

Stability, Security, Transition & Reconstruction Operations Conference

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WHY ATTEND?

Here's what last year's attendees said about the 2009 conference!

- ▶ “Extremely relevant and interesting; definitely recommend continuing these SSTRO Conferences. Thank you!”
- ▶ “Well-done in all respects—high quality, excellent value at good cost.”
- ▶ “Conference provided an excellent balance between policymakers and ‘field practitioners.’”
- ▶ “The quality of the speakers and panels was very high. It did not disappoint, was very relevant, not only to our businesses, but to the world situation in general. It was quite informative. Rarely is there a government/industry conference that holds our attention as this one did.”



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MARRIOTT CRYSTAL GATEWAY ▶ ARLINGTON, VA

EVENT #1450

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 2010

7:00 am **Registration & Continental Breakfast**

8:00 am **Welcome & Opening Remarks**

- ▶ Lt Gen Larry Farrell, USAF (Ret), *President & CEO, NDIA*
- ▶ Mr. Walt Sasser, *SSTR Division Co-Chairman, VP Government Relations, Camber Corporation*

8:10 am **Keynote Speaker**

“Rolling Out the Presidential Policy Directive on Global Development and Quadrennial Diplomacy and Development Review: Direction and Implications”

- ▶ Amb. Mary Carlin Yates, *Senior Director for Strategic Planning and Institutional Reform, National Security Council; Former Ambassador to the Republic of Ghana; and Former Deputy to the Commander for Civil-Military Affairs, USAFRICOM (invited)*

8:45 am **Panel—Stability in the 21st Century – Challenges to Adapting and Integrating U.S. National Power Applications**

Moderator: Dr. Lewis Rasmussen, *SSTR Division Co-Chairman, Development Assistance, Stabilization & Reconstruction Tetra Tech*

Panelists:

- ▶ Mr. John McNamara, *Acting Principal Deputy Coordinator, Reconstruction and Stability, Department of State (S/CRS)*
- ▶ Ms. Susan Reichle, *Deputy Assistant Administrator, Bureau of Policy, Planning, and Learning, USAID*
- ▶ Dr. James Shear, *Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Stability Operations*
- ▶ Mr. Charles Snyder, *Deputy Assistant Secretary of State, International Narcotics and Law Enforcement (SIINL)*

10:15 am **Break**

10:45 am **Panel—Perspectives on Operational Learning**

Operational organizations — whether civilian or military, national or multilateral — have gained a wealth of experience dealing with the challenges of fragile and conflict-affected states. However, many organizations have difficulty translating lessons gathered into lessons learned. From a U.S. military, U.S. civilian, and United Nations perspective, this panel will explore how operational organizations capture lessons, distill them, and incorporate them in education, training, policy, and doctrine. Particular focus will be given to lessons learned from whole-of-government responses to stabilization, conflict prevention, security sector reform, peace building, and related challenges.

Moderator: Gen Chuck Wald, USAF (Ret), *U.S. Air Force Director and Senior Advisor, Aerospace & Defense Industry, Deloitte Services*

Panelists:

- ▶ Ms. Beth Ellen Cole, *Director of Intergovernmental Affairs, US Institute for Peace*
- ▶ GEN Carter Ham, USA, *Commander, U.S. Army Europe*
- ▶ Ms. Leanne Smith, *Deputy Chief, Peacekeeping Best Practices Section, UN Department of Peacekeeping Operations*
- ▶ Dr. David Abshire, *President and CEO, Center for the Study of the Presidency and Congress*

12:15 pm **Lunch with Speaker**

- ▶ The Honorable Minister Gerson Martinez, *Minister of Public Works, El Salvador*

1:45 pm **Panel—Preventing, Mitigating and Managing Natural Disasters & Human Crises**

Such disastrous events and situations can cause tremendous strains on both stable and fragile nations, and seemingly are requiring increased attention in respect to frequency and resourcing. What lessons have we learned about how to optimally utilize both inter-agency and private sector assets to provide response, recovery, and reconstruction support?

Moderator: Ms. Linnea Gavrilis, *Director, Deloitte Consulting LLP*

Panelists:

- ▶ Ms. Jan Auman, *President, Tetra Tech*
- ▶ Mr. Russell Porter, *Deputy Coordinator for Latin America & the Caribbean/Haiti Task Team, USAID*
- ▶ Col Brian Masterson, USAF, *AFRC SG HQ, Disaster Relief Diplomacy topic*
- ▶ Ms. Carol Chan, *Deputy Director, OFDA (invited)*

- 3:00 pm **Panel—Addressing and Overcoming Challenges to Sovereignty and Stability**
Challenges to governance, public-service delivery, and citizen well-being are increasingly complex, having inter-twining roots across economic, social, political and security dimensions. How “we” frame and respond to such conflagrations as gangs and violent crime, trafficking, narco-terrorism, insurgency, and other threats is of critical concern to the immediate nation and the region, including U.S. bi- and multi-lateral interests.
Moderator: Mr. Spike Stevenson, *Creative Associates International (invited)*
Panelists:
- ▶ COL Bob Killebrew, USA (Ret), *Non-Resident Senior Fellow, Center for New American Security*
 - ▶ Dr. Charles Vela, *President, ExperTech Solutions*
 - ▶ TBD - *Western Hemisphere A*
 - ▶ Mr. Gary DeKay, *Interagency Training Specialist, Camber Corporation*
- 4:15 pm **Break**
- 4:45 pm **Keynote Speaker**
- ▶ Gen Doug Fraser, USAF, *Commander, USSOUTHCOM*
- 5:30-6:30 pm **Reception**

