rights. She currently works as a consultant for the Consortium for Global Talent as well as serving as the Head of Danish Students Abroad. Sørine is a Humanity in Action Senior Fellow (2011) and completed the Lantos-Humanity in Action Fellowship in the US Congress.



## **TERROL GRAHAM**

Yale University

Terrol immigrated to Florida from Jamaica in 2002. He graduated from Wake Forest University in 2011. Terrol is now a graduate student at the Yale School of Public Health with a focus on health policy administration and global health. In his first year, he was a Yale World Fellows graduate student affiliate for the World Health Organization's team leader on tuberculosis in China. He has worked on health initiatives in Jamaica with the United Nations Development Programme and the Harvard School of Public Health. In 2012 and 2013, he studied at the University of Copenhagen Centre for African Studies as a Rotary Ambassadorial scholar.



## **TSIONE WOLDE-MICHAEL**

Harvard University

Tsione Wolde-Michael is a Ph.D. candidate in history at Harvard University with a secondary field concentration in African and African American studies. Her academic interests have intersected with public history and policy to highlight the histories of marginalized groups and provide critical policy recommendations on issues ranging from economic diplomacy in east Africa to gender and security in Eastern Europe. She has won fellowships and awards for her research from the Ford Foundation, the Woodrow Wilson Foundation, and the US Department of Education among others. Her professional experience includes working in curatorial at the Smithsonian's National Museum of African American History and Culture, and conducting policy analysis at the Ethiopian Ministry of Foreign Affairs. She holds a B.A. in women and gender studies from Macalester College where she was a Mellon-Mays Undergraduate Fellow. Tsione grew up in Saint Paul, Minnesota. She is a Humanity in Action Senior Fellow (2008).



## **WENDELL ADJETY**

Yale University

An apprenticing historian, Wendell Adjety is a second-year Ph.D. student at Yale University. His doctoral research examines inter-and post-war civil rights agitation and industrial relations in North America. An entrepreneur with a penchant for social justice and human rights, Wendell has several years of diverse work experience from youth gang intervention to education and health policy. Wendell earned undergraduate and graduate degrees from the University of Toronto. Born in Accra, Ghana, he spent most of his life in Montréal and Toronto.

# Program Schedule

*Note: Humanity in Action kindly asks guests of the program to check in with a staff member ahead of attending a session of the program as locations and times may change. In Washington, please contact Anthony Chase, Program Coordinator, at +1 269 870 6127 or Kat Trujillo, Program Intern, at +1 323 337 6408. In Paris, please contact Chloé Choquier, Program Coordinator, at +33 6 23 04 06 60.*

## >> SATURDAY, MAY 17

*Location: The Melrose Georgetown Hotel (2430 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW)*  
Fellows arrive in Washington, DC

*Location: Dukem Restaurant (1114 - 1118 U Street)*  
19:00                      Group dinner

## >> SUNDAY, MAY 18

*Location: Smithsonian National Museum of American History (14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW)*  
10:00 – 12:00      **Tour and discussion of exhibition “Changing America: The Emancipation Proclamation, 1863, and the March on Washington, 1963.”**

*Location: Home of Judy and Stanley Hallet*  
13:00                      Lunch, introductions and group discussion

## >> MONDAY, MAY 19: INTRODUCTION TO DIPLOMACY AND DIVERSITY

*Location: The Center for Transatlantic Relations, Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies (1717 Massachusetts Avenue, NW; Room 500)*

9:30 – 10:00      **“Remarks on Humanity in Action and the Diplomacy and Diversity Fellowship”**  
Judith S. Goldstein (Founder and Executive Director, Humanity in Action)

10:00 – 11:30      **“Citizenship, Immigration and Pluralism in the United States”**  
Tamar Jacoby (President and CEO, ImmigrationWorks USA)

11:30 – 12:00      Break

12:00 – 13:00      Group discussion

13:00 – 14:00      Lunch

14:00 – 15:30      **“Diversity Matters in International Affairs”**  
Vishakha Desai (Special Advisor for Global Affairs to the President and Professor of Practice at the School of International and Public Affairs, Columbia University; President Emerita, Asia Society)  
Joan Shigekawa (Acting Chairman, National Endowment for the Arts)

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*Location: German Marshall Fund of the United States (1744 R Street NW; Conference Room)*

16:30 – 18:00     **Tea and discussion on the German Marshall Fund's initiatives on diversity and inclusion in international affairs**

Lora Berg (Senior Foreign Service Officer, U.S. Department of State; Senior Fellow, Leadership, Diversity and Inclusion Initiative, German Marshall Fund of the United States)

Megan Doherty (Transatlantic Fellow, German Marshall Fund of the United States)

Maia Comeau (Director, Richard G. Lugar Institute for Diplomacy and Congress, German Marshall Fund of the United States)

*Location: Eatonville Restaurant (2121 14th Street, NW)*

19:30                Group dinner

## >> **TUESDAY, MAY 20: DEMOCRACY IN A DOMESTIC AND INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVE**

*Location: Council on Foreign Relations (1777 F Street, NW)*

9:30 – 11:00     **“Democratization and Youth Politicization in North African States”**

Audra K. Grant (Adjunct Faculty, RAND Corporation; Professorial Lecturer, Elliott School of International Affairs, The George Washington University)

Presider: Nancy Walker (President, AfricaNet Consulting)

11:00 – 12:30     **“U.S. Engagement in Africa”**

William Ward (Retired U.S. Army General)

Presider: Joshua Marks (Conflict Adviser, U.S. Department of State)

12:30 – 13:00     Lunch

*Location: National Endowment for Democracy (1025 F Street, NW, Suite 800)*

13:45 – 14:45     **“America and Democracy in a Changed World”**

Carl Gershman (President, National Endowment for Democracy)

*Location: Residence of the Ambassador of the Netherlands to the United States (2347 S Street, NW)*

18:30 – 20:00     **Reception hosted by Ambassador Rudolf Bekink**

## >> **WEDNESDAY, MAY 21: INFLUENCE OF NON-STATE ACTORS IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS**

*Location: The Center for Transatlantic Relations, Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies (1717 Massachusetts Avenue, NW; Room 500)*

9:15 – 10:15     **“The Importance of Promoting Innovation and Entrepreneurship in Public-Private Development Projects in Emerging Markets such as Haiti and the Caribbean”**

Cleve Mesidor (Global Solutions Consultant, The Raben Group)

10:15 – 10:30     Break

10:30 – 11:15     **“The Current State of the Arab-Israeli Peace Process”**

Ralph Nurnberger (Principal, Gray Global Advisors; Professor, Georgetown University)

11:15 – 11:30     Break

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- 11:30 – 12:30     **“The International Impact of Citizenship Journalism”**  
James Kirchick (Fellow, the Foreign Policy Initiative; Correspondent, *The Daily Beast*)
- 12:30 – 14:00     Lunch
- 14:00 – 15:30     **“The Tradition of American Philanthropy in International Affairs and Development”**  
Olivier Zunz (Commonwealth Professor, University of Virginia)
- 15:30 – 15:45     Break
- 15:45 – 16:45     **“The Challenges and Opportunities of the Expansion of American Higher Education Abroad”**  
Stephen Trachtenberg (President Emeritus, The George Washington University)
- 16:45 – 17:00     Break
- 17:00 – 18:00     **“The Influence of Sports in Geopolitics”**  
Franklin Foer (Editor, *The New Republic*)

*Location: Council on Foreign Relations (1777 F Street, NW)*

- 18:30 – 20:00     **Dinner with Term Members of the Council on Foreign Relations**

## >> THURSDAY, MAY 22: FORMATION OF FOREIGN POLICY

*Location: Council on Foreign Relations (1777 F Street, NW)*

- 9:30 – 11:00     **“Perspectives on the Foreign Policy Process”**  
Christopher Tuttle (Washington Program Director, Council on Foreign Relations)  
Heidi Crebo-Rediker (Senior Fellow, Council on Foreign Relations)  
James Lindsay (Senior Vice President, Director of Studies, Council on Foreign Relations)

*Location: Howard University (Carnegie Building; 2395 6th Street NW; Conference Room A)*

- 12:15 – 13:15     **“Perspectives on Diversity and Diplomatic Engagement in Latin America”**  
Ambassador Lino Gutierrez (Former Ambassador to Argentina, U.S. Department of State; CEO, Gutiérrez Global LLC; Executive Director, Una Chapman Cox Foundation)
- 13:15 – 14:00     Lunch
- 14:00 – 15:00     **“Representing Diverse Nations and Interests in International Financial Negotiations”**  
Ian Davidoff (Alternate Executive Director on Asia and the Pacific, International Monetary Fund)
- 15:00 – 15:15     Break
- 15:15 – 16:15     **“Iranian-American Relations and the Burden of History”**  
Barbara Slavin (Nonresident Senior Fellow, the Atlantic Council)
- 16:15 – 16:30     Break
- 16:30 – 17:30     Group discussion

*Location: Local 16 (1602 U Street NW)*

- 18:30 – 20:00     **Happy hour** with the Diplomacy and Diversity Fellows, the Lantos-Humanity in Action Congressional Fellows, Humanity in Action Senior Fellows, the Charles B. Rangel International Affairs Fellows, the Donald M. Payne International Development Fellows and alumni of the International Career Advancement Program (ICAP)



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## >> FRIDAY, MAY 23: PERSPECTIVES ON THE PROTECTION OF MINORITIES

*Location: The World Bank (1818 H Street, NW)*

10:30 – 11:30      **“Towards a More Inclusive Development Agenda: Sexual Minorities and International Development”**  
Fabrice Houdart (Senior Country Officer, World Bank; President, GLOBE, World Bank)

*Location: Council on Foreign Relations (1777 F Street, NW)*

12:00 – 13:30      **Council on Foreign Relations Member Meeting and Lunch: “Tech Futurists”**  
Michael Rogers (Founder, Practical Futurist)  
Joel Garreau (Principal, The Garreau Group)

*Location: Howard University (Carnegie Building; 2395 6th Street NW; Conference Room A)*

14:30 – 15:30      **“Ethnic Conflict in the Former Soviet Union and post-Cold War Europe”**  
Ambassador Rudolf Perina (Former Ambassador to Moldova, U.S. Department of State)

15:30 – 16:30      **Group discussion** on master narratives led by Shoshana Iliaich (Senior Consultant, Monitor 360; Humanity in Action Senior Fellow)

16:30 – 17:30      **“From Research to Action: Strategies for the Prevention of Genocide and Crimes against Humanity”**  
Mark Quarterman (Director of Research and Programs, The Enough Project)

*Location: ENO Wine Bar Georgetown (2810 Pennsylvania Ave, NW)*

19:00              Cocktail reception hosted by Annette Heuser and the Bertelsmann Foundation

