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FROM THE PRESIDENT

In the spring of 1780, as American forces suffered a devastating loss in the Siege of Charleston, John Adams, James Bowdoin, and sixty other visionaries founded the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. The Academy's charter members pledged to "cultivate every art and science which may tend to advance the interest, honor, dignity, and happiness of a free, independent, and virtuous people." Now, 237 years later, the American Academy, through its commitment to championing civil dialogue and promoting useful knowledge, continues to advance the interests of the nation and the world.

The pages that follow describe the projects and publications that are the work of Academy Members. Some, like "New Models for U.S. Science and Technology Policy, the Commission on Language Learning, and the Commission on the Future of Undergraduate Education, address issues important to research and higher education. Others, like New Dilemmas in Ethics, Technology, and War and The Public Face of Science, are projects with wider implications for public policy. The Public Face of Science Initiative, for instance, seeks to understand how trust, or mistrust, in science develops.

The Academy's Exploratory Fund invites Members to meet with their colleagues across disciplines and professions to discuss questions of common interest. Through the Exploratory Fund, Members have examined such topics as the poor record of providing low-income citizens with access to legal representation, the future of jazz, and the need to develop a new international norm to protect cultural heritage in conflict zones.

Academy Members are more active than ever in the commissions, projects, and exploratory meetings described in this publication. And Members are taking responsibility for making the work of the Academy better known so that it can, as the founders imagined, advance the common good. The Academy organized 100 meetings of its Members, 50 of them in 24 cities beyond our Cambridge home base. Local Programs Committees have formed in 12 cities from New Haven to New York and Washington, D.C.; from Houston to St. Louis; and from San Diego to Los Angeles and Berkeley.

We are living at a time when the public and policy-makers are looking for information they can trust and for venues that provide open and civil discourse – in search of a consensus on policies that advance the common good. The Academy, known for its independent, evidence-based research, has an important role to play. I invite Members to contact me if they would like to engage in the work described in the pages that follow or have other ideas they would like to pursue through the Academy.

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cademy projects in Science, Engineering, and Technology seek to strengthen the capacity of science and engineering to improve the human condition. This goal has never been more important for the nation, or for the world. Global challenges increasingly require collaboration across disciplinary, professional, and national boundaries, while rapid advances in information processing and transmission raise new issues for both the management of scientific and technical information and for the ability of individuals and institutions to assimilate and act on new discoveries.

Drawing on the broad expertise of its membership and outside experts, Academy studies analyze the impact of advances in science, engineering, and technology and develop policy recommendations that are made available to government, academia, nongovernmental organizations, and the private sector. Activities focus on increasing public understanding of current research and technological change, and on helping society adapt effectively and make meaningful use of new scientific and technical knowledge. Areas of interest include U.S. productivity in science and engineering; public understanding of, and trust in, science, engineering, and medicine; and how the adoption of new technologies shapes, and is shaped by, societal values and individual and institutional decision-making. More information about this program area is available on the Academy's website at www.amacad.org/science.

PROJECT

NEW MODELS FOR U.S. SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY POLICY

In September 2014, the New Models for U.S. Science and Technology Policy commission issued its report, Restoring the Foundation: The Vital Role of Research in Preserving the American *Dream.* The report underscored the importance of federally supported research, particularly basic research, that is critical for driving innovation and ensuring economic opportunities. The report also called for long-term planning and sustainability for the nation's research enterprise.

In today's fast-paced, high-tech, knowledge-based economy, staying globally competitive requires innovation and rapid integration of new knowledge and technologies that emerge from investments in research and development. The Restoring the Foundation report and subsequent follow-up efforts urged a greater focus on the long-term sustainability of the U.S. research enterprise and offered recommendations in three areas that will be critical for securing America's leadership in science, engineering, and technology in the twenty-first century:

- Secure America's Leadership in Science and Engineering Research - Especially Basic Research - by Providing Sustainable Federal Investments. America is falling behind in innovation by failing to make sustainable long-term investments needed to remain the global leader in industry and commerce.
- Ensure that the American People Receive the Maximum Benefit from Federal Investments in Research. Many current policies and practices in government, industry, and universities have become overly burdensome and diminish the productivity of the research system.
- Regain America's Standing as an Innovation Leader by Establishing a More Robust National Government-University-Industry Research Partnership. The United States is in need of a new kind of research partnership that includes government (federal and state), universities (public and private), and industry, as well as philanthropy and private foundations, in which each sector supports the nation's science and technology research enterprise.

Several initiatives have emerged in response to Restoring the Foundation. In June 2015, the Academy joined with a coalition of organizations in issuing "Innovation: An American Imperative," a statement in support of several of the report's key recommendations. The leaders of nine large U.S. corporations signed the call to action, which urged Congress to enact policies and make investments to ensure that the United States remains the global innovation leader. Over five hundred organizations from all fifty states have endorsed the call to action.

In October 2015, members of the Innovation Imperative coalition held a public symposium on Capitol Hill, at which industry leaders discussed federal policies and investments that would promote innovation, stimulate economic growth and prosperity, and ensure the country's health and national security. In January 2016, a bipartisan group of members from both houses of Congress sent a letter to their colleagues that underscored the importance of several policy prescriptions set forth in the *Restoring the Foundation* report and reaffirmed by the Innovation Imperative call to action.

In May 2016, Academy Member Jeannette M. Wing, formerly Corporate Vice President at Microsoft Research, delivered testimony on Restoring the Foundation before the Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation to further elevate the profile of the report's recommendations for enhancing the U.S. research enterprise. Legislation addressing several of the report's recommendations, including affirming the value of peer review and reducing administrative burdens on researchers, was passed by the U.S. Congress in December 2016 and signed into law by President Barack Obama in January 2017. One other recommendation, to strengthen and make permanent the R&D tax credit for businesses, was passed by Congress in December 2015.

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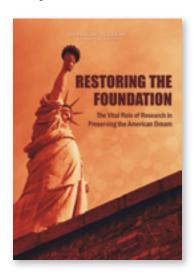
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**PROJECT PUBLICATION ** NEW MODELS FOR U.S. SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY POLICY



Restoring the Foundation: The Vital Role of Research in Preserving the American Dream (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2014)

PROJECT

THE PUBLIC FACE OF SCIENCE

The Public Face of Science initiative engages a broad range of experts in communication, law, humanities, the arts, journalism, public affairs, and the physical, social, and life sciences. The initiative is addressing various aspects of the complex and evolving relationship between scientists and the public, including:

- 1) Trust and Perception: The project is studying how individual beliefs and scientific comprehension affect the perception of and trust in the scientific process, including:
 - How scientific discourse, disputes, and consensus are portrayed in the media;
 - To what extent the public has confidence in the selfcorrecting nature of science; and
 - How journalistic practices could be refined to better convey the incremental and iterative process of scientific research.
- 2) Public and Media Engagement: The Academy is organizing conversations with members around the country to examine how the public's understanding of, and trust in, science has varied historically among scientific fields, and to encourage and equip members to engage more closely

with nonscientific audiences. Additionally, building on the Academy's publication Science and the Media (2010), the project is organizing a series of discussions with science journalists in Boston and across the country to examine the role of the media (including new outlets such as social, digital, and local media) in shaping the public's perception of how scientists work, think, collaborate, and debate.

3) Informing Policy and Action: To complement the activities described above, the Academy is undertaking a series of short-term (12-18 month) studies examining how scientists are consulted during public decision-making processes. Examples include court decisions and responses to natural disasters and disease outbreaks.

