



## XXX MIT Global Change Forum

23-25 March 2010

The Ritz-Carlton Hotel, Pentagon City • Arlington, VA, USA

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### Agenda

#### Tuesday 23 March 2010

17:00–18:00	Registration	<i>Foyer, Salon II and III, Top of Stairs, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Ritz-Carlton, Pentagon City</i>
17:30–18:45	Reception	<i>Foyer, Salon III, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Ritz-Carlton, Pentagon City</i>
19:00	Dinner Welcome/Forum Overview	<i>Salon III, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Ritz-Carlton, Pentagon City</i> Professor Ronald G. Prinn, <i>Co-Director, MIT Global Change Joint Program, MIT</i>
20:00	Dinner Address	Dr. Chester Koblinsky, <i>Director, NOAA Climate Program Office, NOAA</i>

#### Wednesday 24 March 2010 All Meeting Sessions will be held in Salon III, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Ritz-Carlton, Pentagon City

8:30–10:00	<b>1. SESSION TOPIC: Evolving Views of the Threat</b>	
	Opening Statement	Professor Ronald G. Prinn, <i>Co-Director, MIT Global Change Joint Program, MIT</i>
	Opening Statement	Professor Thomas F. Rutherford, <i>Chair in Energy Economics, ETH Zentrum</i>
	Discussion Moderator	Dr. John Reilly, <i>Associate Director for Research, MIT Global Change Joint Program, MIT</i>
10:00–10:30	Break: <i>Refreshments served in: Foyer, Salon III, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Ritz-Carlton, Pentagon City</i>	
10:30–12:00	<b>2. SESSION TOPIC: Regional Climate Risks and Adaptation Aid</b>	
	Opening Statement	Dr. C. Adam Schlosser, <i>Assistant Director for Research, MIT Global Change Joint Program, MIT</i>
	Opening Statement	Dr. Raffaello Cervigni, <i>Lead Environmental Economist, Sustainable Development Sector, The World Bank</i>
	Discussion Moderator	Professor Ronald G. Prinn, <i>Co-Director, MIT Global Change Joint Program, MIT</i>
12:00–14:00	Lunch: Served in : Diplomat Room, Lobby Level, Ritz-Carlton, Pentagon City	
14:00–15:30	<b>3. SESSION TOPIC: Developments in Land Use</b>	
	Opening Statement	Dr. John Reilly, <i>Associate Director for Research, MIT Global Change Joint Program, MIT</i>
	Opening Statement	Mr. Timothy D. Searchinger, <i>Research Scholar, Princeton Environmental Institute, Princeton University</i>
	Discussion Moderator	Dr. C. Adam Schlosser, <i>Assistant Director for Research, MIT Global Change Joint Program, MIT</i>
15:30–16:00	Break: <i>Refreshments served in : Foyer, Salon III, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Ritz-Carlton, Pentagon City</i>	
16:00–17:30	<b>4. SESSION TOPIC: Technological Prospects: Electric Generation</b>	
	Opening Statement	Mr. Steven Corneli, <i>Vice President, Markets and Climate Policy, NRG Energy</i>
	Opening Statement	Mr. Walter Short, <i>Principal Researcher, Group Manager, U.S. National Renewable Energy Laboratory</i>
	Discussion Moderator	Dr. John Parsons, <i>Executive Director, MIT Global Change Joint Program, MIT</i>
17:30	Adjourn	
17:45–19:15	Reception	<i>Salon II, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Ritz-Carlton, Pentagon City</i>
19:15	Dinner	<i>Salon I, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Ritz-Carlton, Pentagon City</i>

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8:30–10:00	<b>5. SESSION TOPIC: Technological Prospects: Energy Use</b>	
	Opening Statement	Professor John B. Heywood, <i>Sun Jae Professor Emeritus, Department of Mechanical Engineering, MIT</i>
	Opening Statement	Mr. Stephen Selkowitz, <i>Head, Building Technologies Department, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory</i>
	Discussion Moderator	Mr. Loren Cox, <i>Assoc. Director for Program Development, MIT Global Change Joint Program, MIT</i>
10:00–10:30	Break: <i>Refreshments served in : Foyer, Salon III, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Ritz-Carlton, Pentagon City</i>	
10:30–12:00	<b>6. SESSION TOPIC: Emerging National &amp; International Policy Architecture</b>	
	Panel Discussion	Dr. Brian P. Flannery, <i>Science, Strategy and Programs Manager, Exxon Mobil Corporation</i>
		Professor Arvind Panagariya, <i>School of International and Public Affairs, Columbia University</i>
		Ms. Alexandra Teitz, <i>Senior Counsel, Committee on Energy &amp; Commerce, U.S. House of Representatives</i>
	Discussion Moderator	Professor Richard Schmalensee, <i>Director, Center for Energy &amp; Environmental Policy Research, MIT</i>
12:00	Keynote Address	Dra. Georgina Kessel, <i>Secretaria de Energia, Government of Mexico</i>
12:45	Closing Remarks	Professor Henry D. Jacoby, <i>Co-Director, MIT Global Change Joint Program, MIT</i>
13:00	Adjourn	
13:00–14:30	Lunch: Served in : Salon I, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor, Ritz-Carlton, Pentagon City	