## >> SATURDAY, MAY 24

Open day in Washington

## >> SUNDAY, MAY 25

Morning: Group trip to Great Falls National Park

Evening: Memorial Day Concert on the National Mall

## >> MONDAY, MAY 26: MEMORIAL DAY

*Location: Sixth & I Historic Synagogue (600 I Street, NW; Multi-Purpose Room)*

13:00 – 14:15      **“Mentorship and Careers in Foreign Affairs”**  
Cynthia R. Bunton (President, CRBi LLC)

14:15 – 14:30      Break

14:30 – 15:30      **“French Perspectives on American Society and Pluralism”**  
Sophie Coignard (Journalist, *Le Point*)

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15:30 - 15:45	Break
15:45 - 17:00	<b>"Our Bondage, Our Freedom: The Long History of Slavery and Abolition"</b> Timothy McCarthy (Program Director, Carr Center for Human Rights Policy at the Harvard Kennedy School of Government)
17:00 - 18:00	Group discussion

## >> TUESDAY, MAY 27: INCLUSION AND EXCLUSION IN PLURALISTIC SOCIETIES

*Location: The Center for Transatlantic Relations, Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies (1717 Massachusetts Avenue, NW; Room 500)*

9:30 - 10:30	<b>"Freeing Prisoners of Conscience in the 21st Century"</b> Jared Genser (Founder, Freedom Now; Managing Director of Perseus Strategies, LLC)
10:30 - 11:00	Break
11:00 - 12:30	<b>"The Dialectics of Compassion: The Continuing Struggle for Inclusion in Democratic Societies"</b> Andrei Markovits (Arthur F. Thurnau Professor and the Karl W. Deutsch Collegiate Professor, University of Michigan)
12:30 - 13:00	Lunch
13:00 - 14:00	<b>"From Slavery to Freedom: Lessons from the Field"</b> Maurice Middleberg (Executive Director, Free the Slaves)

*Location: Council on Foreign Relations (1777 F Street, NW)*

14:45 - 16:00	<b>"Perspectives on NATO and the Ukraine"</b> Charles Kupchan (Whitney Shepardson Senior Fellow, Council on Foreign Relations) Jeffrey Mankoff (Deputy Director and Fellow, Russia and Eurasia Program, Center for Strategic and International Studies)
16:00 - 17:30	<b>Workshop on Op-ed Writing</b> Anya Schmemmann (Assistant Dean, School of International Service, American University)
18:00 - 19:30	<b>Reception at the Council on Foreign Relations</b> 2014 Diplomacy and Diversity Fellows, 2014 American Fellows in the Humanity in Action Fellowship and members of the communities of Humanity in Action and the Council on Foreign Relations

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## >> WEDNESDAY, MAY 28: TRANSNATIONAL STRATEGIES FOR PEACE AND CONFLICT

*Location: The Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe – The Helsinki Commission (234 Ford House Office Building; Conference room H2-236)*

- 10:00 – 11:15      **“Private-public Partnerships in Counterterrorism”**  
Julianne Smith (Former Deputy National Security Advisor to the Vice President of the United States; Senior Vice President, Beacon Global Strategies)
- 11:15 – 11:30      Break
- 11:30 – 12:00      **Update on the Situation in Ukraine**  
Orest Deychakiwsky (Policy Advisor, Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe/Helsinki Commission)
- 12:00 – 12:15      Break
- 12:15 – 13:00      **Lunch discussion: “Security and Anti Discrimination in Europe: The Work of the Helsinki Commission”**  
Mischa Thompson (Policy Advisor, Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe/Helsinki Commission)
- 13:00 – 14:00      Group discussion

*Location: United States Holocaust Memorial Museum (100 Raoul Wallenberg Place SW)*

- 15:30 – 17:00      **“U.S. Grand Strategy for the Next Generation”**  
Hans Binnendijk (Senior Fellow, Center for Transatlantic Relations, Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies; Chair of the International Board, Humanity in Action)

## >> THURSDAY, MAY 29: TECHNOLOGY, HUMAN RIGHTS AND DIPLOMACY

*Location: Council on Foreign Relations (1777 F Street, NW)*

- 9:30 – 11:00      **“Turkey, the United States and European Union”**  
Steven A. Cook (Hasib J. Sabbagh Senior Fellow for Middle Eastern Studies, Council on Foreign Relations)
- 11:00 – 12:00      **Discussion on Latin America**  
Julia Sweig (Senior Fellow and Director, Latin America Studies, Council on Foreign Relations)

*Location: Howard University (Carnegie Building; 2395 6th Street NW; Conference Room A)*

- 13:00 – 14:00      **“The Impact of International Treaties and Initiatives on the Health Rights of Minority Groups in the Americas”**  
Javier Vasquez (Human Rights Advisor, Pan-American Health Organization, regional office of World Health Organization)
- 14:00 – 14:15      Break
- 14:15 – 15:45      **“The Role of Technology and Innovation in Government and International Affairs”**  
Alec Ross (Former Senior Advisor for Innovation to the Secretary of State, United States Department of State)
- 15:45 – 16:00      Break

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16:00 – 17:00	<b>“The Nexus of Technology and Human Rights in the Digital Age”</b> David Sullivan (Policy and Communications Director, Global Network Initiative; Humanity in Action Senior Fellow)
17:00 – 17:15	Break
17:15 – 18:30	<b>“Perspectives on Transatlantic Relations, Russia and the Crisis in Ukraine”</b> Ambassador Björn Lyrvall (Ambassador of Sweden to the United States)
Evening	Presentations of Fellows’ intentions for research articles

## >> FRIDAY, MAY 30: INTEREST GROUPS IN DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN AFFAIRS

*Location: United States House of Representatives (730 12th Street NW)*

9:30 – 10:30	<b>“A Discussion with Congresswoman Napolitano on Her Time in Congress”</b> Congresswoman Grace Napolitano (U.S. Representative for California’s 32nd congressional district)
10:30 – 10:45	Break
10:45 – 11:45	<b>“Domestic and International Lobbying on Business Policy”</b> Carmencita N. Whonder (Policy Director, Brownstein Hyatt Farber Schreck, LLP; Founder, Of Whonder; Member of the Board, Humanity in Action)
11:45 – 12:00	Break
12:00 – 13:00	<b>“Pluralism, Conservatism, and Where the West is Headed”</b> Andrew Quinn (Research Assistant, American Enterprise Institute)
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 15:30	<b>Tour of the House of Representatives</b> Corinne Cath and Ryan Gayman (Humanity in Action Senior Fellows)

*Location: Public Citizen (215 Pennsylvania Avenue SE)*

16:30 – 17:30	<b>“International Trade Negotiations and Domestic Labor Unions”</b> Lori Wallach (Director, Public Citizen’s Global Trade Watch)
17:30 – 18:30	Group discussion

*Location: Mellow Mushroom (2436 18th Street NW)*

19:30	Group dinner
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## >> SATURDAY, MAY 31

Free morning  
Check out

Departure from Washington to Paris at 21:30.

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## >> SUNDAY, JUNE 1

Fellows arrive in Paris, France

*Location: Apartment of Amaya Bloch-Lainé*

18:00 – 21:00 Cocktails and dinner with the Humanity in Action community in Paris

## >> MONDAY, JUNE 2: NEW AND NON-TRADITIONAL ACTORS IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

*Location: Maison des Ingénieurs (15 rue Cortambert, 75116 Paris)*

9:00 – 10:00 Group discussion

10:00 – 11:30 **“Civil Society and Track II Diplomacy: Case Studies on the Impact of Non-governmental Organizations on International Negotiations”**

Charles Tenenbaum (Associate Professor of Political Science, Sciences Po Lille; Lecturer in International Mediation, Sciences Po Paris.)

11:30 – 11:45 Break

11:45 – 13:00 **“Overseas Voting among Arab Migrants in the European Union”**

Thibaut Jaulin (Professor, Sciences Po Centre d'Etudes et de Recherches Internationales)

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:00 **“Role of Multinational Corporations in International Affairs”**

Jacques Beltran (Head of Business Development and Sales, Alstom)

15:00 – 15:15 Break

15:15 – 16:15 **“Qatar’s Diplomatic Agenda: Micro-State, Macro-Strategy”**

Olivier Da Lage (Journalist, Radio France Internationale)

## >> TUESDAY, JUNE 3: MEDIA GROUPS AND FOREIGN POLICY

*Location: Maison des Ingénieurs (15 rue Cortambert, 75116 Paris)*

9:00 – 10:30 **“Journalism, Citizens and Political Power”**

Christine Ockrent (Journalist, France Culture)  
Alain Frachon (Editorial Director, *Le Monde*)

10:30 – 10:45 Break

10:45 – 12:00 **“Media and Diversity in France”**

Ahmed El Keiy (Head of News, France 24 - on leave; Senior Strategic Communications Consultant, Glover Park Group)

12:00 – 13:00 Group discussion

13:00 Lunch



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*Location: Agence France-Presse (11 Place de la Bourse, 75002 Paris)*

14:30 – 16:00     **“State Influence through Press Agencies and e-diplomacy”**  
Emmanuel Marcovitch (Deputy Director, Agence France-Presse)  
Philippe Onillon (Deputy Director for News, Agence France Presse)

*Location: UNESCO (125 Avenue de Suffren, 75015 Paris)*

18:30 – 20:00     **“Learning from the Past: The U.S. Coalition of Cities Against Racism”**  
William Bell (Mayor of Birmingham, Alabama; American Coalition of Cities Against Racism)

## >> WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4: INFLUENCE OF EUROPEAN INSTITUTIONS IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

*Location: French Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Centre d'analyse de Prévision et de Stratégie (1 rue Robert Esnault-Pelterie, 75007 Paris)*

9:30 – 10:15     **“The European Union as a Foreign Policy Actor: Institutions and Challenges”**  
Bertrand Buchwalter (Analyst, Centre d'analyse de Prévision et de Stratégie, French Ministry of Foreign Affairs)

10:15 – 11:00     **“The European Union, the United States and the Transatlantic Trade Investment Partnership: Defining the World of Tomorrow?”**  
Celia Belin (Special Adviser, Centre d'analyse de Prévision et de Stratégie, French Ministry of Foreign Affairs)

11:00 – 11:45     **“Where the European Union Stands in its Relations with Africa: French Interventions in Mali and Central African Republic”**  
Representative of the Centre d'analyse de Prévision et de Stratégie, French Ministry of Foreign Affairs

11:45 – 12:30     **“Moving toward Multilateralism: The Evolution of Transatlantic Diplomatic Relations since the Obama Administration”**  
David Cvach (Deputy Director, Centre d'analyse de Prévision et de Stratégie, French Ministry of Foreign Affairs)

12:30             Lunch

*Location: European Union Institute of Security Studies (100 avenue de Suffren)*

15:00 – 15:15     **Welcome coffee, Presentation of the Institute and overview of its work**  
Philip Worré (Documentation and Research Officer, European Union Institute for Security Studies)

15:15 – 16:00     **“Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP)”**  
Eva Gross (Senior Analyst, European Union Institute for Security Studies)