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2010

- 7:30 am **Registration & Continental Breakfast**
- 8:30 am **Opening Remarks**
- ▶ Dr. Lewis Rasmussen, *SSTR Division Co-Chairman, Tetra Tech*
- 8:35 am **Keynote Speakers**
- ▶ Mr. Michael Markovsky, *Bipartisan Policy Center*
 - ▶ Mr. Blaise Misztal, *Bipartisan Policy Center*
- 9:05 am **Panel—Contracting Support for Complex Contingency Operations - Significance of Contracting and Contract Support to Contingency Operations**
A look forwards and backwards at how contingency operations require different kinds of support than routine operations and how activities arrive at obtaining that support as quickly as possible.
Moderator: LTG Scott Black, USA (Ret), *former Judge Advocate General of the US Army*
Panelists:
- ▶ COL Denean Machis, USAF (Ret), *Director, Management and Accountability, Commission on Wartime Contracting*
 - ▶ COL Chuck Pede, USA, *Chief, Criminal Law Division, Office of the Judge Advocate General*
 - ▶ Mr. Scott Vick, *Vice President, Tetra Tech*
 - ▶ Ms. Susan Hamrock Mann, *Director, Iraq and Afghanistan Task Force, U.S. Department of Commerce*
 - ▶ Mr. Will Moser, *Executive Director, Department of Administrative Services for Logistics Management*
- 10:30 am **Break**

11:00 am

Panel—Stabilization through Re-integration and Reconciliation

Stabilization in the aftermath of violent conflict obviously requires disarmament and demobilization. However, sustaining peace is more heavily predicated on the successful re-integration of combatants, insurgents, and displaced populations into societies, along with the development of local economies and governance systems. Particular attention needs to be paid to at-risk populations (including women and youth), as well as to such functional considerations as legal and social justice, land tenure and property rights, livelihoods, and psycho-social trauma recovery when developing and implementing a community-driven stability sustainment plan.

Moderator: Amb. John Blaney (Ret), *Former Ambassador to Liberia, Senior Advisor, Deloitte Consulting LLP*

Panelists:

- ▶ MajGen Douglas Stone, USMC (Ret), *United States Institute of Peace, Transportation Security Enterprises*
- ▶ Ms. Ayaka Suzuki, *UN Department of Peacekeeping Operations (invited)*
- ▶ Ms. Julie Werbel, *Senior Security Sector Reform Advisor, USAID*
- ▶ Mr. Karl Wycoff, *Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of African Affairs, DoS*

12:15 pm

Lunch with Speaker

- ▶ Honorable Lindsey Graham, *United States Senate (R-SC)*

1:30 pm

Panel—Pacific Challenges & Opportunities

The wide diversity of the Pacific area provides not only multiple operational requirements for stability and security operations, but also many opportunities for economic development and business expansion and partnerships.

Moderator: ADM Tom Fargo, USN (Ret), *Former Commander, USPACOM*

Panelists:

- ▶ LtGen John Goodman, USMC (Ret), *Director, Center for Excellence in Disaster Management and Humanitarian Assistance*
- ▶ Lt Gen Hawk Carlisle, USAF, *Cdr 13th AF, Humanitarian Exercises, Pacific*
- ▶ COL Bill Coultrup, USA, *Director, Legislative Affairs, USSOCOM*
- ▶ Ms. Katharine Baragona, *Senior Infrastructure Finance Specialist, World Bank*

2:45 pm

Panel—Science and Technology for Peace and Stability - Building and Using Soft Power Tool Chest

Perspective on the new emphasis on developing “tools and technology” to help provide stability and security to fragile or failing nations or regions. Emphasis is being placed on low tech or soft power that can be easily applied to remote areas with a small logistics trail.

Moderator: Amb. David Litt (Ret), *Executive Director for the Center for Stabilization and Economic Reconstruction (CSER) of the Institute for Defense and Business, University of North Carolina*

Panelists:

- ▶ Mr. Ken Bruner, *Science and Technology Advisor, USPACOM*
- ▶ Mr. Ryan Paterson, *Deputy Director for the Adaptive Execution Office, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency*
- ▶ Mr. Earl Wyatt, *Director, Rapid Fielding, Office of the Director, Directorate Defense Research & Engineering (DDR&E)*
- ▶ Mr. Alec Ross, *Leader for Innovation, Department of State (invited)*

4:00 pm

Break

4:20 pm

Keynote Speaker

- ▶ Amb. David Johnson, *Assistant Secretary of State, Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs*

4:50 pm

Closing Remarks

- ▶ Lt Gen Larry Farrell, USAF (Ret), *President & CEO, NDIA*