While this project does not directly address scientific literacy in K-12 and adult education, it will inform such efforts by fostering a greater understanding of the public's attitude toward science. Accordingly, throughout this initiative the Academy will seek opportunities to partner with radio and television producers to create programming that conveys key findings to public audiences.

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PROJECT MEETINGS \\ THE PUBLIC FACE OF SCIENCE

The Evolving Public Face of Science: Roundtable Discussion with Knight Science Journalism Fellows and Nieman Fellows

September 25, 2016 American Academy Cambridge, MA

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Public Engagement Working Group

Spring 2017 American Academy Cambridge, MA

The Academy convened a Public Engagement Working Group in Spring 2017 under the auspices of the Public Face of Science initiative.

While the public has exhibited relatively stable trust in science over the past several decades, there exists a wide gap between the views of scientists and the public on certain topics, including climate change, genetically modified organisms, and vaccine safety. Emerging scientific advancements, such as artificial intelligence and genetic engineering in humans, bring the risk of additional misalignments in the views of scientists and nonscientists, which will likely complicate the development of public policies and ethical guidelines related to these advances.

The Academy's Public Engagement Working Group provided a forum for a diverse group of participants from the Greater Boston area, including scientists, historians, and communication experts, to draw lessons from historical case studies that could be applied to future efforts to develop public consensus on potentially controversial scientific developments.

Session 1: Introduction and Case Study Selection – February 23, 2017

The first session introduced the Working Group, clarified its purpose and goals, and finalized the selection of the case studies.

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT WORKING GROUP, continued

Sessions 2–4: An Examination of Three Case Studies

For each of these three sessions, the Academy invited history of science scholars and other experts to examine how governance mechanisms, public engagement activities, and other social factors help shape public attitudes on contentious scientific topics.

Case Study 1: Vaccines – March 30, 2017 Speakers: Barry Bloom (Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health; cochair of the American Academy report on *Public Trust in Vaccines*) and Seth Mnookin (Massachusetts Institute of Technology; cochair of the American Academy report on *Public Trust in Vaccines*)

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Case Study 3: Atmospheric Pollution and Climate Change – May 11, 2017

Speakers: James Fleming (Colby College) and Philip Duffy (Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution)

Session 5: Connecting to the Public - June 8, 2017

During the final session, participants refined the lessons learned from the case studies and developed ideas on how to build trust and engage the public in preparation for future innovations. Speakers: Jennifer Hochschild (Harvard University) and David Kaiser (Massachusetts Institute of Technology)

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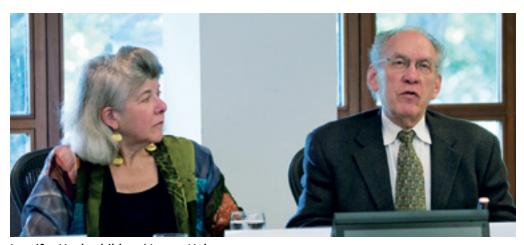
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Encountering Science in Everyday Life: How Public Engagement with Science Shapes Long-Term Attitudes

June 1–2, 2017 American Academy Cambridge, MA

At this workshop, the participants discussed the existing data on public perceptions of science and how the public learns about science. They also identified gaps in the scholarly understanding of these issues, and discussed how additional

data could be collected to improve the understanding of public perceptions of science. The conclusions from the workshop will form the basis of a research agenda and be published in forthcoming Academy reports.

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PUBLIC FACE OF SCIENCE \\ SCIENCE DURING CRISIS

The American Academy is carrying out a two-year study on the coordination and deployment of interdisciplinary scientific teams during crisis response. On April 20 and 21, 2017, the Academy convened a meeting of crisis advisors, emergency response managers, and scholars to develop best practices for science during crisis; a research agenda on the topic; and recommendations for policy-makers at the federal, state, and local levels. The conclusions from the discussion will be published in a forthcoming Academy report.

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**PROJECT MEETING ** SCIENCE DURING CRISIS

Workshop on Science During Crisis

April 20–21, 2017 American Academy Cambridge, MA

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PUBLIC FACE OF SCIENCE \\ SCIENCE AND THE LEGAL SYSTEM

Scientific and technological advances have increased the overlap between scientific learning and legal issues. Yet leading scientists are often reluctant to become involved with the legal system or have difficulties in communicating their knowledge. Despite the importance of the issue, there are few systematic studies of how scientists view the legal system and of their experiences as consultants to lawyers or judges or as expert witnesses. The American Academy is studying these issues through a survey of its scientist members and

through in-depth conversations with selected scientific and legal experts. The goal is to learn what motivates scientists to participate or to refuse to participate in legal processes and to recommend ways to improve the science-law relationship.

The project will culminate in a *Dædalus* issue that will include essays by leading scientists and lawyers as well as an article summarizing survey results from the Science and the Legal System study.

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**PROJECT MEETINGS ** SCIENCE AND THE LEGAL SYSTEM

Science and the Legal System panel at the 2017 American Association for the Advancement of Science Annual Meeting

February 18, 2017 Hynes Convention Center Boston, MA

Three Academy members led a panel discussion on "When the Legal System Seeks Help from Scientists: Successes and Failures," about the survey results from the Science and the Legal System study. The session was part of the American Association for the Advancement of Science's 2017 Annual Meeting and was featured in a news article published in *Science* Magazine as a part of its coverage of the conference. A full report of the results will be presented in a forthcoming issue of *Dædalus* on Science and the Legal System.

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July 20–21, 2017 American Academy Cambridge, MA

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PROJECT

THE ALTERNATIVE ENERGY FUTURE

Extensive studies of energy and climate have concluded that the energy system in the United States must undergo a substantial transformation to address economic, environmental, and geopolitical challenges. As this transformation takes place, both individuals and public- and private-sector institutions will need to adapt to the profound societal change that will accompany the adoption of new energy technologies. The Alternative Energy Future project is developing a cohesive understanding of the social and regulatory factors that can either inhibit or facilitate transformative change in the U.S. energy system.

The project objectives are: 1) to demonstrate the value of social science in designing and adopting innovations in the physical energy system; and 2) to create a research program aimed at understanding how governing institutions and policy design must adapt to the demands of a changing energy infrastructure.

Building on the 2011 Academy report *Beyond Technology: Strengthening Energy Policy through Social Science* and two special issues of *Dædalus* on the Alternative Energy Future, the Academy is undertaking a research project to better understand the design attributes that contribute to policy durability and flexibility. The study draws on lessons from the Clean Air Act (CAA), which is a prominent example of a policy that has persisted for decades while adapting continuously to new scientific, technological, and economic information.

The Academy study uses five specific components of the CAA as case studies to facilitate identification of crucial design attributes that promote or detract from both policy durability and flexibility and positive program outcomes. The case studies and their conclusions will be published in a forthcoming book from Cambridge University Press.

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PROJECT PUBLICATIONS \\ THE ALTERNATIVE ENERGY FUTURE





"The Alternative Energy Future," vols. 1 – 2, *Dædalus* (Spring 2012 and Winter 2013)

Beyond Technology: Strengthening Energy Policy through Social Science (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2011)

PROJECT MEETINGS \\ THE ALTERNATIVE ENERGY FUTURE

Durability and Adaptability in Energy Policy Study Group Meeting

July 21, 2016 Resources for the Future Washington, D.C.

At this meeting, study group members reviewed drafts of the chapters that will be published in a forthcoming edited volume from Cambridge University Press.

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Durability and Adaptability in Energy Policy Workshop

March 3, 2017 Resources for the Future Washington, D.C.