16:00 – 16:45     **“European Union-United Nations Relations”**  
Thierry Tardy (Senior Analyst, European Union Institute for Security Studies)

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## >> THURSDAY, JUNE 5: VISIT TO BRUSSELS: THE EUROPEAN UNION

*Travel to Brussels:*

Meeting in the hotel lobby: 6:00 (am)

Train 9409 from Paris Gare du Nord to Bruxelles Midi

Departure time: 7:25; arrival time: 8:47

*Location: German Marshall Fund of the United States (Rue de la Loi 155, Brussels)*

- 10:00 – 11:00     **“Central and Eastern European Members States in EU Foreign Policy”**  
Ivo Vajgl (Slovenian Member of European Parliament)  
Tomasz Orłowski (Head of the Foreign Policy and External Action Section, Permanent Representation of Poland to the European Union)  
Michael Leigh (Consultant and Senior Advisor, German Marshall Fund of the United States)
- 11:00 – 11:15     Break
- 11:15 – 12:15     **“Why Statehood Matters: Kosovo’s Diplomacy in Brussels”**  
Mimoza Ahmetaj (Ambassador in Brussels, Republic of Kosovo)
- 12:15 – 13:00     **Lunch session: “Transatlantic Perspectives on Peacekeeping and Peacebuilding”**  
Fernando Andresen Guimarães (Head of Division for U.S. and Canada, European External Action Service)
- 13:15 – 14:15     **“Influencing Europe: Lobbies and Advocacy in European Policy-making”**  
Frank Schwalba-Hoth (Consultant and networker; former Member of the European Parliament)

*Location: European External Action Service (Rond Point Schuman 9, Brussels)*

- 15:00 – 16:30     **“Multiculturalism and Religion in European Union foreign policy”**  
Merete Bilde (Policy Advisor, European External Action Service)  
Jean-Bernard Bolvin (Policy Officer Middle-East on Freedom of religion and belief and Intercultural Dialogue, Human Rights and Multilateral Diplomacy Unit, European External Action Service)

*Location: The European Parliament’s Visitor’s Centre (Rue Wiertz 60, Brussels)*

- 17:00 – 18:00     **Group Visit to the “Parliamentarium”**

*Location: Aloft Brussels (Place Jean Rey 3, Brussels)*

- 18:15 – 19:45     **Happy Hour with Brussels-based Humanity in Action Senior Fellows**

*Travel to Paris:*

Meeting point in front of the bar: 19:45

Train 9388 from Bruxelles Midi to Paris Gare du Nord

Departure time: 21:13; arrival time : 22:35

## >> FRIDAY, JUNE 6: DIVERSITY POLICIES AND INITIATIVES

*Location: Maison des Ingénieurs (15 rue Cortambert, 75116 Paris)*

- 10:00 – 11:30     **“The Power of Diversity”**  
Scott E. Page (Collegiate Professor of Complex Systems, Political Science and Economics, University of Michigan)
- 11:30 – 11:45     Break
- 11:45 – 13:00     **“Security Sector Reform (SSR): Diversity in the Armed Forces”**  
El Yamine Settoul (Professor, Sciences Po)

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13:15 **Lunch session: “National and European Diversity: Integration Policies”**  
Thomas Huddleston (Policy Analyst, Migration Policy Group; Humanity in Action Senior Fellow)

14:30 – 15:30 **“Preventing and Responding to Hate Crime”**  
Larry Olomofe (Advisor for Combating Racism and Xenophobia/Training Co-ordinator, Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights (OSCE, ODIHR))

15:30 – 15:45 Break

15:45 – 17:00 Group discussion

*Location: Café A (148 Rue du Faubourg Saint-Martin, 75010 Paris)*

18:30 **Happy Hour with Paris-based Humanity in Action Senior Fellows**

## >> SATURDAY, JUNE 7

*Location: Musée du Quai Branly (37 Quai Branly, 75007 Paris)*

9:30 – 11:30 **Visit to the Quai Branly Museum**

*Location: Institut du Monde Arabe (1 Rue des Fossés Saint-Bernard, 75005 Paris)*

14:00 – 15:30 **Optional: Visit to the Arab World Institute’s exhibition “Hajj - the Pilgrimage to Mecca”**

*Location: Cité de la Musique (221 Avenue Jean Jaurès, 75019 Paris)*

14:00 – 15:30 **Optional: Visit to the exhibition “Great Black Music”**

*Location: Cinema l’Arlequin (76 rue de Rennes, 75006 Paris)*

19:00 **Nollywood Film Festival: film screening of Half of a Yellow Sun (2013; Biyi Bandele)**  
Introduction by Shari Hammond (Co-founder, Nollywood Week Paris)

## >> SUNDAY, JUNE 8

*Location: Marina Arsenal facing 50 Boulevard de Bastille*

9:30 – 12:00 **Cruise of Old Paris on Saint Martin Canal from the Paris Arsenal Marina to the Parc de la Villette.**

*Location: Barbès Rochechouart - meeting in front of Le Louxor (170 boulevard de Magenta, 75010 Paris)*

15:45 – 17:30 **Walking tour: Immigration and Parisian diversity in the Goutte d’Or**

*Location: Restaurant Pooja (91 Passage Brady, 75010 Paris)*

19:30 Group dinner

## >> MONDAY, JUNE 9 (BANK HOLIDAY)

*Location: Mémorial de la Shoah (17 Rue Geoffroy l’Asnier, 75004 Paris)*

13:30 – 15:00 **Visit to the Mémorial de la Shoah**

15:00 – 16:00 **Discussion with Jacques Fredj (Director, Memorial de la Shoah)**

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## >> TUESDAY, JUNE 10: TRANSNATIONAL STRATEGIES FOR PEACE AND SECURITY

*Location: Maison des Ingénieurs (15 rue Cortambert, 75116 Paris)*

- 9:00 – 10:30      **“Multilateral Cooperation, Border Security and Terrorism”**  
Ronald Noble (Secretary General, Interpol)
- 10:30 – 10:45      Break
- 10:45 – 12:15      **“The Dynamics of Religious Groups and Political Change in the Modern Middle East”**  
Ardavan Amir-Aslani (Lawyer, Ngo Cohen Amir-Aslani & Associés)
- 12:15 – 12:30      Break
- 12:30 – 13:45      **Lunch session: “Training European ‘Jihadists’ in Syria”**  
Peter Neumann (Professor of Security Studies, King’s College London; Director and Founder, International Centre for the Study of Radicalization)
- 13:45 – 14:00      Break
- 14:00 – 15:15      **“Perspectives on the Crisis in Ukraine”**  
Kadri Liik (Senior Policy Fellow, European Council on Foreign Relations)
- 15:15 – 15:30      Break
- 15:30 – 16:45      **“What’s Left of Western Influence in Middle East Conflicts?”**  
Daniel Levy (Director of Middle East and North Africa Programme, European Council on Foreign Relations)
- 16:45 – 17:00      Break
- 17:00 – 18:30      **“Perspectives on the Syrian Conflict”**  
Éric Chevallier (French Ambassador for Syria)

## >> WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11: NEW TECHNOLOGIES AND THE SOCIAL GOOD

*Location: TheFamily - Startup Incubator (25 rue du petit musc, 75011 Paris)*

- 9:00 – 10:30      **“The Data-Driven Economy and its New Geopolitical Balance”**  
Nicolas Colin, (Co-Founder and Partner of TheFamily)
- 10:30 – 10:45      Break
- 10:45 – 12:00      **“The United States National Security Agency: Privacy and Transatlantic Trust”**  
Frédéric Douzet (Professor, Institut Français de Géopolitique)
- 12:00 – 12:15      Break
- 12:15 – 13:15      **“The Power of Intermediation and the Geopolitical Challenge”**  
Stéphane Grumbach (Senior Scientist, French Institute for Research in Computer Science and Automation)
- 13:15 – 14:15      Lunch
- 14:30 – 15:30      **Discussion on French Tech**
- 15:30 – 15:45      Break

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15:45 – 17:15	<b>“Success Story: When Business Meets Values and Diversity”</b> Duc Ha Duong (Founder and CEO, Officience)
17:15 – 17:30	Break
17:30 – 18:30	Group discussion

## >> THURSDAY, JUNE 12: MIGRATION IN EUROPE

*Location: Maison des Ingénieurs (15 rue Cortambert, 75116 Paris)*

9:00 – 10:30	<b>“History of Migration Waves in Europe”</b> Catherine Wihtol De Wenden (Senior Research Fellow, French National Center for Scientific Research)
10:30 – 10:45	Break
10:45 – 12:00	<b>“Roma Issues in Europe”</b> Olivier Peyroux (Sociologist, specializing in Roma communities)
12:00 – 13:00	<b>“Refugees in Europe: Current Trends and Challenges”</b> Helène Soupios-David (Project Officer, European Council on Refugees and Exiles; Humanity in Action Senior Fellow)
13:00 – 14:15	Lunch
14:30 – 15:30	<b>“Citizenship and Diversity Issues in Comparative Perspective”</b> Patrick Weil (Historian; Senior Research Fellow, French National Center for Scientific Research, University of Paris 1 Pantheon-Sorbonne; Visiting Professor of Law, Yale Law School; President, Bibliothèques Sans Frontières/Libraries Without Borders)
15:30 – 15:45	Break
15:45 – 17:00	<b>“Egypt at a Crossroads”</b> Florence Gaub (Senior Analyst, European Union Institute for Security Studies)
17:00 – 18:00	Fellows prepare for article presentations

*Location: Restaurant Hotel du Nord (102 Quai de Jemmapes, 75010 Paris)*

20:00	Group dinner
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## >> FRIDAY, JUNE 13: CONCLUSION OF PROGRAM

*Location: Maison des Ingénieurs (15 rue Cortambert, 75116 Paris)*

9:00 – 11:30      **Presentations of articles by the Fellows**

11:30 – 11:45      Break

11:45 – 12:45      **“Transatlantic Perspectives on Iran, Saudi Arabia and Israel: Future Trends”**  
Bruno Tertrais (Senior Research Fellow, Fondation pour la Recherche Stratégique)

13:00 – 13:45      Lunch

14:00 – 15:00      **“Unity in Diversity: Migrations and Pluralism in the European Union”**  
Rainer Münz (Head of Research & Knowledge Center, Erste Group; Non-Resident Fellow, Migration Policy Institute)

15:00 – 15:30      Break

15:30 – 16:30      **“Perspectives on the Developing World”**  
Pascal Lamy (Former Director, World Trade Organization)

16:30 – 17:30      **Program closing discussion**

18:00              **Closing party**

# Speaker Biographies

## ARDAVAN AMIR-ASLANI

A member of the Paris bar, Ardavan Amir-Aslani is one of the principal partners of the law firm Ngo Cohen Amir-Aslani & Associés, one of the leading internationally-oriented practices in Paris. He has acted as counsel to a number of States in drafting their domestic laws in relation to foreign investments, securities, privatizations and Islamic finance. Amir-Aslani regularly represents countries in the negotiation and drafting of government contracts, and before international jurisdictions and arbitration tribunals. A well-respected analyst of the geo-strategy of the Arab world and of comparative theology, Amir-Aslani is the author of several books on international relations, including *Iran: The Return of Persia, Islam and the West*, *The Geopolitics of Faith* and *Iran-USA: The Friends of Tomorrow*, as well as numerous articles on business and international law.

