

C. Warren Goldring Annual Lecture on Canada-U.S. Relations

The Canada Institute of the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars and the Canada Institute on North America Issues present the 2005 C. Warren Goldring Annual Lecture on Canada-U.S. Relations. Held in Toronto, this lecture series promotes increased understanding of public policy decisions in both Canada and the United States.

The inaugural Goldring lecture featured Leon Panetta, former White House chief of staff and member of Congress, as the keynote speaker in February 2004. Lee H. Hamilton, president of the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, will deliver this year's lecture, "Global Realities: American Power in an Uncertain World," on September 12. He will discuss the challenges and pitfalls of U.S. foreign policy and the implications for a neighbor and ally such as Canada.

Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars

The Center is the United States' living, national memorial to President Wilson, established by Congress in 1968 and headquartered in Washington, D.C. A nonpartisan institution, supported by public and private funds, the Wilson Center is engaged in the study of national and world affairs; it maintains a lively, neutral forum for free and informed dialogue. The Center commemorates the ideals and concerns of Woodrow Wilson by providing a link between the world of ideas and the world of policy and by fostering research, study, discussion, and collaboration among a full spectrum of individuals concerned with policy and scholarship in national and world affairs.

The Canada Institute

In 2001, the Woodrow Wilson Center established the Canada Institute to explore one of America's most important bilateral relationships. It is devoted to the examination of major questions in U.S.-Canada relations, the scrutiny of issues important to both governments, and the exploration of challenges and opportunities of a rapidly evolving North American economic system.

The Canada Institute brings together top academics, government officials, and corporate leaders to explore key policy issues. The Institute has formed a partnership with the Canada Institute on North American Issues to help disseminate its programming and research findings in Canada. The Institute sponsors seminars, conferences, and research projects, working closely with Canadian universities and research institutions. The Canada Institute has set up an annual Fulbright Chair for a distinguished Canadian scholar-in-residence at the Wilson Center.

Canada Institute on North America Issues (CINAI)

The Canada Institute on North America Issues, incorporated in 2002 and affiliated with Operation Dialogue, was founded to conduct research on cross-border concerns and encourage dialogue among key government, corporate, and academic institutions in Canada and the United States.

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Special Guest Speaker:

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“Global Realities: American Power in an Uncertain World”

Monday, September 12, 2005

Reception: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Lecture: 5:45 - 7:00 p.m.

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Lee Hamilton is president of the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, and director of the Center on Congress at Indiana University. From 1965-1999, he was a U.S. Representative from Indiana's Ninth District, serving as chairman of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs, the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, the Select Committee to Investigate Covert Arms Transactions with Iran, and the Joint Economic Committee. Since leaving the House, Mr. Hamilton has served as a commissioner on the United States Commission on National Security in the 21st Century (the Hart-Rudman Commission); and as vice-chairman of the National Commission on Terrorist Attacks against the United States (the 9/11 Commission). He is currently a member of the Homeland Security Advisory Council. Mr. Hamilton is the recipient of numerous honorary degrees and awards for public service. Before his election to Congress, he practiced law in Chicago and Columbus, Indiana.

C. Warren Goldring has had a long and distinguished career marked by personal achievement and an overwhelming commitment to Canada. A graduate in political science and economics from the University of Toronto, he later received the prestigious Hudson Bay Scholarship to attend the London School of Economics. He was one of the founders of AGF Management Ltd. in 1957, was appointed president in 1975, and today remains as chairman of the board.

Mr. Goldring is active in many civic organizations, including Operation Dialogue, which he founded to inspire discussion among Canadians about what it means to be Canadian. Mr. Goldring is pleased to support this lecture series as part of the continuing dialogue on the important issues in Canada-U.S. relations.