Study group members presented the study conclusions at a workshop attended by forty scholars of energy and environmental policy, including legal scholars, economists, political scientists, and practicing lawyers. The feedback will be integrated into the five case studies prior to publication of the edited volume.

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PROJECT

NEW DILEMMAS IN ETHICS, TECHNOLOGY, AND WAR

The project on New Dilemmas in Ethics, Technology, and War explores the ethical and moral issues created by changes in military technology and the evolving character of warfare. This study follows from the observation that although technological innovations and political developments are altering the conventional way in which warfare is conducted, efforts to align the international legal framework with this evolving context have lagged behind. The ethical and legal fabric traditionally provided by the International Law of Armed Conflict has been eroded and undermined by the rise of non-state actors and the deployment of new military technology, such as drones and cyber weapons, which increasingly reduce the human role in combat operations.

The project addresses the growing gap between the scholarship on ethics and war and the policy-relevant work that can influence government decisions and public debates.

The project has produced two issues of $D\alpha$ dalus that, together with an extensive policy outreach strategy, are influencing and shaping pertinent policy debates by identifying and disseminating key lessons learned and policy recommendations that might be of value to policy-makers and military strategists.

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PROJECT PUBLICATIONS \\ NEW DILEMMAS IN ETHICS, TECHNOLOGY, AND WAR





"Ethics, Technology & War," *Dædalus* (Fall 2016)

"The Changing Rules of War," *Dædalus* (Winter 2017)

PROJECT MEETINGS \\ NEW DILEMMAS IN ETHICS, TECHNOLOGY, AND WAR

A Collective Moral Awakening: Ethical Choices in War and Peace

November 16, 2016 Stanford University

On November 16, 2016, the New Dilemmas in Ethics, Technology, and War project hosted a Stated Meeting at Stanford University to explore how complex organizations – such as the military, government, international organizations, and the

medical and humanitarian communities – navigate between national security imperatives and ethical and legal commitments. The panelists presented their contributions to the Fall 2016 and Winter 2017 *Dædalus* volumes.

Participants

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Scott Sagan, Joseph Felter, Paul Wise, and Debra Satz

Briefings in Brussels

November 28, 2016 Brussels, Belgium

On November 28, 2016, members of the New Dilemmas in Ethics, Technology, and War project participated in a series of briefings in Brussels with representatives from the European Commission's European Group on Ethics in Science and New Technologies and the International Crisis Group. During a

briefing with NATO, Project Chair Scott D. Sagan presented his *Dædalus* essay, "The Nuclear Necessity Principle: Making U.S. Targeting Policy Conform with Ethics & the Laws of War," coauthored with Jeffrey G. Lewis.

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Ethical Dilemmas in War

November 29, 2016 King's College London London, United Kingdom

On November 29, 2016, the New Dilemmas in Ethics, Technology, and War project and the School of Security Studies at King's College London co-hosted a series of panel discussions

on the ethical dilemmas presented by nuclear weapons, rules of engagement on the battlefield, and emerging technologies, including autonomous weapons.

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Revisiting Hiroshima in Iran: Real American Attitudes about Nuclear Weapons and Non-Combatant Immunity

November 30, 2016 Blavatnik School of Government, University of Oxford Oxford, United Kingdom

On November 30, 2016, Scott D. Sagan spoke at the University of Oxford's Blavatnik School of Government about the New Dilemmas in Ethics, Technology, and War project. He discussed new survey findings that suggest that the U.S. pub-

lic continues to consider nuclear weapons as purely defensive weapons with a role to deter any potential attack from adversaries, and that the public seems to be against any possible active use of nuclear weapons in armed conflicts.

Speaker

Scott D. Sagan Stanford University

Roundtables with the United Nations Department of Peacekeeping Operations

February 22, 2017 and April 28, 2017 UN Headquarters New York, NY

On February 22 and April 28, 2017, the New Dilemmas in Ethics, Technology, and War project organized a series of roundtables with the UN Department of Peacekeeping Operations (UNDPKO). Project members discussed some of the policy implications for peacekeeping that were highlighted in their

Dædalus essays and engaged in discussions with representatives from UNDPKO and the UN Department of Political Affairs about the ethical implications of some of the issues that UN peace operations face in a context of changing warfare.

ROUNDTABLE ON "POPULATIONS, PERCEPTIONS, POWER, AND PEACE OPERATIONS"

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ROUNDTABLE ON "INTELLIGENCE IN UN PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS"

Participants

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Participants at the roundtable on "Populations, Perceptions, Power, and Peace Operations"; panelists (back, left to right): William Reno, Clare Lockhart, Jacob N. Shapiro, Tanisha Fazal, Scott D. Sagan, and Renata Dwan

2017 Distinguished Morton L. Mandel Annual Public Lecture Ethics and the Global War on Terror: Can Conflicts with Non-State Actors Be Fought in a Just Way?

March 8, 2017 American Academy Cambridge, MA

On March 8, 2017, the Academy hosted a panel discussion about the ethical challenges posed by the long, intense, and enduring conflicts between states and non-state actors in the twenty-first century, of which ISIL's declaration of an "Islamic caliphate" in Syria and Iraq is just the latest chap-

ter. The meeting was live-streamed and local discussions for members and other guests were held at The George Washington University, Stanford University, the University of Notre Dame, the United States Air Force Academy, and the United States Military Academy at West Point.

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New Dilemmas in Ethics, Technology, and War Workshop

April 24, 2017 United States Air Force Academy Denver, CO

On April 24, 2017, the Academy co-hosted a workshop with the United States Air Force Academy (USAFA) and the Center for International Security and Cooperation at Stanford University. The workshop, which included approximately 120 faculty and students from the USAFA, the University of Denver, and

Colorado College, featured presentations by several project contributors, breakout discussions, and a plenary meeting to identify new research questions. On the following day, Scott Sagan and C. Robert Kehler gave a guest lecture and participated in an additional roundtable discussion with cadets.

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Participants listen as **C. Robert Kehler** responds to comments from discussants **Michael Martindale** and **Sannia Abdullah**.

PROJECT

THE GLOBAL NUCLEAR FUTURE

The Global Nuclear Future (GNF) Initiative is an interdisciplinary and multinational project that is seeking to engage nuclear newcomers in conversations on nuclear safety, security, and nonproliferation.

As an increasing number of countries today explores the possibility of establishing nuclear power plants to meet the mounting energy needs of a growing population, it is important for the nuclear policy community worldwide to assist these countries in developing responsible nuclear programs in accordance with international standards of regulation and governance. The GNF project brings together diverse communities, including leading experts from academia, government, nongovernmental organizations, and the nuclear industry, to foster dialogue and debate with and among nuclear newcomers and encourage transparency and international cooperation.

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- developing regional networks of knowledge in Southeast Asia and the Middle East that could assist nuclear newcomers and nuclear aspirant countries in developing a safe, secure, and proliferation-resistant program;
- identifying the best strategies and policies to manage the nuclear fuel cycle, including the back-end of the nuclear fuel cycle and the transfer and governance of dual-use technology;
- 3) identifying possible strategies to minimize the risks of insider threats within nuclear laboratories and power plants.

Some of the project's activities include convening nuclear experts and scholars, with the objective of promoting dialogue among regional players; hosting policy briefings and consultations with government officials and representatives of the nuclear industry; and commissioning papers and publications, often co-authored by regional experts, to enhance academic cooperation and nurture interstate intellectual exchanges.

