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THE HONOURABLE JOHN MANLEY

Former Deputy Prime Minister
Former Minister of Foreign Affairs of Canada
AWARD FOR PUBLIC SERVICE

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WOODROW WILSON AWARD FOR PUBLIC SERVICE **HONOUREE**

THE HONOURABLE JOHN MANLEY FORMER DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER FORMER PRESIDENT AND CEO OF BUSINESS COUNCIL OF CANADA



The Honourable John Manley, P.C., O.C., is a former Deputy Prime Minister of Canada. He served in the Canadian Parliament from 1988 to 2004 as M.P. for Ottawa South, From 1993 to 2003 he was a Minister in the governments of Prime Minister Jean Chrétien, serving in the portfolios of Industry, Foreign Affairs, and Finance, in addition to being Deputy Prime Minister.

Following the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001, Mr. Manley was named Chair of a Cabinet Committee on Public Security and

Anti-terrorism, serving as counterpart to Governor Tom Ridge, the first U.S. Secretary of Homeland Security. In recognition of the role he played following 9/11, TIME Canada named him "2001 Newsmaker of the Year".

After a 16-year career in politics, Mr. Manley returned to the private sector in 2004 where he has continued to be active in public policy, as a media commentator, speaker, and adviser to governments of differing political stripes.

In the private sector, Mr. Manley has practiced law, and served as President and Chief Executive Officer of the Business Council of Canada from 2010 to 2018. He has been a very active corporate director, and serves as the Chair of CIBC, CIBC Bank USA, and CAE, and is a board member of TELUS. He is a founding member of the Wilson Center Global Advisory Council and Chair of the Canadian Global Affairs Institute (CGAI) Advisory Council.

An Officer of the Order of Canada, Mr. Manley graduated from Carleton University and in law from the University of Ottawa where he was the gold medalist in his class. He is the recipient of many awards and honours, including honourary doctorates from Carleton University and the universities of Ottawa, Toronto, Western Ontario, Windsor, and York.

He was born, raised, and continues to live in Ottawa. His every day is made better by his three grandsons who are perfect in every way.

WOODROW WILSON AWARD FOR **PUBLIC SERVICE HONOUREE**

THE HONOURABLE TOM RIDGE CHAIRMAN, RIDGE GLOBAL FORMER UNITED STATES SECRETARY OF HOMELAND SECURITY



Tom Ridge is the Chairman of Ridge Global, LLC, Chairman of the Ridge Global Cybersecurity Institute and a Partner of Ridge Policy Group, LLC. He provides clients with solutions to cyber security, international security, and risk management issues. Following the tragic events of September 11th, 2001, Tom Ridge became the first Assistant to the President for Homeland Security and, on January 24, 2003, became the first Secretary of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security. The creation of the country's 15th Cabinet Department marked the largest reorganization of government since

the Truman administration and another call to service for the former soldier, congressman and governor of Pennsylvania. During his DHS tenure, Secretary Ridge worked with more than 180,000 employees from a combined 22 agencies to create an agency that facilitated the flow of people and goods, instituted layered security at air, land, and seaports, developed a unified national response and recovery plan, protected critical infrastructure, integrated new technology, and improved information sharing worldwide. Tom Ridge served as Secretary of this historic and critical endeavor until February 1, 2005.

Before the events of September 11th, Tom Ridge was twice elected Governor of Pennsylvania. He served as the state's 43rd governor from 1995 to 2001. Governor Ridge's aggressive technology strategy helped fuel the state's advances in economic development, education, health care, and the environment. Her serves as Chairman of the Board of the National Organization on Disability (NOD) and serves as Co-Chairman of the Blue Ribbon Study Panel on Biodefense. He is on the board of the Center for the Study of the Presidency & Congress and other private and public entities. He graduated from Harvard with honors. After his first year at Penn State University's Dickinson School of Law, he was drafted into the U.S. Army, where he served as an infantry staff sergeant in Vietnam, earning the Bronze Star for Valor, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry. After returning to Pennsylvania and to Dickinson, he earned his law degree and, later, became of the first Vietnam combat veterans elected to the U.S. House of Representatives, where he served six terms.

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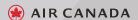


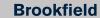


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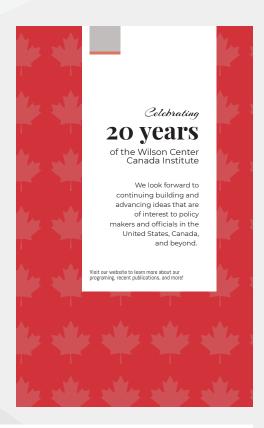
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"Congratulations on the excellent job you have done as Director. It has been great seeing the evolution of the Canada Institute at the Wilson Center during your time there."

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"I can't think of too many people who've contributed more to the Canada-U.S. conversation than Laura — who brought to her latest role an endless wealth of knowledge, a deep understanding of both countries, and an enviable supply of pithy quotes and anecdotes. Above all else, she was patient and enthusiastic in sharing her knowledge with the rest of us. We journalists who cover Canada-U.S. issues — in fact, all those who care about this continent — have reason to be grateful and to say, "thank you," today."

- Alex Panetta, POLITICO

"Well done Laura. You took the Canada Institute to a level we could only imagine in our dreams. The relationship is better for your tireless enthusiasm vision and can-do attitude. That's leadership. I thank you." – Colin Robertson

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On issues ranging from trade and supply chains to security, borders, energy, health, and the environment, the Canada Institute builds and sustains the dialogue on key Canada-U.S. concerns. Each year, the Institute hosts dozens of public seminars, holds student and business group briefings, funds Canadian scholars and scholarship, and produces research reports on important bilateral issues.

All programming and publications are provided free of charge.

The Canada Institute is one of the most important resources of the Wilson Center. Established by the U.S. Congress, the Wilson Center provides a trusted non-partisan platform, producing actionable ideas that bridge the gap between scholarship and policy. The Wilson Center was ranked this year as the number one think tank for regional studies in the United States.

The Wilson Award is a cornerstone of our mission. Given to a select group of leaders, it celebrates those who show extraordinary commitment to service in the spirit of Woodrow Wilson. Previous honourees include the Honorable Henry A. Kissinger; Hillary Rodham Clinton; the Right Honourable Stephen Harper, and Mr. Stephen Lewis, to name a few.

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