## FERNANDO ANDRESEN GUIMARÃES

Fernando Andresen Guimarães is currently the Head of Division for the United States and Canada at the European External Action Service (EEAS) of European Union. Previously, he served as the EEAS Advisor for Multilateral Relations. He started his diplomatic career with the Portuguese Ministry of Foreign Affairs at the Permanent Mission to the United Nations in New York, first as Private Secretary and then as Counsellor, covering Political and Security Council affairs. As a member of the Portuguese Delegation to the Security Council, he was responsible for European affairs and peacekeeping operations. In 2003, he joined the United Nations Department of Peacekeeping Operations and was also the Secretary of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations. From November 2004 to May 2010, he was the Diplomatic Advisor to the President of the *European Commission*, José Manuel Barroso. His book *The Origins of the Angolan Civil War: Foreign Intervention and Domestic Political Conflict* was published by Macmillan and St. Martin's Press in 1998. He obtained a Ph.D. in International Relations from London School of Economics in 1992.

## AMBASSADOR RUDOLF BEKINK

Rudolf Simon Bekink is the Dutch Ambassador to the United States. Ambassador Bekink was born in Assen, a town of about 67,000 people in the northeastern part of the Netherlands. After obtaining his MA in Economy from the University of Groningen, he began working at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. He was stationed first in Athens and Luanda and then worked in the Ministry's East Asia Division. He served as the First Secretary for the Political Department in Washington, D.C.; chargé d'affaires to Ghana; Deputy Head of Division in the Ministry of Economic Affairs; and Deputy Head of Mission for the Dutch Permanent Representation to the OECD in Paris. Bekink then served as Director of Protocol for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs from 1997-2000. He was also Ambassador to Sweden (2000-2004), Belgium (2004-2008), and the People's Republic of China (2008-2012). He is married to Austin, Texas, businesswoman Gabrielle de Kuyper. Ambassador Bekink has three grown sons.

## CÉLIA BELIN

Célia Belin is a Special Adviser on the United States and Transatlantic Relations at the Policy Planning Staff (Centre d'analyse, de Prévision et de Stratégie) of the French Ministry of Foreign Affairs and an Associate Researcher at the Centre Thucydide. Belin holds a Ph.D. in Political Science/International Relations from the University Panthéon-Assas (Paris II) and has been a Guest Fellow at the Council on Foreign Relations in New York as well as a Visiting Scholar at Columbia University. Belin is the author of *Jésus est juif en Amérique: Droite évangélique et lobbies chrétiens pro-Israël*, a book on Christian Zionism and U.S. foreign policy towards Israel that received a "particular mention" from the Emile Perreau-Saussine prize on Political Philosophy. She teaches American Foreign Policy at University of Saint-Denis and University Panthéon-Assas.

# Speaker Biographies

## **WILLIAM A. BELL**

William A. Bell has been the mayor of Birmingham, Alabama since 2010, although he previously held the office on an interim basis in 1999. Mayor Bell is a graduate of the University of Alabama at Birmingham, where he received his MA in Psychology and Guidance Counseling. He also holds a Doctorate in Jurisprudence from Miles Law School, with extensive professional experience in community and economic development in both the public and private sectors. In 1985 he became the first African-American to serve as the President of the Birmingham City Council.

## **JACQUES BELTRAN**

Jacques Beltran is the Head of Business Development and Sales for Alstom Transport on the French market. Previously he held several other positions at Alstom Group headquarters, including Senior Manager Corporate Strategy (2007), Vice President for Public Affairs (2008-2010), Senior Vice President for Asia-Pacific (2010-2011) and Senior Vice President for Europe-CIS (2011-2013). Beltran began his career as a research fellow at the French Institute of International Relations (IFRI), which included a visiting fellowship at The German Marshall Fund in Washington, and at the International Department of the European Aeronautic and Defense Group EADS. From 2005 to 2007, he worked as diplomatic adviser to the French Minister of Transport. Beltran graduated from Sciences Po in Paris and holds a Postgraduate Degree in International Relations. He holds French and British nationalities.

## **LORA BERG**

Lora Berg is a Senior Foreign Service Officer with the U.S. Department of State, currently on detail to the German Marshall Fund to advance diversity and inclusion best practices in the transatlantic space. In this capacity, Berg develops partnerships with other institutional actors on the international stage to inform and strengthen positive discourse around diversity and inclusion. She also develops leadership programs with a focus on rising, diverse young leaders. Berg holds a BA from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, as well as a Master of Fine Arts and Master's degree in International Relations from Johns Hopkins University.

## **MERETE BILDE**

Merete Bilde is a Policy Advisor at the European External Action Service (EEAS) in the European Union. Prior to this, Bilde worked in the Policy Unit of the EU High Representative for Common Foreign and Security Policy, Javier Solana, on issues related to political aspects of Islam and cross-cultural relations. She has been involved in a number of initiatives at the cross-section of religion and politics within the EU, including issues related to freedom of expression and religion, as well as on the defamation debate. In the aftermath of the Arab Spring, her work has focused heavily on the new political actors and regional dynamics at play, including between the Middle East and the West. Prior to her current appointment, Merete Bilde served as a Danish diplomat.

## **HANS BINNENDIJK**

Hans Binnendijk is a Senior Fellow at the SAIS Center for Transatlantic Relations at the Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies, Johns Hopkins University. Until July 2012, he was the Vice President for Research and Applied Learning and the Theodore Roosevelt Chair in National Security Policy at the National Defense University. He was also Director of the Institute for National Strategic Studies and served as the founding Director the Center for Technology and National Security Policy from 2001 to 2009. Binnendijk has been an advisor on security policy in both the legislative and executive branches of the U.S. government and continues to serve on the Studies Committee of the Council on Foreign Relations, as well as on the boards of several academic institutions, including the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy. He is author or co-author of more than 100 articles, editorials and reports and has received the Cross of the Order of Merit from the Federal Republic of Germany. He is the Chair of the International Board of Directors at Humanity in Action. Binnendijk is a 1968 graduate of the University of Pennsylvania. He received his MALD and his Ph.D. in International Relations from the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University.

# Speaker Biographies

## JEAN-BERNARD BOLVIN

For the last two years, Jean-Bernard Bolvin has been working in the Human Rights and Democracy Directorate of the European External Action Service (EEAS) on freedom of religion issues. He has been actively involved in the drafting of the EU Guidelines on Freedom of Religion or Belief adopted by the EU Foreign Affairs Council in June 2013. Before joining the EEAS, Jean-Bernard Bolvin served as advisor to the French Ambassador at large for Human Rights. He has also been posted in Yemen (2010-2011) as Head of a Democratic Governance and Security Cooperation project. Bolvin's career spans more than eight years in the French Public Service, where he notably held advisor positions for the Minister of State for Victim's Rights, Spokesperson of the Government, Minister of Culture, Minister of State for Foreign Affairs and Human Rights, among others.

## BERTRAND BUCHWALTER

Bertrand Buchwalter is a French career diplomat who joined the French Ministry of Foreign Affairs in 2002. He has been involved in the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE), where he participated in talks over Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and has been successively posted in Ankara, Washington, D.C. and the French Permanent Representation to the EU, where he was in charge of the Southern Neighbourhood portfolio. He joined the Policy Planning Staff (Centre d'analyse, de Prévision et de Stratégie) of the French Ministry of Foreign Affairs as an Analyst in November 2013. He is a graduate of Sciences Po in Paris (1998).

## CYNTHIA R. BUNTON

Cynthia R. Bunton is President of CRBi LCC, a global consultancy. As a Foreign Service Officer, Bunton's responsibilities included advising on U.S. interests and managing programs in Latin America, the Middle East, Europe, Asia and at the United Nations. She spent four years as Deputy Political Counselor at The Hague with extensive dealings with the EU and International Court of Justice. Bunton also served as Asia Director of the International Republican Institute. She has participated in international election observation missions in Asia and Europe, has served as Peer Reviewer for the U.S. Institute of Peace, and served on the Boards of Chatham University and the Washington Network Group.

## CORINNE CATH

Corinne Cath received Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Cultural Anthropology, Liberal Arts and Sciences and Human Rights from Utrecht University in the Netherlands. She has worked in Israel, Brazil, Belgium and the United States. She is a Humanity in Action Senior Fellow (2013) and a current Lantos-Humanity in Action Congressional Fellowship in Washington. She plans to pursue an MSc in Internet Studies at the University of Oxford.

## AMBASSADOR ÉRIC CHEVALLIER

Ambassador Éric Chevallier is the current French Ambassador to Syria. He graduated from Sciences Po in Paris and is a trained medical doctor. The Ambassador has worked extensively on HIV/AIDS programs in developing countries, and contributed to the creation of UNAIDS, the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS. In 1999, the Ambassador became Special Advisor to Bernard Kouchner, the UN Special Representative and Head of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo (UNMIK). In 2001, he followed Kouchner to the French Ministry of Health, where he contributed to the creation of The Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria. In 2006, he became Director of international missions for *Médecins du Monde* (Doctors of the World). Back at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in 2007, the Ambassador became the Ministry's Communication and Information Director. In May 2009, he was appointed as the French Ambassador to Syria. For security reasons, he was in charge of closing the Embassy in March 2012. He now works on the resolution of the Syrian conflict from Paris.

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## SOPHIE COIGNARD

Sophie Coignard is a journalist for *Le Point*, a popular news magazine in France where she has been working for more than 20 years. She served as Editor of the “Society” pages, which cover a broad range of social issues, including diversity. Coignard is the author of twenty books, many of which discuss and analyze the French elite and its networks. Her book *French Connections: Networks of Influence in France* (Algora) has been translated into English. Coignard has been based in Washington since 2011 and continues to commute frequently between Europe and North America.

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## MAIA COMEAU

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## HEIDI CREBO-REDIKER

Heidi Crebo-Rediker served as the State Department’s first chief economist as a political appointee for then Secretary of State, Hillary Clinton. In this role, Crebo-Rediker provided advice and analysis to the Secretary on foreign policy issues as a part of Secretary Clinton’s “Economic Statecraft” initiative. Prior to this, Crebo-Rediker was the Chief of International Finance and Economics for the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, as well as an adviser to then-Chairman John Kerry. During her time in the Senate, she was the architect of the bipartisan National Infrastructure Bank legislation (BUILD Act) introduced in March 2011 and included in the President Barack Obama’s JOBS Act. Before this role, Crebo-Rediker spent nearly two decades as a senior investment banker in Europe, where she managed businesses ranging from European and emerging-markets debt capital markets to sovereign, supranational, and public sector banking. Upon her return to Washington, D.C. she also became the founding Co-Director of the Global Strategic Finance Initiative at the New America Foundation. Crebo-Rediker was named one of the Top 25 Women in Business by the *Wall Street Journal Europe*. She holds degrees from Dartmouth College and the London School of Economics.



