



THE TRILATERAL COMMISSION
40th ANNIVERSARY 1973-2013

2013 ANNUAL PLENARY MEETING
BERLIN, 15-17 MARCH 2013

CONFERENCE CHAIRMAN: JEAN-CLAUDE TRICHET
HOST COUNTRY CHAIRMAN: MICHAEL FUCHS

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

On February 7th

(Speakers confirmed unless otherwise mentioned)

FRIDAY 15 MARCH

12h30 **BUFFET LUNCHEON AT HOTEL ADLON:** *Informal “get-together” for Participants & Spouses*

IN THE GERMAN BUNDESTAG - REICHSTAG BUILDING¹

15h00 *Formal opening of the conference* by the **Trilateral Chairmen**
& welcome by **host country Chairman**

SESSION ONE

15h15 -16h15 **GERMANY IN THE EUROPEAN CRISIS**
Between DOMESTIC CONSTRAINTS V. FOREIGN DEMANDS

CHAIR: **Michael Fuchs**
*Member of the German Bundestag and Deputy Chairman of the CDU/CSU
Parliamentary Group; European Deputy Chairman, Trilateral Commission*

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS: **Wolfgang Schäuble**
Federal Minister for Finance
A Leader of SPD Opposition (TBD)

16h15 – 16h30 Coffee break

16h30-18h00 **EUROPEAN UNION & THE EUROZONE CRISIS** including report of the
EUROPEAN GROUP TASK FORCE on “CREDIBLE EUROPEAN GOVERNANCE”

CHAIR/MODERATOR: **Jean-Claude Trichet**
*European Chairman, Trilateral Commission; Chairman, Group of Thirty;
Chairman, BRUEGEL Brussels; Honorary Governor, Banque de France;
former President of the European Central Bank*

PANEL TBD²: **Marek Belka**
*President, National Bank of Poland, Warsaw; former Director, European
Department, International Monetary Fund, Washington, D.C.; former Prime
Minister and Minister of Finance of Poland*

¹ In the CDU/CSU Parliament Group Room (at walking distance from hotel)

² Panel to be completed at Task Force meeting in Brussels on February 19th

[FRIDAY CONT.]

David Miliband

Member of the British Parliament (Labour); former Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs, London

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| 18h00-19h00 | FEDERAL CHANCELLOR ANGELA MERKEL | (with simultaneous interpretation) |
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19h00- **Reception in the Reichstag** (with Spouses joining Participants)

Dinner free (incl. within Embassies)

SATURDAY 16 MARCH

IN THE GERMAN BUNDESTAG - REICHSTAG BUILDING

SESSION TWO

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| 09h00 – 10h30 | A 21ST CENTURY AGENDA FOR INTERNATIONAL TRADE |
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CHAIR/MODERATOR: **Jaime Serra**

Chairman, SAI Law and Economics; Founder, Aklara, Arbitration Center of Mexico, and NAFTA Fund of Mexico

Karel De Gucht (*invited*)

Member of the European Commission (Trade); Former Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign & European Affairs of Belgium

Yasuchika Hasegawa

Chairman-designate, TC Asia Pacific Group, Tokyo; President and CEO Takeda Pharmaceuticals; Chairman at the Board of Keizai Doyukai (Japan Associate of Corporate Executives), Tokyo

Susan Schwab

Professor of Public Policy, University of Maryland, College Park, and Strategic Advisor, Mayer Brown, LLP; former U.S. Trade Representative

10h30-11h00 Coffee break

SESSION THREE

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| 11h00-12h30 | CHINA'S RISE AND GLOBAL/REGIONAL POLITICAL/ECONOMIC IMPLICATIONS | (with simultaneous interpretation) |
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CHAIR/MODERATOR: **Han Sung-Joo**

Chairman, The International Policy Studies Institute of Korea (IPSIKOR), Seoul; former Korean Minister of Foreign Affairs & Ambassador to U.S.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: **Zheng Bijian**

Chairman, China Institute for Innovation and Development Strategy, Beijing

[SATURDAY CONT.]

RESPONDENTS: **Susan Shirk**
Chair, 21st Century China Program, and Ho Miu Lam Professor of China and Pacific Relations, School of International Relations and Pacific Studies (IR/PS), University of California San Diego

Barry Desker
Dean, S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies, Nanyang Technological University (NTU), Singapore

Heinrich Weiss
Chief Executive Officer, SMS Group, Düsseldorf; former Chairman, German-Chinese Business Council

12h45- 13h45:

LUNCHEON³ (no speaker!)

SESSION FOUR

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| 14h00-15h30 | THE UNITED STATES |
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EU CHAIR TBD: TBD

Martin S. Feldstein

George F. Baker Professor of Economics, Harvard University, Cambridge; President Emeritus, National Bureau of Economic Research; former Chairman, U.S. President's Council of Economic Advisors

Thomas R. Pickering (invited)

Vice Chair, Hills & Company, Washington; former Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs; former U.S. Ambassador to Russia, India, UN...

15h30 – 16h00 Coffee break

SESSION FIVE

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| 16h00 – 17h30 | ENERGY SECURITY & GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE |
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CHAIR/MODERATOR: TBD

Jim Prentice

Senior Executive Vice President and Vice Chairman, Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (CIBC), Calgary and Toronto

Ross Garnaut

Professor of Economics, Research School of Pacific and Asian Studies, Australian National University, Canberra

Giuseppe Recchi

Chairman, Eni, Rome

19h00- **RECEPTION AND SEATED DINNER (WITH SPOUSES) “Axica DZ Building”**⁴

Evening TBD

³ Participants will be able to visit the Reichstag building

⁴ At walking distance from the Adlon Hotel on Pariser Platz (next to U.S. Embassy)

SUNDAY 17 MARCH

AT HOTEL ADLON

SESSION SIX

09h00 – 11h00

40TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE TRILATERAL COMMISSION & LOOKING TO THE FUTURE: ADDRESSING GLOBAL CHALLENGES AND SELECTING PRIORITIES

CHAIR/MODERATOR: **Joseph S. Nye, Jr.**

North American Chairman, Trilateral Commission; University Distinguished Service Professor and former Dean, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University

Anne-Marie Slaughter

Bert G. Kerstetter '66 University Professor of Politics and International Affairs, Princeton University, Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs, Princeton; former Director, Policy Planning, U. S. Department of State

Peter Sutherland

Chairman, Goldman Sachs International; Chairman of the London School of Economics; UN Special Representative for Migration and Development; Honorary European Chairman, Trilateral Commission

Hitoshi Tanaka

Chairman, Institute for International Strategy (IIS), Japan Research Institute, Ltd., Tokyo; Senior Fellow, Japan Center for International Exchange

11h00 – 11h15

Coffee break

SESSION SEVEN

11h15 – 12h45

**TOPICAL GEO-POLITICAL SESSION :
"THE ARAB AWAKENING TWO YEARS DOWN THE ROAD"**

KEYNOTE SPEAKER:

Nabil El-Araby (*invited*)

*Secretary General, League of Arab States, Cairo
Former Minister of Foreign Affairs of Egypt*

IN DISCUSSION WITH:

Volker Perthes

Executive Chairman and Director, German Institute for International and Security Affairs (SWP), Berlin

CLOSING REMARKS BY THE TRILATERAL CHAIRMEN
JEAN-CLAUDE TRICHET, JOSEPH S. NYE, JR, YOTARO KOBAYASHI

13h00

(No lunch speaker!)

INFORMAL FAREWELL LUNCH with Spouses at HOTEL ADLON