Dependent America?
How Canada and Mexico Construct U.S. Power

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Panelists

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Stephen Clarkson is professor of political economy at the University of Toronto. His research addresses the impact of globalization and trade liberalization on the political economy of North America on which he has recently completed a trilogy on North American relations: Dependent America? How Canada and Mexico Construct U.S. Power (2011, with Matto Mildenberger); Does North America Exist? Governing the Continent after NAFTA and 9/11 (2008); Uncle Sam and Us: Globalization, Neoconservatism, and the Canadian State (2002). Among his many other notable publications are A Perilous Imbalance: The Globalization of Canadian Law and Governance (2010 with Stepan Wood) and Trudeau and Our Times (1990 and 1994 with Christina McCall). Clarkson was the recipient of a Killam Research Fellowship and a Canada-U.S. Fulbright Scholarship, and has been a fellow at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars. He is a senior fellow at the Centre for International Governance Innovation, has been elected to the Royal Society of Canada, and is a member of the Order of Canada, the country’s highest honor for a citizen.

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Matto Mildenberger is currently a Ph.D. student at Yale’s School of Forestry and Environmental Studies. A political scientist by training, his current research examines the role of ideology and emotions in shaping political bargains over climate policy in Canada and the United States. His previous work has focused more broadly on the governance of the North American continent. With Stephen Clarkson, he is the author of Dependent America? How Canada and Mexico Construct U.S. Power. Mildenberger has an M.A. (Global Governance) from the University of Waterloo and an Hon. B.Sc. (Botany and International Relations) from the University of Toronto.
Discussants

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Mikulas Fabry is a fellow at the Wilson Center and an assistant professor in the Sam Nunn School of International Affairs at the Georgia Institute of Technology. His research interests involve moral and legal dimensions of world politics, especially those pertaining to sovereignty, territory, security, and democracy. His writings have focused mainly on the practice of recognition of states and governments. Fabry is the author of Recognizing States: International Society and the Establishment of New States since 1776 (Oxford University Press, 2010). He has also published several chapters in edited volumes and articles in the journals *Millennium*, *Diplomacy and Statecraft*, *Global Society*, and *Nationalities Papers*. His book project at the Wilson Center explores the historical evolution and current dilemmas of the norm of territorial integrity in international relations and law.

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