Higher Education Working Group on Global Issues

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Agenda

Wednesday, February 15, 2012

5:30 to 6:00 p.m.  Registration and Reception

6:00 to 7:15 p.m.  Update on the Global Economy
                   Alan S. Blinder, G.S. Rentschler Memorial Professor of Economics and Public Affairs, Princeton University
                   Richard N. Haass, President, CFR, Moderating

7:15 to 8:15 p.m.  Dinner

Thursday, February 16, 2012

8:30 to 9:00 a.m.  Breakfast Reception

9:00 to 10:00 a.m.  The State of the World
                    Fareed Zakaria, Host, “Fareed Zakaria GPS,” CNN; Editor at Large, Time
                    Richard C. Levin, President, Yale University, Moderating

10:00 to 10:15 a.m.  Break

10:15 to 11:30 a.m.  Expert Briefing on Asia
                     Robert D. Blackwill, Henry A. Kissinger Senior Fellow for U.S. Foreign Policy, CFR
                     Adam Segal, Ira A. Lipman Senior Fellow for Counterterrorism and National Security Studies, CFR
                     Sheila A. Smith, Senior Fellow for Japan Studies, CFR
                     Renu Khator, President, University of Houston, Moderating

11:30 to 11:45 a.m.  Break

11:45 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.  Luncheon Discussion
                         Globalization and Higher Education: Implications for the Future
                         Joseph E. Aoun, President, Northeastern University
                         Jane McAuliffe, President, Bryn Mawr College
                         William Powers Jr., President, University of Texas at Austin
                         John E. Sexton, President, New York University
                         Molly Corbett Broad, President, American Council on Education, Moderating
1:30 to 1:45 p.m.   Break

1:45 to 3:00 p.m.   **Expert Briefing on Europe**
   Charles A. Kupchan, *Whitney Shepardson Senior Fellow, CFR*
   Kathleen R. McNamara, *Associate Professor and Director of the Mortara Center for International Studies, Georgetown University*
   Benn Steil, *Senior Fellow and Director of International Economics, CFR*
   Pamela Brooks Gann, *President, Claremont McKenna College, Moderating*

3:00 to 3:15 p.m.   Break

3:15 to 4:30 p.m.   **Expert Briefing on the Middle East**
   Elliott Abrams, *Senior Fellow for Middle Eastern Studies, CFR*
   Robert M. Danin, *Eni Enrico Mattei Senior Fellow for Middle East and Africa Studies, CFR*
   Ray Takeyh, *Senior Fellow for Middle Eastern Studies, CFR*
   Richard N. Haass, *President, CFR, Moderating*

4:30 to 5:00 p.m.   Closing Reception