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David Cvach is the Deputy to the Director of the Policy Planning Staff (Centre d'analyse, de Prévision et de Stratégie) in the French Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MFA). Until 2013, Cvach served as the Middle East Counselor at the French Embassy in the United States; from 2006 to 2009, he was the Second Counselor at the French Embassy in Iran. Prior to that, Cvach was the Desk Officer for Iraq (2005 to 2006) and Algeria (2003 to 2005) at the Middle East Department of the French MFA. He was also the Deputy Head of Mission at the French Embassy in Armenia, and the Desk Officer for Germany at the European Department of the French MFA. He studied at the Sciences Po in Paris and at the French School of Administration.

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## OREST DEYCHAKIWSKY

With the Commission since 1981, Orest Deychakiwsky is Policy Advisor for Belarus, Bulgaria, Romania, and Ukraine. He serves as security officer. Deychakiwsky has served as a member of U.S. delegations to numerous OSCE meetings and election observation missions in nine countries. He has authored many Commission publications, and has appeared at various policy and media forums addressing issues pertaining to his areas of responsibility. Deychakiwsky's education earned him a BA from the University of Notre Dame and an MA from Georgetown University in Government and International Relations. Languages: Ukrainian (fluent) and good working knowledge of Belarusian and Russian.

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## FREDERICK DOUZET

Frederick Douzet is a Professor at the French Institute of Geopolitics (Paris 8 University), where she holds the Castex Chair in Cyberstrategy. She is also a member of the editorial board for the peer-reviewed academic journal covering geography and geopolitics, *Herodote*. Douzet holds degrees in political science from Sciences Po Grenoble and Oxford Brookes University, as well as in journalism from the University of California at Berkeley. She also obtained a Ph.D. from the French Institute of Geopolitics. Her research focuses on issues of urban geopolitics and contemporary geopolitical developments in California and the United States. Dr. Douzet's interests also include geopolitical issues of cyberspace and the media. She is currently developing comparative research on territorial concentration of immigrants in the United States and Europe. Douzet has published *The Color of Power: Geopolitics of Immigration and Segregation in Oakland, California* (Belin, 2007) and *The New Political Geography of California* (Berkeley Public Policy Press, 2008) with Thad Kousser and Kenneth P. Miller.

## AHMED EL KEIY

Ahmed El Keiy is a Cairo-born journalist who grew up in Paris. As an Arabic, French and English-speaker, he collaborated with the BBC, the French weekly magazine *Le Nouvel Observateur* and the Egyptian daily newspaper *Al Ahram*. In 2003, Ahmed El Keiy joined Beur FM, a French radio addressing to the North African community. Since 2007, El Keiy has hosted a daily talk show, "Toutes les Francs," on France Ô, a multicultural French public TV channel. In 2008, he was selected by the International Center For Journalists to cover the American presidential election. In 2011, El Keiy became Deputy Director of France 24, an Arab-speaking news channel. In 2013, was promoted to head of news for the Arabic, English and French speaking France 24 channels. Since January, El Keiy has worked as a senior strategic communications consultant for the Washington-based Glover Park Group..

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## ALAIN FRACHON

Alain Frachon is the Editorial Director of *Le Monde*. Frachon started his journalism career at radio channel Europe 1 in 1974, and then worked for ten years at *Agence France-Presse* (AFP) as a foreign correspondent in Tehran, London and Washington, DC. He joined *Le Monde* in 1985, where he served as a correspondent in Jerusalem from 1987-1991 and in Washington from 1991-1994. He then held various positions at the editorial office in Paris, including Editor of the paper from 2007 to 2010. He is the author of two books in collaboration with Daniel Vernet: “*L’Amérique des néo-conservateurs, l’illusion messianique*” and “*La Chine contre l’Amérique, le duel du siècle*”. He studied Law and Political Science and graduated from the Training Center for Journalists (CFJ).

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## AUDRA K. GRANT

Audra K. Grant is a political scientist with over a decade of experience analyzing and conducting research on North African issues. Her areas of focus include democratization and political transitions, youth politicization in North Africa, dynamics of political Islam; terrorism and insurgency in North and West Africa; and counter-terrorism strategies as well as public opinion on key issues. In addition to participating in conferences and lecturing, Dr. Grant has also published on trafficking networks in Africa; political reform in Algeria and Morocco; peace and reconciliation processes in Algeria and Morocco; attitudes identifying support for democratization among Arab Israelis and West Bank and Gaza Palestinians; and gender as a determinant of support for political Islam and Middle East foreign policies. Dr. Grant is currently working on South Sudan and Sudan issues at the National Democratic Institute, having recently returned from residence in Juba, South Sudan. She is also adjunct faculty at the RAND Corporation and a Professorial Lecturer at The George Washington University. Dr. Grant is a former analyst at the U.S. State Department and a former professor at al-Akhawayn University in Ifrane, Morocco.

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## AMBASSADOR LINO GUTIÉRREZ

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## DUC HA DUONG

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## FABRICE HOUDART

Fabrice Houdart is senior country officer for the Maghreb at the World Bank and manager of a Nordic Trust Fund grant on “Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity and Development.” The study presented a first estimate of the economic cost of homophobia with India as a case study. He is also president of World Bank GLOBE, the World Bank’s LGBT employee resource group. Houdart is the author of *Country Strategies for Uzbekistan and Tajikistan*, and a contributor to the World Development Reports from 2011-2012. He holds degrees from Dauphine University and American University.

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Charles Kupchan is the Whitney Shepardson Senior Fellow at the Council on Foreign Relations. He is also a Professor of International Affairs at the Edmund A. Walsh School of Foreign Service and Department of Government at Georgetown University. Kupchan was Director for European Affairs at the National Security Council during the first Clinton administration. Before joining the National Security Council, he worked at the U.S. Department of State on the Policy Planning Staff. Prior to this, Kupchan was Assistant Professor of Politics at Princeton University. He is the author of *No One's World: The West, the Rising Rest, and the Coming Global Turn*, *How Enemies Become Friends: The Sources of Stable Peace*, and *The End of the American Era: U.S. Foreign Policy and the Geopolitics of the Twenty-first Century*, among many other books and numerous articles on international and strategic affairs. Kupchan has served as a visiting scholar at Harvard and Columbia universities, as well as at the International Institute for Strategic Studies in London, the Centre d'Étude et de Recherches Internationales in Paris, and the Institute for International Policy Studies in Tokyo. From 2006-2007, Kupchan was both the Henry A. Kissinger Scholar at the Library of Congress and a fellow at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars. Kupchan received a BA from Harvard University, as well as an MPhil and DPhil from Oxford University.



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## AMBASSADOR BJÖRN LYRVALL

Björn Lyrvall is the Ambassador of Sweden to the United States. Ambassador Lyrvall previously served as Director General for Political Affairs at Sweden's Ministry for Foreign Affairs. Ambassador Lyrvall was posted at Sweden's Permanent Representation to the European Union in Brussels, first as Sweden's delegate to the enlargement negotiations, and then as Sweden's Ambassador to the EU Political and Security Committee. Ambassador Lyrvall also worked as Special Advisor to Sweden's Minister for Foreign Affairs, Carl Bildt, in his role as EU negotiator and International High Representative in Bosnia and Herzegovina (1995-1997), as well as United Nations Special Envoy on the Balkans in 1999. Ambassador Lyrvall has also been stationed in Leningrad, Moscow and London.

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## TIMOTHY MCCARTHY

Timothy McCarthy is a Lecturer on History and Literature, Adjunct Lecturer in Public Policy, and Director of the Sexuality, Gender, and Human Rights Program at the Carr Center for Human Rights Policy at the Harvard Kennedy School of Government. An award-winning scholar, teacher, and public servant, Dr. McCarthy received his A.B. with honors from Harvard College, and his MA, M.Phil., and Ph.D. from Columbia University. A historian of politics and social movements, he has published a number of books including *The Indispensable Zinn: The Essential Writings of the "People's Historian"* (2012).

## CLEVE MESIDOR

Cleve Mesidor is a Global Solutions Consultant at The Raben Group. Cleve's portfolio targets emerging markets, with a focus on the Caribbean. She is a former Obama Presidential Appointee, with over 15 years of public affairs, policy, and economic development experience—and half a year of on-the-ground experience in Haiti focused on economic and job growth. As Director of Public Affairs at the U.S. Department of Commerce's Economic Development Administration, she was charged with promoting national economic programs and high profile public-private partnerships. Cleve also served as Communications Director for U.S. Representatives Betty McCollum and Barbara Lee, and has held senior positions on a presidential campaign and gubernatorial races.

## MAURICE MIDDLEBERG

Maurice Middleberg is the Executive Director of Free the Slaves, a global leader in the fight to eradicate modern-day slavery. Middleberg guides the organization's work in countries deeply affected by slavery, as well as leading its policy, advocacy, corporate engagement and awareness-raising programs in the United States. Middleberg's career spans more than 30 years in global health, social justice and international development in organizations such as CARE, the Global Health Council, EngenderHealth and IntraHealth, as well as USAID. A political scientist by training, Middleberg has held academic appointments at Columbia University and Emory University. Professional perspective and personal passion both shape Middleberg's work. Slavery has personally affected his family. His grandfather was a survivor of forced labor at Auschwitz.

## RAINER MÜNZ

Rainer Münz is Head of Research & Knowledge Center at Erste Group, Non-resident Fellow of the Migration Policy Institute, Washington DC, and Senior Fellow at the Hamburg Institute of International Economics (HWWI). He earned his Ph.D. in 1978 from Vienna University. Until 1992 he was director of the Institute of Demography at the Austrian Academy of Science. Between 1992 and 2003 he was head of the Department of Demography at Humboldt University, Berlin. He has been a visiting professor at various universities in Europe, including Bamberg, Frankfurt, Klagenfurt, Vienna and Zurich, as well as in the United States, notably at the University of California at Berkeley. Münz now teaches at the University of St. Gallen in Switzerland. Münz has worked as consultant for the European Commission, the OECD and the World Bank. He served as an advisor to the Greek (2003), Dutch (2004) and Slovene (2008) EU presidencies. Between 2008 and 2010, he was a member of the high-level "Reflection Group Horizon 2020-2030," which is part of the European Union.