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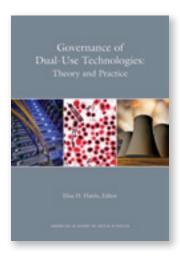
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PROJECT PUBLICATIONS \\ THE GLOBAL NUCLEAR FUTURE







Multinational Storage of Spent Nuclear Fuel and Other High-Level Nuclear Waste: A Roadmap for Moving Forward Robert D. Sloan (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2017)

Insider Threats
edited by Matthew Bunn
and Scott D. Sagan (Cornell
University Press, 2017)

Governance of Dual-Use Technologies: Theory and Practice edited by Elisa D. Harris (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2016)

The Back-End of the Nuclear Fuel Cycle: Establishing a Viable Roadmap for a Multilateral Interim Storage Facility Robert Rosner, Lenka Kollar, and James P. Malone (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2015)

Nuclear Power in Vietnam: International Responses and Future Prospects Tanya Ogilvie-White (American Academy of Arts and

Sciences, 2014)

Nuclear Liability: A Key Component of the Public Policy Decision to Deploy Nuclear Energy in Southeast Asia Mohit Abraham (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2014) A Worst Practices Guide to Insider Threats: Lessons from Past Mistakes

Matthew Bunn and Scott D. Sagan (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2014)

Lessons Learned from "Lessons Learned": The Evolution of Nuclear Power Safety after Accidents and Near-Accidents Edward D. Blandford and Michael M. May (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2012)

Nuclear Collisions: Discord, Reform & the Nuclear Nonproliferation Regime essay by Steven E. Miller, with responses by Wael Al-Assad, Jayantha Dhanapala, C. Raja Mohan, and Ta Minh Tuan (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2012)

The Back-End of the Nuclear Fuel Cycle: An Innovative Storage Concept Stephen M. Goldberg, Robert Rosner, and James P. Malone (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2012)

Game Changers for
Nuclear Energy
Kate Marvel and Michael
May (American Academy of
Arts and Sciences, 2011)

Nuclear Reactors: Generation to Generation Stephen M. Goldberg and Robert Rosner (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2011) Challenges to the NPT Review Conference: Lessons from the Past; Opportunities for the Future (confidential report, May 2010)

Nuclear Energy in the Middle East: Implications, Challenges, Opportunities (American Academy of Arts

(American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2010)

Multinational Approaches to the Nuclear Fuel Cycle Charles McCombie & Thomas Isaacs, Noramly Bin Muslim, Tariq Rauf, Atsuyuki Suzuki, Frank von Hippel, and Ellen Tauscher (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2010)

Nuclear Disarmament: A Global Debate essay by Scott D. Sagan, with responses by James M. Acton, Jayantha Dhanapala, Mustafa Kibaroglu, Harald Müller, Yukio Satoh, Mohamed I. Shaker, and Achilles Zaluar (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2010)

Shared Responsibilities for

"On the Global Nuclear Future," vols. 1 – 2, *Dædalus* edited by Steven E. Miller and Scott D. Sagan (Fall 2009 and Winter 2010)

PROJECT MEETINGS \\ THE GLOBAL NUCLEAR FUTURE

Insider Threats: A Worst Practices Guide to Preventing Insider Leaks, Attacks, Theft, and Sabotage

May 10, 2017 Center for Strategic and International Studies Washington, D.C.

On May 10, 2017, the Global Nuclear Future Initiative, in collaboration with the Center for Strategic and International Studies, hosted a book launch event for *Insider Threats*. Scott D. Sagan and Matthew Bunn outlined cognitive and organizational biases that lead organizations to downplay an insider

threat, and highlighted worst practices from these past mistakes. Following the event, Professors Bunn and Sagan met with representatives from the National Nuclear Security Administration.

Speakers

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Scott D. Sagan Stanford University

Sharon Squassoni Center for Strategic and International Studies



Sharon Squassoni, Scott D. Sagan, Matthew Bunn, and Rolf Mowatt-Larssen

Briefings at Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory

May 15, 2017 Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory Livermore, CA

On May 15, 2017, Matthew Bunn and Scott D. Sagan presented key findings from their new book Insider Threats to staff at Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, which had adopted an earlier GNF Occasional Paper, A Worst Practices Guide to Insider Threats: Lessons from Past Mistakes, as a training document.

Speakers

Matthew Bunn Harvard University Scott D. Sagan Stanford University

Book Launch Event

May 16, 2017
Center for International Security and Cooperation
Stanford University

On May 16, 2017, during an event at the Center for International Security and Cooperation at Stanford University, Matthew Bunn and Scott D. Sagan presented their new book,

Insider Threats, produced as part of the Global Nuclear Future Initiative and published by Cornell University Press.

Speakers

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PROJECT

CIVIL WARS, VIOLENCE, AND INTERNATIONAL RESPONSES

This project follows from the observation that the existing frameworks used by the United States to address civil wars and states plagued with internal violence are insufficient and outdated, and therefore the responses are often ineffective. Moreover, the risks and threats associated with civil wars and state disorder affect more than just the state in question; civil wars often carry adverse consequences for regional stability and can and do affect the rich and developed nations of the world. The scholarship produced by this project, which will be pub-

lished in two issues of *Dædalus*, examines why it is so difficult to end civil wars and state disorder and highlights the risks and possible policy prescriptions. Project participants will travel to Ethiopia, Sri Lanka, and several other strategically chosen locations to discuss their findings with government leaders, decision-makers, academics, heads of nongovernmental organizations, and journalists, among others. These discussions will help shape a white paper that will be used to inform policymakers in Washington, D.C. and the international community.

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PROJECT PUBLICATIONS \\ CIVIL WARS, VIOLENCE, AND INTERNATIONAL RESPONSES

"Civil Wars & Global Disorder: Threats & Opportunities," *Dædalus* (Fall 2017)

"Ending Civil Wars: Constraints & Possibilities," *Dædalus* (Winter 2018)

PROJECT MEETINGS \\ CIVIL WARS, VIOLENCE, AND INTERNATIONAL RESPONSES

Civil Wars, Violence, and International Responses Authors' Workshop

November 2–4, 2016 American Academy Cambridge, MA

Project participants and other experts gathered at the House of the Academy to discuss draft essays for two forthcoming issues of *Dædalus* and explore project outreach strategies.

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Participants at the authors' workshop on Civil Wars, Violence, and International Responses



Academy President **Jonathan Fanton** and former Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern Affairs **Anne Patterson**

Briefings in London on Civil Wars, Violence, and International Responses

November 28–29, 2016 London, United Kingdom

Ambassador Karl Eikenberry met with representatives of the International Institute for Strategic Studies, Chatham House, the Royal United Services Institute, and the British Academy to discuss the project on Civil Wars, Violence, and International Responses and its goals and to explore collaborative outreach activities.

Among the topics discussed in the papers are: 1) the pros-

pects for future arms control deals between Russia and the

United States; 2) the conditions that make the use of nuclear

weapons increasingly plausible in today's world; and 3) the

increased complexity of nuclear deterrence among multiple

nuclear weapons states. In the second phase, the Academy

will invite nuclear scholars from selected nuclear weapons

states countries to comment on the commissioned papers.

