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April 27 & 28, 2017
**"Commerce, Investment and Trade:
American Prosperity in an Uncertain World"**

Thursday, April 27, 2017: 6:00pm - 8:00pm – Embassy Reception
Embassy of Canada
501 Pennsylvania Ave NW, Washington D.C.

Friday, April 28, 2017: 8:00am-4:30pm Conference
On-line payment & registration available soon! For now please contact
ACFR at info@acfr.org for details and registration
Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS)
1616 Rhode Island Avenue, NW • Washington, DC 20036.
Speakers list follows*
6:00pm Dinner
The National Press Club
529 14th Street, NW • 13th Floor • Washington, DC • 20045.
Presentation of Distinguished Service Award; 2017 recipient:
U.S. Ambassador Walter L. Cutler (Ret.)

Accommodation: **Loews Madison Hotel**
1177 Fifteenth Street NW • Washington, DC • 20005
ACFR Group Rate - \$269.00 per night
(Available 4/23/16-4/30/16 **until sold out**)
ACFR Group Code: ACF416
Phone Reservations: 1-855-325-6397
Online Reservations: <https://www.loewshotels.com/madison/acfr2017>

To be announced: The 22nd Annual Conference Early Arrival Event

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KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



Ambassador John E. Herbst

Director of the Atlantic Council's Dinu Patriciu Eurasia Center and former US Ambassador to Ukraine and Uzbekistan and former State Department Coordinator for Reconstruction and Stabilization



Teresa H. Carlson

Vice President, World Wide Public Sector, Amazon Web Services and Cloud Computing.



Robert Mulligan

Senior Vice President for Policy and Government Affairs at the United States Council for International Business (USCIB), "How American Companies Work"

PANEL SPEAKERS



Ambassador Terry Miller

Director of the Center for Data Analysis and the Center for Trade and Economics at The Heritage Foundation, and co-author of the 2017 Index of Economic Freedom: Trade and Prosperity at Risk



Andrea G. Durkin

Editor-in-Chief of TradeVistas, founder and principal of Sparkplug, LLC, and former U.S. Government official with the Office of the United States Trade Representative and the International Trade Administration of the U.S. Department of Commerce



Joshua P. Meltzer

Senior Fellow in the Global Economy and Development program at the Brookings Institution, adjunct professor for international trade law at the Johns Hopkins School for Advanced International Studies and former diplomat at the Australian Embassy in Washington, D.C.



Mark Widmar

Chief Executive Officer and Director of First Solar, Inc., a global provider of comprehensive solar energy solutions, and formerly with Lucent Technologies, Allied Signal and Bristol Myers/Squibb



Clyde Prestowitz

Founder and President of the Economic Strategy Institute and former Counselor to the Secretary of Commerce and Vice Chairman of the President's Committee on Trade and Investment in the Pacific



Heather A. Conley

CSIS Senior Vice President for Europe, Eurasia, and the Arctic; Director of the Europe Program; and leading expert for the CSIS Future of Trade Initiative



Dan Ikenson

Director of the Cato Institute's Center Herbert A. Stiefel Center for Trade Policy Studies and co-author of Antidumping Exposed: The Devilish Details of Unfair Trade Law



Christopher Wilson

Deputy Director of the Mexico Institute at the Woodrow Wilson Center and author of Working Together: Economic Ties between the United States and Mexico