## CONGRESSWOMAN GRACE NAPOLITANO

Congresswoman Grace Napolitano is the U.S. Representative for California's 32nd congressional district. Since 1999, Napolitano has served in Congress striving to remain highly responsive to the needs of her constituents. She is responsible for a number of projects such as creating a competitive grant program for schools that partner with community groups to increase student access to mental-health resources. Her proposed bill to fund water desalination research passed as part of a fiscal 2012 appropriations package, as well as its extension in 2013-2014. Hon. Napolitano formerly served as a Member of Advisory Council at Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute, as well as co-chaired the Congressional Mental Health Caucus.

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## PETER NEUMANN

Dr. Peter Neumann is Professor of Security Studies at the Department of War Studies, King's College London, and serves as Director of the International Centre for the Study of Radicalisation, which he founded in 2008. Neumann has authored or co-authored five books, and authored numerous peer-reviewed articles, mainly on terrorism and radicalization, especially 'homegrown' radicalization in Western countries. Neumann is a member of the editorial boards of two peer-reviewed journals, *Studies in Conflict and Terrorism* and *Democracy and Security*. He is an Affiliate of the European Commission's European Network of Experts on Radicalisation, a member of the German Federal Criminal Office's (BKA) European Expert Network on Terrorism Issues, and sits on the advisory boards of numerous other think-tanks and institutions. Dr. Neumann has taught at King's College London and the School of Foreign Service at Georgetown University, where he continues to serve as an adjunct professor. Neumann holds an MA in Political Science from the Free University of Berlin, and a Ph.D. in War Studies from King's College London.

## RONALD K. NOBLE

Ronald K. Noble is an American law enforcement officer and the current Secretary General of INTERPOL, an intergovernmental organization facilitating international police cooperation. At INTERPOL, Noble delivers to law enforcement worldwide and conducts highly successful international operations targeting child sex abusers, dangerous fugitives and war criminals. Noble has also supported major investigations into transnational organized crime groups. Prior to being elected Secretary General, he oversaw four of the United States' then-eight-largest law enforcement agencies, including the U.S. Secret Service, the U.S. Customs Service, and the Internal Revenue Service's Criminal Investigation Division. Noble is also a fully tenured Professor at New York University School of Law. He holds degrees from Stanford Law School and the University of New Hampshire.

## RALPH NURNBERGER

Ralph Nurnberger is a Professor of International Relations at Georgetown University, where he has taught since 1975. He was named Professor of the Year by the Graduate School of Liberal Studies in 2003 and received another award in 2005 for over 20 years of excellence in teaching. Outside of the academy, he has spent 30 years in government and government relations. On Capitol Hill, Nurnberger served as Foreign Policy Assistant to former Kansas Senator James B. Pearson (R-KS) and as a staff member on the Senate's Foreign Relations Committee. In the Executive Branch, he served as Special Assistant to the Administrator of the General Services Administration and as Director of Congressional Relations for the Bureau of Export Administration within the Department of Commerce. Nurnberger served for over eight years as a Legislative Liaison for the American Israel Public Affairs Committee. He was a Senior Fellow at the Center for Strategic and International Studies. Currently, Nurnberger is a partner at Nurnberger & Associates and a principal at Gray Global Advisors.

## CHRISTINE OCKRENT

Christine Ockrent is a columnist and writer based in Paris. She writes regularly for *El Pais*, *The Guardian*, *Gazeta Wyborcza*, *l'Espresso* and various other European newspapers. She is also the producer and presenter of a weekly radio program about foreign affairs on public radio channel France Culture. Previously she was COO of the French Radio and TV World service (France 24 and RFI). She was also editor in chief of the weekly news magazine, *L'Express*. Ockrent was also deputy director general of TF1 Television and an editor with RTL Radio. Her fields of expertise are European affairs, the condition of women worldwide, American politics and the media revolution. She is on the board of European Council on Foreign Relations, the Center for European Reform and Human Rights Watch France. She has been awarded the French Legion d'Honneur and the Belgian Ordre de Léopold.

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## LARRY OLOMOFE

Larry Olomofe works at the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE) Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights as the Advisor for Combating Racism and Xenophobia, based in Warsaw, Poland. His work entails developing policy and training initiatives for law enforcement, judiciary and political institutions to combat hate crimes, hate speech, discrimination, “cyberhate” (hate on the internet), and other forms of xenophobia. He has written articles on Roma Rights, Race and Racism, Hate Crimes, cultural theories of race and ethnicity and modern identities, and human rights education. Prior to joining the OSCE, Larry Olomofe was the Human Rights Trainer at the European Roma Rights Centre (ERRC) in Budapest, Hungary. He was also a consultant for the Hungarian and Swedish governments respectively, provided support in developing robust anti-discrimination and immigration initiatives. He has also taught at the University of San Francisco, the University of Budapest, and other universities on nationalism, political and social theories, diversity, cultural studies and globalization. Larry is originally from London.

## PHILIPPE ONILLON

Philippe Onillon is Deputy News Director at Agence France-Presse. He graduated in journalism from Ecole supérieure de journalisme (Lille) and Université Paris Sorbonne. From 2006 to 2010, he was Head of Business News at Agence France-Presse, before becoming Deputy Director for Europe and Africa, where he served from 2010-2011. He has held different reporting positions in France and abroad, in business, politics and general news.

## SCOTT E. PAGE

Scott E. Page is the Leonid Hurwicz Collegiate Professor of Complex Systems, Political Science, and Economics at the University of Michigan and an external faculty member of the Santa Fe Institute. He is the author of three books and more than 70 academic papers that have received more than 5,000 citations. He is an elected fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, and this past year received a Guggenheim Fellowship for his research on diversity and complexity. An award-winning teacher, Scott has taped two video courses with The Great Courses and one with the Eduson. His MOOC, Model Thinking, has reached approximately 300,000 students. He speaks regularly on diversity, complexity, and the power of models to organizations that include the United States Office of Personnel, Google, Boeing, Ford, the World Bank, and the United States Federal Reserve. He has also been a speaker at Renaissance Weekend, The Aspen Ideas Festival, and The World Economic Forum at Davos.

## AMBASSADOR RUDOLF V. PERINA

Ambassador Rudolf V. Perina, a retired member of the Senior Foreign Service, served as the Special Negotiator for Eurasian Conflicts (2001-04), Ambassador to the Republic of Moldova (1998-2001), Senior Deputy Assistant Secretary of the European Bureau (1996-97) and Chief of Mission at the U.S. Embassy in Belgrade (1993-96). He also served on the staff of the National Security Council (1987-89) and as Deputy Director of the Policy Planning Staff (2004-06). His other assignments during a 32-year State Department career included Ottawa, Moscow, the U.S. Mission in West Berlin, the U.S. Mission to NATO in Brussels and the OSCE Mission in Vienna. Since retiring in 2006, he has had short-term assignments as the Charge d’Affaires at the U.S. Embassies in Chisinau, Yerevan, Reykjavik and Prague and as a senior State Department inspector. Ambassador Perina earned his BA at the University of Chicago and received his MA and Ph.D. degrees in history from Columbia University.

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## OLIVIER PEYROUX

Olivier Peyroux is a sociologist who was born and raised in Paris. After receiving his Ph.D. at the University of Paris I Panthéon Sorbonne, he spend six years working in Romania and in the Balkans. In 2005, he returned to France and served as Deputy Director of *Hors la Rue*, an NGO working with Roma minors. Olivier Peyroux served as an expert for several European projects, including for the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE) and is also a consultant for many French local authorities on Roma populations. In 2013, he published *Délinquants et victimes*, which explores the issues surrounding child trafficking in Western Europe. His work was awarded by the Research Foundation Caritas-Institut de France.

## MARK QUARTERMAN

As Director of Research and Programs, Mark Quarterman is responsible for helping to formulate the Enough Project's policy prescriptions to end genocide and crimes against humanity, and oversees the production of reports and other publications based upon rigorous field-based research and analysis. Previously, Quarterman was a senior advisor and director of the Program on Crisis, Conflict, and Cooperation at the Center for Strategic and International Studies. He held a number of positions in the United States, including chief of staff of the UN Commission of Inquiry into the assassination of Prime Minister Benazir Bhutto of Pakistan and special assistant (chief of staff) to the UN under secretary general for legal affairs and legal counsel. He also served in Jerusalem and Gaza as chief of staff to the UN special coordinator for the Middle East Peace Process, and in East Timor and Indonesia for the East Timor Popular Consultation. Before joining the United Nations, Quarterman worked as a staff member on the Foreign Affairs Committee of the U.S. House of Representatives; a program officer at the Ford Foundation; and an associate attorney at Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison.

## ANDREW QUINN

Andrew C. Quinn is research assistant to Arthur Brooks, the president of the American Enterprise Institute. At AEI, he focuses on antipoverty policy, political theory, and the economics of human happiness. Andrew's writing on politics and culture appears online at AEI Ideas, Values & Capitalism, and The Federalist, and has been published in Fare Forward and the Wall Street Journal. Andrew was born in the Northeast, raised in the Midwest, and now lives in Washington, DC. He is a graduate of Williams College and studied literature and philosophy at Oxford. He is also a jazz and hip-hop saxophonist.

## MICHAEL ROGERS

Michael Rogers is a different kind of futurist—one who combines real business experience with technology skills. Add to that the keen eye of an award-winning investigative journalist and the storytelling skill of a novelist, and you have The Practical Futurist. Roger's recent work has ranged from serving as Futurist-In-Residence for *The New York Times* to writing the popular Practical Futurist column for MSNBC. He speaks and consults for clients worldwide, from startups to Fortune 500 companies, and is a frequent guest on radio and television.

## ALEC ROSS

Alec Ross served as Senior Advisor for Innovation in the Office of Secretary of State Hillary Clinton. In this role, Alec was tasked with maximizing the potential of technology in service of America's diplomatic and development goals. Prior to his service at the State Department, Alec worked on the Obama-Biden Presidential Transition Team and served as Convener for Obama for America's Technology, Media & Telecommunications Policy Committee. In 2000, Alec Ross and three colleagues co-founded One Economy, a global nonprofit that uses innovative approaches to deliver the power of technology and information about education, jobs, health care and other vital issues to low-income people. During his eight years at One Economy, it grew from a team of four people working in a basement to the world's largest digital divide organization, with programs on four continents. Alec started his career as a sixth grade teacher in inner-city Baltimore through Teach for America. He is a graduate of Northwestern University.

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## ANYA SCHMEMANN

Anya Schmemann is Assistant Dean of Communications and Outreach at American University's School of International Service. Schmemann previously served for almost a decade at the Council on Foreign Relations (CFR) in Washington, D.C., where she served as Director of the Task Force Program, Editorial Strategy, and Communications and Marketing. Prior to CFR, Schmemann managed communications at the Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs at Harvard's Kennedy School of Government, coordinated a research project on Russian security issues at the EastWest Institute in New York City, and was assistant director of CFR's Center for Preventive Action in New York City. She received her BA in government and her MA in Russian studies from Harvard University. She is a member of the Council on Foreign Relations and a non-resident senior fellow at the Center for the National Interest. She has written for the *National Interest*, *Atlantic*, *US News & World Report*, *CNN GPS*, *Huffington Post*, and elsewhere.