The papers and the commentaries will be published in three

forthcoming Occasional Papers, which will be used to engage

with policy-makers in the United States. In the third phase, the

project will publish a special issue of *Dædalus* on the changing nuclear order. In addition, the project will collaborate with

high schools and universities in the United States to develop

curricula on nuclear related topics to raise awareness on the

PROJECT

UNDERSTANDING THE NEW NUCLEAR AGE

Understanding the New Nuclear Age will examine the challenges and opportunities presented by the changing nuclear age. The global nuclear order today is transforming along three main dimensions: 1) The nuclear posture of several nuclear weapons states has changed because of the possibility of the use of nuclear weapons in war fighting; 2) technological innovations (in the space and cyber realm in particular, although not exclusively) are impacting existing nuclear arrangements (including the extended deterrence architecture and strategic stability); and 3) the changes in the current global nuclear order affect the prospects for nuclear arms control in a multipolar world.

In the first phase, the project is examining a new framework for the contemporary nuclear age. A working group has discussed five commissioned papers on key questions related to the current role that nuclear weapons play in global security.

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PROJECT MEETINGS \\ UNDERSTANDING THE NEW NUCLEAR AGE

Working Group Meeting and Public Screening of Command and Control: The Unknown Story of the Day Our Luck Almost Ran Out

September 18–19, 2016 American Academy Cambridge, MA

On September 18–19, 2016, the Working Group of the Understanding the New Nuclear Age project discussed three papers commissioned for the project and began to develop an agenda for engagement with policy-makers and the public. The meet-

ing opened with a public screening and discussion of the documentary *Command and Control: The Unknown Story of the Day Our Luck Almost Ran Out*.

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Nina Tannenwald Brown University



William Potter, Mira Rapp-Hooper, and Vipin Narang



James Acton, Nina Tannenwald, and Jessica Tuchman Mathews

Understanding the New Nuclear Age Working Group Meeting

December 19–20, 2016 American Academy Cambridge, MA

On December 19–20, 2016, the Working Group of the Understanding the New Nuclear Age project discussed commissioned papers that investigate the changing relationships among nuclear weapons states, and began to identify next steps for the project, including a policy publication. The participants noted that the destabilizing effects of new military

capabilities, such as cyber and hypersonic weapons, coupled with growing mistrust among nuclear weapons states, are undermining the stability of the global nuclear order as it was originally conceived and leading dangerously to situations where the use of nuclear warheads might become a possibility.

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PROJECT

COMMISSION ON THE FUTURE OF UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION

Undergraduate education continues to be one of the most important avenues of opportunity in American society. But the education landscape is changing rapidly: there are more options for how and when Americans receive some form of undergraduate education. New populations, for whom the traditional four-year degree was once an impossibility, can now pursue undergraduate education in two-year, four-year, for-profit, and online institutions, according to schedules that fit their own lives. And technological advances offer new approaches to student instruction and collaboration. At the same time, rising costs are challenging the affordability of traditional postsecondary degrees.

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A Primer on the College Student Journey (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2016)

Undergraduate Financial Aid in the United States

Judith Scott-Clayton, Columbia University (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2017)

The Complex Universe of Alternative Postsecondary Credentials and Pathways Jessie Brown and Martin Kurzweil, Ithaka S+R (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2017)



PROJECT MEETINGS \\ COMMISSION ON THE FUTURE OF UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION

Congressional Visits in Washington, D.C.

September 13-14, 2016 October 3-4, 2016 March 30-31, 2017

Commission Cochair Michael McPherson and Director Francesca Purcell met with members of the U.S. Congress and their key legislative advisors to discuss the work of the Commission.

Student and Faculty Discussion Groups

Director Francesca Purcell and Program Associate Eliza Berg met with student and faculty groups to gather the groups' per-

September 15, 2016 Northeastern University Boston, MA Hosted by President Joseph Aoun

September 20, 2016 LaGuardia Community College New York, NY Hosted by **President Gail Mellow**

February 6, 2017 University of Texas, El Paso El Paso, TX Hosted by **President** Diana Natalicio

April 11, 2017 Babson College Wellesley, MA Hosted by **President Kerry Healey**

spectives and discuss their concerns about the future of American undergraduate education.

April 18, 2017 Eastern Connecticut State University Willimantic, CT Hosted by **President** Elsa Nuñez

April 24, 2017 University of Wisconsin-Madison Madison, WI Hosted by Chancellor Rebecca Blank

April 25, 2017 Rasmussen College Chicago, IL Hosted by Senior Vice President of External and College Relations **Tawnie Cortez**



Students at the University of Texas, El Paso with Commission project staff

Meetings with Academy Members and Affiliates

Commission members met with groups of Academy members to discuss the work of the Commission.

November 13, 2016 Los Angeles, CA **December 12, 2016**New York, NY
Hosted by **Glenn Hutchins**(North Island; Silver Lake)

February 7, 2017
Austin, TX
Hosted by Larry Faulkner
(University of Texas at
Austin)

April 19, 2017 Cambridge, MA

Outreach Meetings with Higher Education Organizations

March 20, 2017 Boulder, CO

Commission Cochair Michael McPherson and Director Francesca Purcell met with representatives of several higher education organizations, including the State Higher Education Executive Officers, the National Center for Higher Education Management Systems, and the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education.

June 13, 2017 Aspen Meadows, CO

Commission Chairs Michael S. McPherson and Roger W. Ferguson, Jr. spoke about the future of undergraduate education at the Forum for the Future of Higher Education.

May 9-10, 2017 Washington, D.C.

Commission members met with representatives of several national higher education organizations, including the Association of American Universities, the Association of Public and Land-grant Universities, the National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities, the American Association of Community Colleges, the American Council on Education, and the American Association of State Colleges and Universities.

Roundtable Discussions

March 21, 2017 Boulder, CO

Commission members met with educational technology experts, including David Figlio (Northwestern University), Charles Isbell (Georgia Institute of Technology), Stephen Kosslyn (Minerva Schools at KGI), and Peter Smith (University of Maryland University College), about the role of technology and online programs in undergraduate education.

March 29, 2017 Washington, D.C.

Commission members met with experts on higher education workforce partnerships, including Wes Bush (Northrop Grumman), Brian Fitzgerald (The Business-Higher Education Forum), Dane Linn (Business Roundtable), and Stan Litow (IBM), about ways for the business community to support underserved students and specific examples of programs that could be scaled or replicated.

Third Meeting of the Commission on the Future of Undergraduate Education

November 14, 2016 Los Angeles, CA

Commission members analyzed the compilation of drafts created from months of small-group writing and focused conference calls. Commissioners affirmed and discussed the crucial

role undergraduate education plays and will continue to play in the country's economy and democracy.

Fourth and Final Commission meeting

June 7, 2017 New York, NY

Commission members reviewed and discussed a penultimate draft of the final report and recommendations.



Wes Bush, Dane Linn, Stan Litow, and Brian Fitzgerald

PROJECT

THE LINCOLN PROJECT: EXCELLENCE AND ACCESS IN PUBLIC HIGHER EDUCATION

The Academy established the Lincoln Project to study the importance of public research universities, analyze economic trends affecting their operation, and recommend new strategies to sustain and strengthen these critical institutions. In regional forums held around the country, the Lincoln Project has reached out to 145 public research universities and brought together local leaders representing public higher education, government, policy, business, and philanthropy to identify common concerns and advance innovative initiatives. Some of the topics discussed at these forums include:

- How public universities can address financial challenges while fulfilling their commitment to providing an accessible and affordable undergraduate education;
- How public universities can better measure and communicate the benefits for all residents in terms of quality of life, cultural infrastructure, and direct economic benefits of state investment in higher education; and
- What role the federal government, the business sector, and philanthropy should play in sustaining the excellence of America's public research universities.

