



REAGAN NATIONAL DEFENSE FORUM

BUILDING PEACE THROUGH STRENGTH IN TIMES OF TRANSITION AND TURBULENCE

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RNDF TIMELINE

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| 7:15 AM | CHECK-IN OPENS
<i>Panelists: Air Force One Pavilion / General Attendees: Main Entrance Courtyard</i> |
| 8:00 AM-9:15 AM | WELCOME BREAKFAST & PANEL 1:
<i>First Floor, Air Force One Pavilion</i> |
| 9:30 AM-10:45 AM | PANEL 2: HARNESSING INNOVATION FOR DEFENSE:
THE ROLE OF DEFENSE AND NON-DEFENSE COMPANIES
<i>Presidential Learning Center</i> |
| 9:30 AM-10:45 AM | PANEL 3: IS FUNDING NATIONAL DEFENSE OUR FIRST
PRIORITY? EXPLORING THE ROOT CAUSES OF SEQUESTRATION
<i>Second Floor, Air Force One Pavilion</i> |
| 11:00 AM-12:15 PM | PANEL 4: INTERNATIONAL DEFENSE COOPERATION: IS THE U.S.
COMMITTED? ARE OUR ALLIES AND FRIENDS INVESTED?
<i>Presidential Learning Center</i> |
| 11:00 AM-12:15 PM | PANEL 5: BRIDGING THE GAP BETWEEN THE MILITARY AND THE
NATION: CONNECTING AMERICA TO THE LESS THAN 1% WHO SERVE
<i>Second Floor, Air Force One Pavilion</i> |
| 12:30 PM-2:00 PM | LUNCHEON WITH SPECIAL KEYNOTE SPEAKER
<i>First Floor, Air Force One Pavilion</i> |
| 2:15 PM-3:30 PM | PANEL 6: DEFEATING ISIS AND DEALING WITH IRAN:
MANAGING THE BATTLEFIELD IN THEATRE AND IN DC
<i>Presidential Learning Center</i> |
| 2:15 PM-3:30 PM | PANEL 7: THE DEFENSE INDUSTRIAL BASE:
IS IT STRONG ENOUGH?
<i>Second Floor, Air Force One Pavilion</i> |
| 3:45PM-5:00 PM | PANEL 8: FROM CANDIDATE TO COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF:
LESSONS IN MAKING THE TRANSITION
<i>Presidential Learning Center</i> |
| 5:00 PM-5:30 PM | CLOSING SESSION WITH THE HONORABLE ASH CARTER
SECRETARY, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
<i>Presidential Learning Center</i> |

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Mr. Julian Barnes
European Security Reporter
Wall Street Journal

Mr. Tom Bell
Senior Vice President
Boeing

General Philip M. Breedlove
Commander, U.S. European Command

Mr. Tom Brokaw
Special Correspondent; Journalist
NBC News

Mr. William M. Brown
Chairman, President and CEO
Harris Corporation

Mr. Wes Bush
Chairman, CEO and President
Northrop Grumman

Congressman Bradley Byrne
U.S. House of Representatives, Alabama

The Honorable Ash Carter
Secretary, U.S. Department of Defense

Congressman Ken Calvert
U.S. House of Representatives, California

Congressman Ander Crenshaw
U.S. House of Representatives, Florida

Mr. Christian Davenport
The Washington Post

Mr. Jerry DeMuro
President and CEO
BAE Systems, Inc.

The Honorable Lisa Disbrow
Acting Under Secretary of the Air Force
Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (SAF/FM)

The Honorable Eric Edelman
Former Undersecretary of Defense (Policy)
Former Ambassador to Turkey and Finland

Mr. Ari Fleischer
Former White House Press Secretary
Ari Fleischer Communications

The Honorable Michele Flournoy
Undersecretary of Defense (Policy)
Chief Executive Officer, CNAS

Congressman Rodney Frelinghuysen
Chairman, House Approp. Subcommittee on Defense
U.S. House of Representatives, New Jersey

The Honorable Stephen J. Hadley
Former National Security Advisor
RiceHadleyGates LLC

Ms. Marillyn Hewson
Chairman, President and CEO
Lockheed Martin Corporation

The Honorable Jeh Johnson
Secretary, U.S. Department of Homeland Security

General John F. Kelly
Commander, U.S. Southern Command
United States Marine Corps

The Honorable Frank Kendall
Undersecretary of Defense (ATL)

Dr. Thomas A. Kennedy
Chief Executive Officer
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Congressman Steve Knight
U.S. House of Representatives, California

The Honorable Jon Kyl
Former Senator, Arizona
Senior of Counsel, Covington & Burling LLP

The Honorable Marcel Lettre
Acting Undersecretary of Defense (Intelligence)

Senator John McCain
Chairman, SASC
U.S. Senate, Arizona

The Honorable Howard P. "Buck" McKeon
Former Cong. / Chairman HASC
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General Mark A. Milley
Chief of Staff for the U.S. Army

General Robert B. Neller
Commandant of the Marine Corps

Ms. Peggy Noonan
Columnist, Wall Street Journal
Trustee, Reagan Foundation
Former Speechwriter to President Reagan

Mr. Mike Petters
President and CEO
Huntington Ingalls Industries

Major General Arnold Punaro, (Ret.)
Chairman
National Defense Industrial Association

The Honorable Condoleezza Rice
66th Secretary of State
Former National Security Advisor
*Peace Through Strength Award Recipient

Admiral John Richardson
Chief of Naval Operations

Ms. Gwynne Shotwell
President and COO
SpaceX

The Honorable Heidi Shyu
Assistant Secretary of the Army (AT&L)

Congressman Adam Smith
Ranking Member, HASC
U.S. House of Representatives, Washington
*Peace Through Strength Award Recipient

The Honorable Sean Stackley
Assistant Secretary of the Navy (RD&A)

Ms. Barbara Starr
Pentagon Correspondent, CNN

Congressman Mac Thornberry
Chairman, HASC
U.S. House of Representatives, Texas

Congresswoman Jackie Walorski
U.S. House of Representatives, Indiana

Congressman Brad Wenstrup
U.S. House of Representatives, Ohio

The Honorable Dov Zakheim
Former Undersecretary of Defense (CFO)

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