## EL YAMINE SETTOUL

El Yamine Settout holds a Masters in Political Science and a Ph.D. in Political Sociology from Sciences-Po Paris. His Ph.D. thesis explores the enlistment in the French army of French citizens of immigrant origins. His research interests include military sociology, sociology of immigration, transnationalism and the Arab-Muslim area. He has published his work for the French Ministry of Defense, MIT Press and Presses Universitaires de Rennes. He specifically analyzes the social role of the armed forces and their sociological transformations, which includes diversification, feminization, and religious regulations, among others. He is currently a Jean Monnet Fellow at Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies in Florence, where he focuses on issues of diversity in national armies with an international comparative perspective.

## JOAN SHIGEKAWA

Joan Shigekawa is the Acting Chairman of the National Endowment for the Arts. She is the former Associate Director for Foundation Initiatives at the Rockefeller Foundation where she led the NYC Cultural Innovation Fund. She was also the first Director of the Arts Program at the Nathan Cummings Foundation in New York. A Bryn Mawr graduate, Shigekawa has 20 years experience in film, television and theater, and has served as an arts advisor for a broad range of projects in the visual, performing and media arts. She has served as a Mayoral appointee to the New York City Cultural Affairs Advisory Commission. In addition to her service on a number of boards, she has served as a trustee of the New York Foundation for the Arts, Muse Film and Television, the New York Council for the Humanities, and the Independent Television Service.

## BARBARA SLAVIN

Barbara Slavin is a nonresident senior fellow at the Atlantic Council's South Asia Center and Washington correspondent for Al-Monitor.com. She is a regular commentator on U.S. foreign policy and Iran on several media outlets such as NPR and PBS. She is the author of *Bitter Friends, Bosom Enemies: Iran, the US and the Twisted Path to Confrontation* (2007). A career journalist, Slavin previously served as assistant managing editor for world and national security of *The Washington Times*, senior diplomatic reporter for *USA TODAY*, Cairo correspondent for *The Economist*, and as an editor at *The New York Times Week in Review*. She has covered such key foreign policy issues as the U.S.-led war on terrorism, policy toward "rogue" states, the Iran-Iraq war, and the Arab-Israeli conflict. She also served as a public policy scholar at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars and a senior fellow at the U.S. Institute of Peace.



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## JULIANNE SMITH

Julianne Smith is a Senior Vice President at Beacon Global Strategies LLC. From April 2012 to June 2013, Smith served as the Deputy National Security Advisor to the Vice President of the United States. Before the White House, she served as the Principal Director for European and NATO Policy in the Office of the Secretary of Defense in the Pentagon. Outside of government, Smith also served as the director of the Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS) Europe Program and the Initiative for a Renewed Transatlantic Partnership. She co-directed the Transatlantic Dialogue on Terrorism at CSIS. She has also worked at the German Marshall Fund, the British American Security Information Council and the Stiftung Wissenschaft und Politik. Smith serves on the Board of Advisors of the Truman National Security Project and the National Security Network. She is currently an Associate Fellow with Chatham House and a Senior Associate with the CSIS International Security Program. In January 2014, Smith joined the Center for New American Security as a Senior Fellow and Director of the Strategy and Statecraft Program.

## HÉLÈNE SOUPIOS-DAVID

Hélène Soupios-David is Project Officer at the European Council on Refugees and Exiles, a pan-European alliance of refugee assisting organizations. She joined ECRE in 2007 and she is currently coordinating the Asylum Information Database project, which maps asylum procedures, reception and detention in 14 EU Member states. She is also leading ECRE's work on unaccompanied children and returns. She lived in Brussels from 2006 to 2013 and now lives in Paris. Hélène is a Humanity in Action Senior Fellow (2006). She co-founded the French Humanity in Action Senior Fellow Network, interned with the 2008 Humanity in Action American program and was active in the organization's Brussels network.

## DAVID SULLIVAN

David Sullivan is the Policy and Communications Director at the Global Network Initiative. He was also Research Director at the Enough Project at the Center for American Progress, where he oversaw field research and policy analysis on preventing mass atrocities in Africa. David helped lead Enough's work on global electronics supply chains contributing to conflict in eastern Congo, and helped launch the Satellite Sentinel Project to monitor violence in Sudan and South Sudan. David has worked for the International Rescue Committee in Liberia, supported elections in Pakistan, and managed humanitarian programs across Africa. A Humanity in Action Senior Fellow (1999), Sullivan holds degrees from John Hopkins University and Amherst College.

## JULIA E. SWEIG

Julia E. Sweig is the Nelson and David Rockefeller Senior Fellow for Latin America Studies and Director for Latin America Studies at the Council on Foreign Relations. Dr. Sweig also directs CFR's Global Brazil initiative. Sweig writes a bi-weekly column for *Folha de São Paulo*, Brazil's leading newspaper, and is author of *Cuba: What Everyone Needs to Know* (Oxford University Press, 2009, 2013), *Friendly Fire: Losing Friends and Making Enemies in the Anti-American Century* (Public Affairs, 2006), among numerous other publications on Latin America and U.S. foreign policy. Sweig's *Inside the Cuban Revolution: Fidel Castro and the Urban Underground* (Harvard University Press, 2002) received the American Historical Association's Herbert Feis Award for best book of the year by an independent scholar. Sweig was also the Sol M. Linowitz Professor of International Relations at Hamilton College in 2011, served as a consultant on Latin American affairs for the Aspen Institute's Congressional Program. She currently holds a board position on the International Advisory Board of the Brazilian Center for International Relations. Sweig received a BA from the University of California, Santa Cruz and an MA and Ph.D. from the Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies.



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## THIERRY TARDY

Thierry Tardy joined the European Union Institute of Security Studies in May 2013. Previously, he was Senior Fellow at the Geneva Centre for Security Policy. Thierry has researched and published extensively on military and civilian crisis management with a particular focus on the United Nations and the European Union, inter-institutional cooperation in security governance, security regionalism, and the EU Common Security and Defense Policy. Dr. Tardy has a Ph.D. in Political Science; he is a graduate of the National Session of the Institute of Higher National Defense Studies in Paris (2010) and a member of the editorial board of *International Peacekeeping*. He has taught at the Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies in Geneva, as well as at Sciences Po and the War College in Paris. He also regularly lectures at the European Security and Defense College and at the Sorbonne.

## BRUNO TERTRAIS

Dr. Bruno Tertrais is a Senior Research Fellow at the Fondation pour la Recherche Stratégique, a French think-tank. From 2007-2008, he was a member of the French presidential commission on the White Paper on Defense and Security, as well as a member of the French ministerial commission on the White Paper on Foreign and European Policy. Dr. Tertrais was Special Assistant to the Director of Strategic Affairs at the French Ministry of Defense between 1996 and 2001. Prior to that, he was a visiting fellow at the RAND Corporation. Dr. Tertrais served as Director of the Civilian Affairs Committee at the NATO Assembly. He holds a Ph.D. in Political Science from Sciences Po. In 2010, he was awarded the Vauban Prize for his distinguished career.

## MISCHA THOMPSON

Dr. Mischa Thompson joined the Helsinki Commission in May 2007. Her portfolio includes tolerance and non-discrimination, migration and integration, and corporate citizenship issues within the 56 participating OSCE states, including the European Union. Prior to being appointed to the Commission, Dr. Thompson served as a Professional Staff Member and Congressional Fellow within the U.S. House and Senate working on international racism, foreign policy, trade, economic development, and security issues. A Fulbright Scholar and National Science Foundation Fellow, Dr. Thompson holds a PhD from the University of Michigan, where her research focused on intergroup relations in the United States and Europe. Dr. Thompson received her BS from Howard University and is proficient in German.

## STEPHEN TRACHTENBERG

Stephen Joel Trachtenberg is President Emeritus and University Professor of Public Service at The George Washington University. He previously held positions as vice president for academic services and academic dean of the College of Liberal Arts at Boston University, and served as the special assistant to the U.S. Education Commissioner, Department of Health, Education and Welfare. Trachtenberg has published several academic works and is also a member of numerous academic organizations. He is a graduate of Columbia, Yale, and Harvard, and is also a Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. He holds 20 honorary doctoral degrees, including a Doctor of Laws from his alma mater, Columbia University.

## CHRISTOPHER M. TUTTLE

Chris Tuttle is the director of both the Washington and Task Force programs at the Council on Foreign Relations (CFR). In addition to overseeing CFR's relationships with the executive branch, Congress, and the foreign diplomatic corps, Tuttle works to provide substantive intellectual content to CFR members and the broader policy community. Tuttle joined CFR from the U.S. Department of State, where he most recently served as the director of the Office of Strategic Communications and Planning. Prior to his time in the Executive Branch, Tuttle was Chief of Staff and Senior Policy Aide to U.S. Representative Mark Green (R-WI), an assistant majority whip for the House International Relations, Budget, and Financial Services Committees. Tuttle holds a BA from the University of Wisconsin and an MA in national security and strategic studies from the U.S. Naval War College.

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## IVO VAJGL

Ivo Vajgl is a Slovenian politician and diplomat who served as Foreign Minister of Slovenia in 2004. Between 2004 and 2007, Vajgl worked as the advisor for foreign policy in the cabinet of the President of Slovenia, Janez Drnovšek. His diplomatic career included positions as Slovenian Ambassador to Germany, Austria, OSCE, Sweden and all the Nordic and Baltic States. On June 7, 2009 he was elected as a Member of the European Parliament. He is also a member of the Group of the Alliance of Liberals and Democrats for Europe. At the European Parliament he sits on the Committee on Development, the Delegation for relations with the Mashreq countries, and the Delegation to the Parliamentary Assembly of the Union for the Mediterranean. He has a degree in agricultural engineering from the University of Ljubljana and worked as a journalist from 1966-1980.

## CURTIS VALENTINE

Curtis Valentine is an at-large member of the Prince George's County Board of Education. The former executive director of MarylandCAN: The Maryland Campaign for Achievement Now, Valentine is a life-long advocate for education reform. A graduate of Morehouse College and the Harvard Kennedy School of Government, he served as a Peace Corps volunteer in South Africa and spent nearly ten years working in international development with World Vision, the U.S. Agency for International Development, and Africare. A seasoned community organizer, Valentine served as regional field director for the 2008 Obama campaign and subsequently with Organizing for America. He is a recipient of the Kennedy School's highest honor, the Robert Kennedy Award for Public Service, and was a fellow for the 2010 Aspen Ideas Festival. In 2013, he was awarded an International Affairs Fellowship with the Council on Foreign Relations.