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On April 7, 2016, the project released its fifth and final publication, *Public Research Universities: Recommitting to Lincoln's Vision – An Educational Compact for the 21st Century.* The final report provides recommendations for stabilizing and strengthening the nation's public research universities. *An Educational Compact for the 21st Century* recommends that public research universities pursue new revenue streams and cultivate partners from across the private and public sectors. Most importantly, the report formulates a new educational compact – a call for state and federal governments, universities, businesses, and philanthropic organizations to come together in support of America's public research universities.

In the past year, the Lincoln Project has hosted regional dialogues and events around the country with leaders in higher education and with policy-makers at the state, regional, and federal levels to discuss the challenges and opportunities facing public higher education.

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Public Research Universities: Why They Matter (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2015)

Public Research Universities: Changes in State Funding (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2015)

Public Research Universities: Understanding the Financial Model

(American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2016)

Public Research Universities: Serving the Public Good (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2016)

Public Research Universities: Recommitting to Lincoln's Vision: An Educational Compact for the 21st Century (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2016)

PROJECT MEETINGS \\ THE LINCOLN PROJECT

July 28, 2016 Chapel Hill, NC

Philip Bredesen (former Governor of Tennessee) presented the findings of the Lincoln Project at a board meeting at the University of North Carolina.

August 5, 2016 Sacramento, CA

Robert Birgeneau (University of California, Berkeley) discussed the findings of the Lincoln Project with Sacramento Legislative Staff.

August 23, 2016 Seattle, WA

Michael Hout (New York University) presented the findings of the Lincoln Project at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association.

September 8, 2016 Berkeley, CA

Robert Birgeneau (University of California, Berkeley) and Henry Brady (University of California, Berkeley) discussed the findings of the Lincoln Project at a meeting hosted by the Center for Studies in Higher Education at the University of California, Berkeley.

PROJECT MEETINGS \\ THE LINCOLN PROJECT, continued

October 6, 2016 Cambridge, MA

Project meeting.

November 13, 2016 Austin, TX

Kay Bailey Hutchison (former United States Senator, Texas) discussed the findings of the Lincoln Project at the Annual Meeting of the Association of Public and Land-grant Universities.

December 14, 2016 Madison, WI

University of Wisconsin-Madison Chancellor Rebecca Blank hosted a regional dialogue about the Lincoln Project.

January 22, 2017 Naples, FL

Robert Birgeneau (University of California, Berkeley), Mary Sue Coleman (Association of American Universities), Earl Lewis (The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation), and George Miller (former United States Representative, California) presented the findings of the Lincoln Project at the opening panel for the Association of Governing Boards' 2017 Foundation Leadership Forum.

March 9–10, 2017 Des Moines and Iowa City, IA

Mary Sue Coleman (Association of American Universities), Phyllis Wise (Colorado Longitudinal Study), Jim Leach (University of Iowa), and Bruce Harreld (University of Iowa) participated in a public forum hosted by the University of Iowa. Lincoln Project members also participated in a roundtable discussion with state legislators, including Iowa Governor Terry Branstad.

April 25, 2017 Springfield, IL

Lincoln Project members participated in a regional dialogue with state legislators, hosted by the University of Illinois.

May 2, 2017 Seattle, WA

Robert Birgeneau (University of California, Berkeley), Daniel Greenstein (Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation), Christine Gregoire (former Washington State Governor), and Kirk Schulz (Washington State University) participated in a regional dialogue hosted by the University of Washington.



Robert Birgeneau presents at a Symposium on the Lincoln Project, hosted by the University of Washington.



he American Academy was founded to promote the pursuit of knowledge and the education of citizens in all fields of knowledge. Since 1780, the Academy has advocated for the importance of the humanities, arts, and culture in American society, and has called on both private citizens and the nation's government to help foster advances in these areas.

Today, the Academy conducts research and develops policy recommendations to advance the humanities in academic scholarship and in the public sector, to display the importance of the arts in society, and to enrich the nation's cultural life. By bringing together scholars, artists, and leaders from both the public and private sectors, Academy programs in the Humanities, Arts, and Culture put practitioners and scholars in conversation with individuals from other disciplines, ensuring that the arts and humanities are valued in all areas of civic life. Projects in this area demonstrate the value of the arts, humanities, and culture to the nation's security and prosperity, and call attention to the role played by work in these fields to enriching the health of communities and the daily lives of its citizens. More information about this program area is available on the Academy's website at www.amacad.org/humanities-arts-culture.

PROJECT

COMMISSION ON LANGUAGE LEARNING

In 2014, a bipartisan group of members of Congress asked the American Academy of Arts and Sciences to undertake a new study of the nation's language education needs. Four members of the United States Senate – Tammy Baldwin (D-Wisconsin), Mark Kirk (R-Illinois), Orrin Hatch (R-Utah), and Brian Schatz (D-Hawaii) – and four members of the House of Representatives – Rush Holt (D-New Jersey), Leonard Lance (R-New Jersey), David Price (D-North Carolina), and Don Young (R-Alaska) – signed two letters requesting that the Academy provide answers to the following questions:

How does language learning influence economic growth, cultural diplomacy, the productivity of future generations, and the fulfillment of all Americans? What actions should the nation take to ensure excellence in all languages as well as international education and research, including how we may more effectively use current resources to advance language attainment?

In response to this request, the Academy created the Commission on Language Learning. The Commission's final report,

America's Languages: Investing in Language Education for the 21st Century, offers concrete recommendations to improve access to as many languages as possible, for people of every age, ethnicity, and socioeconomic background.

On February 28, 2017, the day of the public release of *America's Languages*, Representative David Price (D-North Carolina) introduced the World Language Advancement and Readiness Act, a bill cosigned by Don Young (R-Alaska), Leonard Lance (R-New Jersey), and thirteen of their colleagues. The act proposes three-year competitive grants to support local and state school districts that want to establish, improve, or expand innovative programs in world language learning. In addition, Representative Price organized a "Dear Colleague" letter, ultimately signed by sixty-five Members of Congress, which references *America's Languages* in its defense of federal funding for Title VI education programs and Fulbright-Hays Fellowships. Senator Brian Schatz (D-Hawaii) organized a similar letter signed by twenty-three Senators.

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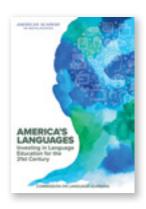
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America's Languages: Investing in Language Education for the 21st Century (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2017)

The State of Languages in the U.S.: A Statistical Portrait (American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2016)

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Press Conference and Rollout of the Language Commission's Final Report

February 28, 2017 National Press Club Washington, D.C.

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Paul LeClerc introduces the final report at the press conference.



Congressman David Price at the Congressional Briefing, with (far left to right) Jessie "little doe" Baird, Dan E. Davidson, Paul LeClerc, Jonathan F. Fanton, and Nancy McEldowney.

Roundtable Discussion

February 28, 2017 Reserve Officers Association Washington, D.C.

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Annual Conference of the National Council of Less Commonly Taught Languages

April 21, 2017 Rolling Meadows, IL

Roundtable on the Report of the National Commission on Language Education and Its Consequences for the Language Profession

Panelists

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Joint National Committee for Languages – National Council for Languages and International Studies

Annual Conference of the Association for Psychological Science

May 26, 2017 Boston, MA

Discussion group led by Philip Rubin (Haskins Laboratories)

PROJECT

THE HUMANITIES INDICATORS

The Humanities Indicators are descriptive statistics that chart trends over time in aspects of the humanities that are of interest to a wide audience and for which there are available data. The Indicators provide data on a diverse array of topics pertaining to the role of the humanities in the contemporary United States. These topics are organized into five major parts:

- Part I. Primary and Secondary Education in the Humanities:
 These Indicators cover national measures of achievement at the primary and secondary school levels; high school course-taking; and the characteristics of primary and secondary faculty.
- Part II. Undergraduate and Graduate Education in the Humanities: The Indicators in this section focus on the types of courses undergraduate and graduate students take and the degrees they receive, and consider both preparedness for graduate school and the conditions of graduate education.

- Part III. The Humanities Workforce: These Indicators describe employment in humanistic settings and occupations, with emphasis on postsecondary faculty, and also the career paths of those with undergraduate and graduate degrees in the humanities.
- Part IV. Humanities Funding and Research: These Indicators include data on federal, state, and private funding for the humanities, as well as on support for academic research.
- Part V. The Humanities in American Life: The topics currently treated in this section include humanistic skills and practices, such as reading and multilingualism; support for and utilization of various humanistic institutions, such as libraries and museums; and public attitudes toward the humanities.

The Humanities Indicators are accessible at www.humanities indicators.org.

THE HUMANITIES INDICATORS, continued

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**PROJECT MEETINGS ** THE HUMANITIES INDICATORS

Indicators Advisory Committee Meeting

January 13, 2017 Washington, D.C.

The full committee met to assess the current work of the project and to develop new initiatives for the coming year.

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National Inventory of Humanities Organizations

April 17, 2017 Washington, D.C.

The meeting convened a range of experts on the public humanities to provide guidance on a new initiative for the Human-

ities Indicators: to create a detailed data set on the full range of humanities organizations in the United States.

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COMMISSION ON THE ARTS

In February 2016, the Academy began holding a series of conversations around the country on the possibility of forming a national Commission on the Arts. Since then, the Academy has held nine conversations in eight cities around the country with groups of arts leaders, funders, and practicing artists. These conversations engaged a range of Academy members with an interest in the arts.

A series of common questions emerged from these meetings:

- What is the *role* of the arts in American life? (Many groups have addressed the *state* of the arts.) What can the arts do? What do we *want* the arts to do?
- What is the function of the arts in an increasingly diverse America? How can the arts help build empathy between people and build bridges between communities?
- What is the impact of the division between nonprofit and commercial arts?

- What is the impact of new technologies on the arts? More broadly, what is the relationship between science and the arts?
- What are the differences between distinct regional arts ecologies around the country?
- What can the nation do to encourage participation in arts-making as well as in arts attendance?

The consensus among participants in the meetings held so far is that for a commission to be successful, its mandate must be tightly focused; a general conversation that results in the conclusion that the arts are deserving of support will not be helpful. To that end, the Academy is convening a planning committee to craft a clear mandate for the commission and to identify potential outcomes.

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**EXPLORATORY MEETINGS ** COMMISSION ON THE ARTS

September 12, 2016 Washington, D.C.

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Theater

Damian Woetzel

Aspen Institute Arts Program

September 26, 2016 Cambridge, MA

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Yo-Yo Ma

Cambridge, MA

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Harvard Business School

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The Frick Collection

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Debra Wise

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EXPLORATORY MEETINGS \\ COMMISSION ON THE ARTS, continued

November 17, 2016 San Francisco, CA

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January 13, 2017 Miami, FL

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Rubell Family Collection

February 10, 2017 St. Louis, MO

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Since its founding, the American Academy of Arts and Sciences has worked to promote a "strong and virtuous" nation. Today this effort involves projects designed to advance the state of scholarship about the nation's institutions and to develop innovative solutions to problems facing American society. Projects in this area interpret the term "institution" broadly, focusing on all of the constituent elements of government and civil society. These projects seek to examine the impact of institutions on broad sectors of American society. They address how individual citizens interact with social structures, how these experiences prepare people to make a positive contribution to a diverse America, and how these institutions are changing and might operate differently in the twenty-first century. The Academy shares this research through publications, conferences, and active outreach. More information about this program area is available on the Academy's website at www.amacad.org/american-institutions.

PROJECT

MAKING JUSTICE ACCESSIBLE: DATA COLLECTION AND LEGAL SERVICES FOR LOW-INCOME AMERICANS

On November 11–12, 2015, the American Academy hosted a symposium on the state of legal services for low-income Americans. Symposium participants – including federal and state judges, legal scholars, and social scientists – agreed that the legal community does not have enough reliable and accessible data to be able to address adequately the scope and variety of the crisis in legal services. The participants also agreed that the American Academy, with its diverse membership and its history of data efforts in the humanities, could continue to be a valuable partner by organizing a set of conversations on the topic, aggregating the incomplete data that currently exist on unrepresented civil litigants, and suggesting a research agenda for future data collection efforts.

Making Justice Accessible will include the publication of an issue of *Dædalus* in Spring 2019 on "Legal Services and Access to Justice." Divided into three topics – Delivery, Interests, and the Meaning of Access to Justice – the volume will speak to the importance of civil legal aid and representation to the American justice system and the rule of law. Drawing from multiple disciplines within legal scholarship, the collection will shed light on what access to justice really means, enumerate the multiple parties and interests with a stake in equal access to civil justice, and educate the broader public about current efforts to deliver quality civil legal representation. The guest editors of the *Dædalus* issue are Lincoln Caplan (Yale Law School), Lance Liebman (Columbia Law School), David Tatel (United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit), and Rebecca Sandefur (University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign).

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The Exploratory Fund

he Exploratory Fund was established in 2015 to support Members who wish to work together, and with other scholars, experts, and practitioners, to look over the horizon for issues and opportunities not well understood, to think of problems in a fresh way, and to search for connections between research and policy that advance the common good. Through the Exploratory Fund, the Academy is committed to encouraging forward-thinking collaborations that incorporate diverse perspectives and bring together creative thinkers and leaders representing a range of disciplines, career stages, backgrounds, and experiences.

Proposals are accepted on a rolling basis and awarded funds to cover the costs associated with an Exploratory Meeting. The Exploratory Fund has supported proposals on a wide array of topics, including *The Future of Jazz in America*, *Women and Equality*, and *Understanding the New Nuclear Age*. Members are encouraged to contact the Academy President and staff to discuss their ideas for Exploratory Meetings.

The Exploratory Fund is made possible through the generous support of the Arnhold Foundation, John F. Cogan, Jr., Michael E. Gellert, Bob and Kristine Higgins, Carl and Betty Pforzheimer, William Poorvu, and Kenneth L. and Susan S. Wallach.

EXPLORATORY MEETINGS

Science and the Legal System

July 20-21, 2017 Cambridge, MA

As the overlap between scientific learning and legal issues increases, leading scientists reportedly shy away from involvement with the legal system or have difficulties communicating their knowledge. Despite the importance of this issue, there are few systematic studies on how scientists view the legal system or on their experiences as consultants to lawyers or judges or as expert witnesses. Academy Members Shari Seidman

Diamond and Richard Lempert are leading an initiative to learn what motivates scientists to participate in legal processes and recommend ways to improve the relationship between science and the law. In July they chaired a meeting at the House of the Academy for legal scholars and scientists to work together on a publication examining this topic.