## JAVIER VASQUEZ

Javier Vasquez is the Human Rights Advisor at the Pan-American Health Organisation (PAHO), a Regional Office of the World Health Organisation (WHO). His role is to advise PAHO's Member States on international human rights issues and strategies to improve the right to the highest attainable standard of health and other related human rights; on the formulation/review of national public health laws, policies, practices; and to structure public health services consistent with international human rights treaties and standards. Vasquez previously worked for a number of international agencies such as the Panama Canal Commission, the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights of the OAS, and for NGOs such as Spanish Catholic Centre and Mental Disability Rights International and Committee of Orientation and Support for Panamanians.

## LORI WALLACH

Lori is the director of Public Citizen's Global Trade Watch. Wallach is an expert on the operations and outcomes of trade policies such as NAFTA, WTO, CAFTA and others. She is steeped in the domestic and international politics of current trade negotiations and disputes. Wallach works closely with Congress and civil society, scholars, and activists in the United States and developing countries to foster the growing debate about implications of different models of globalization on jobs, offshoring, wages, the environment, public health and food safety; equality and social justice and democratically accountable governance.

## WILLIAM WARD

William Ward is a retired U.S. Army four-star general and current President/Chief Operations Officer of Sentel Corporation. Prior to Sentel, Ward served as commander of the U.S. Africa Command, where he oversaw all U.S. defense and security activities on the African continent and its island nations. He also served as deputy commander of the U.S. European Command, U.S. security coordinator for Israel and the Palestinian Authority, and Commander of the Stabilization Force in Bosnia and Herzegovina. A native of Baltimore, Maryland, Ward holds a BA in political science from Morgan State University and an MA in political science from The Pennsylvania State University. He is a graduate of the infantry officer basic and advanced courses at Fort Benning, the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, and the U.S. Army War College. Ward also taught as an assistant professor at the United States Military Academy, West Point.

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## PATRICK WEIL

Dr. Patrick Weil is a French historian and political scientist. He is a research fellow at the French National Centre for Scientific Research (CNRS), and at the Centre for the Social History of the 20th Century at Paris 1 Panthéon Sorbonne University. Weil is a Visiting Professor of Law and Robina Foundation International Fellow at Yale Law School, as well as Director of the Center for the Study of Immigration, Integration and Citizenship Policies at Paris 1 Panthéon Sorbonne University. Professor Weil's work focuses on comparative immigration, citizenship, secularization and integration law and policy. His books include *The Sovereign Citizen: Denaturalization and the Origins of the American Republic* (Pennsylvania, 2013) and *How to Be French: Nationality in the Making since 1789* (Duke, 2008). Dr. Weil worked as Chief of Staff of the Secretariat of State for Immigrants in 1981 and 1982, and was a member of the Stasi Commission, a commission established to reflect upon the application of the *laïcité* principal, or French secularism. He is the founder and Honorary Chair of Humanity in Action France and the President of Bibliothèques Sans Frontières/Libraries Without Borders.

## CARMENCITA N. WHONDER

Carmencita N. Whonder is a Policy Director in the Washington, DC, office of Brownstein Hyatt Farber Schreck, LLP. Previously, Whonder served as the Staff Director for the Senate Subcommittee on Housing, Transportation, and Community Development and as the principal adviser on the Senate Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs to U.S. Senator Charles E. Schumer. During the 109th Congress she held the position of Minority Staff Director for the Senate Subcommittee on Economic Policy. Whonder has extensive experience in banking, financial institutions, commodities markets, and economic and monetary policy. She is also the founder of OF WHONDER, a contemporary luxury brand exclusively for women sizes 12-24. Whonder holds a BA from Howard University and an MA from the Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies. She is a member of the Board of Humanity in Action.

## OLIVIER ZUNZ

Olivier Zunz is the Commonwealth Professor of History at the University of Virginia. He is the author of a number of books on socio-economic issues and concerns in the United States including *The Changing Face of Inequality*, *Why the American Century?* and, most recently, *Philanthropy in America: A History*. He has served as a visiting professor at the Collège de France and the École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, among others. Zunz has been a recipient of fellowships and grants from the Ford Foundation, the Japan Foundation Center for Global Partnership, the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation and the National Endowment for the Humanities.

# Program Locations

## WASHINGTON, DC

### **The Melrose Georgetown Hotel**

2430 Pennsylvania Ave NW, Washington, DC 20037  
*Transit: Orange & Blue Line (Foggy Bottom Metro Station)*

### **Dukem Restaurant**

1114-1118 U St NW, Washington, DC 20009  
*Transit: Green & Yellow Line (U Street Metro Station)*

### **Smithsonian National Museum of American History**

14th St and Constitution Ave, NW, Washington, DC 20001  
*Transit: Blue & Orange Line (Federal Triangle Metro Station)*

### **Home of Judy and Stanley Hallet**

4542 28th Street NW, Washington DC 20008  
*Transit: Red Line (Van Ness-UDC Metro Station)*

### **SAIS Center for Transatlantic Relations, Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies**

1717 Massachusetts Ave NW, Washington, DC 20036 Room; 500  
*Transit: Red Line (Dupont Circle)*

### **German Marshall Fund of the United States**

1744 R Street NW, Washington, DC 20009  
*Transit: Red Line (Dupont Circle Metro Station)*

### **Eatonville Restaurant**

2121 14th St NW, Washington, DC 20009  
*Transit: Green and Yellow Lines (U Street Metro Station)*

### **Council on Foreign Relations**

1777 F St NW # 100, Washington, DC 20006  
*Transit: Blue & Orange Line (Farragut West Metro Station)*

### **National Endowment for Democracy**

1025 F St NW Suite 800, Washington, DC 20004  
*Transit: Blue, Orange, and Red Lines (Metro Center Metro Station)*

### **Howard University**

2395 6th St Washington, DC 20059  
Andrew Carnegie Building, Conference Room A  
\*The Carnegie Building is next to the Main Gate at 6th and Howard Place  
*Transit: Green and Yellow Lines (Shaw Metro Station)*

### **Local 16**

1602 U St NW, Washington, DC 20009  
*Transit: Green & Yellow Line (U Street)*

### **The World Bank**

1818 H St NW, Washington, DC 20433  
*Transit: Blue & Orange Line (Farragut West Metro Station)*

### **ENO Wine Bar Georgetown**

2810 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20007  
*Transit: Orange & Blue Line (Foggy Bottom Metro Station)*

### **United States Holocaust Memorial Museum**

100 Raoul Wallenberg Pl SW, Washington, DC 20024  
*Transit: Blue and Orange Line (Smithsonian Metro Station)*

### **The Commission on Security & Cooperation in Europe—The Helsinki Commission**

234 Ford House Office Building, Washington, DC 20515  
*Transit: Blue and Orange Line (Federal Center Metro Station)*

### **Sixth & I Synagogue**

600 I St NW, Washington, DC 20001  
*Transit: Green, Red, and Yellow Line (Gallery Place/Chinatown Metro Station)*

### **United States House of Representatives**

730 12th St NW, Washington, DC 20005  
*Transit: Blue & Orange Line (Capitol South Metro Station)*

### **Public Citizen**

215 Pennsylvania Ave SE #3, Washington, DC 20003  
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### **Mellow Mushroom Restaurant**

2436 18th St NW, Washington, DC 20009  
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### Maison des Ingénieurs

15 rue Cortambert 75016 Paris

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### Restaurant Zango

15 rue du Cygne, 75001 Paris

*Transit: Line 4 (Etienne Marcel)*

### Agence France-Presse

11 Place de la Bourse 75002 Paris

*Transit: Line 3 (Bourse), Line 9 (Richelieu - Drouot)*

### UNESCO

125 Avenue de Suffren, 75015 Paris

*Transit: Line 8 (La Motte-Piquet-Grenelle)*

### French Ministry of Foreign Affairs

1 Rue Robert Esnault-Pelterie 75007 Paris

*Transit: Line 8 and 13 (Invalides), Bus 63 (Invalides)*

### European Union Institute of Security Studies

100 Avenue de Suffren 75015 Paris

*Transit: Line 8 and 6 (La Motte-Piquet-Grenelle)*

### Café A

148 Rue du Faubourg Saint-Martin, 75010 Paris

*Transit: Line 7, 4 or 5 (Gare de l'Est)*

### Quai Branly Museum

37 Quai Branly, 75007 Paris

*Transit: Line 9 (Alma - Marceau), Bus 63 (Alma-Marceau)*

### Institut du Monde Arabe

1 Rue des Fossés Saint-Bernard, 75005 Paris

*Transit: RER C (Saint Michel Notre Dame)*

### Cité de la Musique

221 Avenue Jean Jaurès, 75019 Paris

*Transit: Line 5 (Porte de Pantin)*

### Cinema l'Arlequin

76 rue de Rennes, 75006 Paris

*Transit: Line 4 (Saint Sulpice)*

### Marina Arsenal

Bank facing 50 Boulevard de Bastille, 75012 Paris

*Transit: Line 1 (Bastille)*

### Walking tour in La Goutte d'Or - Le Louxor

170 boulevard de Magenta, 75010 Paris

*Transit: Line 2 or 4 (Barbès Rochechouart)*

### Restaurant Pooja

91 Passage Brady, 75010 Paris

*Transit: Line 4 (Chateau d'Eau or Strasbourg Saint Denis)*

### Mémorial de la Shoah

17 Rue Geoffroy l'Asnier, 75004 Paris

*Transit: Line 1 (Saint Paul)*

### TheFamily - Startup Incubator

25 Rue du Petit Musc, 75011 Paris

*Transit: Line 1, 5 and 8 (Bastille)*

### Restaurant Hotel du Nord

102 Quai de Jemmapes, 75010 Paris

*Transit: Line 9 (République)*

## BRUSSELS, BELGIUM

### German Marshall Fund of the United States

Rue de la Loi 155, Bruxelles

*Line 1 and 5 (Schuman)*

### European External Action Service

Rond Point Schuman 9, Bruxelles

*Line 1 and 5 (Schuman)*

### The European Parliament's Visitor's Centre

Rue Wiertz 60, 1047 Bruxelles

*Line 2 and 6 (Trône)*

# Reading & Viewing List

*Note: Included here is a partial list of the required reading and viewings for the 2014 Diplomacy and Diversity Fellowship. For a full list, please contact a Humanity in Action staff member.*

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Humanity in Action has educated over 1,350 young leaders in their 20s and 30s who now form a unique international community. Through its programs and partnerships with outstanding civic and educational organizations including The New School, Humanity in Action contributes in innovative ways to advance human rights and democratic freedoms.

The annual Humanity in Action Fellowship brings together more than 100 European and American university students and young professionals each summer in programs in Denmark, France, Germany, Poland and the Netherlands to discuss, learn and research in international groups. Humanity in Action Fellows meet leading experts and activists to study historical and contemporary cases of institutional violations of human and minority rights. Fellows write research-based articles and develop teaching tools to share what they learned in their programs.

The Diplomacy and Diversity Fellowship is a new Humanity in Action program in Washington, DC and Paris for American and European graduate students. The program explores a wide range of pressing issues in international affairs with a particular emphasis on issues of diversity, democracy and pluralism.

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Program Coordinator

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