EXPLORATORY MEETINGS \\ SCIENCE AND THE LEGAL SYSTEM, continued

Chairs

Shari Seidman Diamond Northwestern University Pritzker School of Law

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Valerie Hans Cornell Law School

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Jennifer L. Mnookin University of California, Los Angeles School of Law

Jed Rakoff United States District Court for the Southern District of New York

Daniel Rubinfeld University of California, Berkeley School of Law; New York University Michael Saks

Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law, Arizona State University

Joseph Sanders University of Houston Law

Patti Saris United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts

Nationalism, Populism, and the Future of Global Governance

June 12, 2017 Cambridge, MA

Academy Member Jack Snyder chaired an exploratory meeting that brought scholars and experts from the fields of political science, international affairs, bioethics, and government to the House of the Academy on June 12, 2017. The goal of the meeting was to examine whether there might be a common taproot behind the nationalist and populist movements that have recently emerged across the globe, and to look at how

these movements relate to the existing multilateral architecture of global institutions. Participants also assessed any new forms of international cooperation or conflict that could emerge from these movements, and discussed concerns about the potential for political violence and related threats to democracy, liberty, equality, economic development, and international stability.

Chair

Jack Snyder Columbia University

Participants

Isabella Bakker York University

Solomon Benatar University of Cape Town

Mark Blyth Brown University

Antonia Chayes
Tufts University

John F. Cogan, Jr.

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Daniel Drezner Tufts University; The Washington Post

Renata Dwan United Nations

Jeffry Frieden Harvard University

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Alastair Iain Johnston Harvard University

David Laitin
Stanford University

Douglas McAdam Stanford University

Pippa Norris Harvard University

William Poorvu Harvard Business School **Barry Posen**

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

William Reno
Northwestern University

Jill Schuker *Washington Center for OECD*

James Wertsch Washington University

in St. Louis

Marina von Neumann Whitman University of Michigan

The Future of Public Media

June 5, 2017 New York, NY

In 1967, the U.S. Congress passed the Public Broadcasting Act and the Carnegie Commission on Educational Television released its first and most influential report. On the fiftieth anniversary of these landmark events, Academy Member Bill Baker convened a meeting of scholars, media executives, journalists, and other experts to discuss the future of public media. In the same spirit as the Carnegie Commission, partic-

ipants spoke to the potential of public media, but also frankly assessed where it fit within a profoundly altered American media landscape, and what its continued role, if any, might be over the next fifty years and beyond. Participants also shared their hopes for public media and discussed what current trends could mean for American media and the American people.

Chair

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Participants

Jonathan Abbott WGBH

Nancy Andrews Duke University School of Medicine

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Christopher Vollmer Strategy&

Laura Walker New York Public Radio

Josh Weston Automatic Data Processing



Meeting on the Future of Public Media – back row: Thomas Streeter, Jonathan Abbott, Geoffrey Sands, Cynthia Fenneman, Virginia Roach, Al Sikes; front row: Josh Weston, Laura Walker, Henry Arnhold, Jonathan Fanton, Bishop Frank Caggiano; front: Bill Baker

The Children of Immigrants in New Places of Settlement

April 20–21, 2017 Cambridge, MA

Immigrant children and children of immigrants are the fastest growing component of America's young population, now comprising one-in-four of all persons aged 18 and younger. Too little is known about their experiences in receiving communities, especially as increasing numbers move beyond major cities and into small towns and rural areas across the U.S. South and Midwest. Under the leadership of Academy Member Alejandro Portes, thirteen scholars from across the United States and Mexico, representing the fields of sociology, education, anthropology, history, and economics, met at the House of the Academy to review the current literature on this population, discuss their concerns, and outline ideas and priorities for the future.

Chair

Alejandro Portes Princeton University

Participants

Aixa Cintron-Velez Russell Sage Foundation

Richard Duran University of California, Santa Barbara Jonathan F. Fanton

American Academy of Arts and Sciences

Patricia Fernández-Kelly Princeton University

Roberto Gonzales Harvard University

David Griffith

East Carolina University

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Douglas S. Massey Princeton University

Daniel Morales American Academy of Arts and Sciences

Krista Perreira University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Rubén G. Rumbaut University of California, Irvine

Min Zhou University of California, Los Angeles

Victor Zuniga Gonzalez Monterrey Technological Institute, Mexico



Participants at the meeting on The Children of Immigrants in New Places of Settlement.

Building and Strengthening the Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action (JCPOA)

February 5-6, 2017 Cambridge, MA

The implementation of the Iran Nuclear Agreement offered an historic opportunity to assess the state of arms control diplomacy, to distill lessons learned, and to suggest a framework for future international negotiations among the countries in the Persian Gulf and surrounding region. On February 5–6, 2017, Academy Members Robert Rosner and Donald Lamb chaired a meeting at the House of the Academy that brought together

a diverse group of thinkers, including former government officials experienced in negotiations with Iran, heads of think tanks, and scholars of nuclear studies and regional issues. The group discussed opportunities and questions raised by the JCPOA and pathways toward fruitful conversations involving P5+1 representatives, technical experts, policy-makers, and government officials.

Chairs

Robert Rosner
University of Chicago

Donald Lamb
University of Chicago

Participants

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Bill Foster U.S. Congress

Stephen Heintz Rockefeller Brothers Fund

R. Scott Kemp Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Dimitri Kusnezov

U.S. National Nuclear Security Administration

Seyed Hossein Mousavian Princeton University

Janne Nolan The George Washington University

Laura Rockwood

Vienna Center for Disarmament and Non-Proliferation

Gary Samore
Harvard University

Ali Vaez International Crisis Group

Jim Walsh Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Women and Equality

December 10, 2016 Cambridge, MA

Many take for granted that women should share with men equal access to political, economic, and social resources and leadership. The lived experiences of women, however, vary enormously: by country, by sector of the economy, by class, by race, and by a large number of other factors. On December 10, 2016, Academy Members Nannerl O. Keohane and Frances McCall Rosenbluth convened a small meeting at the House of the Academy that included scholars from the fields of sociology, economics, political science, and history. Participants explored new and comprehensive ways of thinking about social, political, and economic realities for women across multiple, diverse contexts. At the recommendation of meeting participants, the Academy will host a larger international conference in December 2017 on the topic of women and equality.



Frances McCall Rosenbluth, Nannerl O. Keohane, Rose McDermott, and Debora Spar

EXPLORATORY MEETINGS \\ WOMEN AND EQUALITY, continued

Chairs

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Frances McCall Rosenbluth Yale University

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Rafaela Dancygier Princeton University Claudia Goldin Harvard University

Mala Htun University of New Mexico

Rose McDermott
Brown University

Debora Spar Barnard College

Jessica Wilkerson American Academy of Arts and Sciences

R2P: Cultural Heritage

November 29 – December 1, 2016 London, England

An increase in attacks on cultural heritage sites since 2013, especially in Syria and Iraq, has raised questions and concerns about how best to protect irreplaceable heritage. In partnership with The J. Paul Getty Trust, Academy Member James Cuno convened a group of world renowned museum directors and specialists in international law and doctrine formation to

discuss what role the international community could play in protecting the cultural heritage of countries in warfare. The group drew on the Responsibility to Protect Norm, adopted by the United Nations in 2005, as a foundation for thinking about possible new frameworks for protecting cultural heritage sites.

Chair

James Cuno The J. Paul Getty Trust

Participants

Samir Abdulac *ICOMOS*

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Louise Richardson *University of Oxford*

Jacob Rothschild
The Rothschild Foundation

Bijan Rouhani Scientific Committee on Risk Preparedness; International Council on Monuments and Sites

Francesco Rutelli Associazione Incontro di Civiltà

EXPLORATORY MEETINGS \\ R2P: CULTURAL HERITAGE, continued

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Ismail Serageldin Library of Alexandria

Jamie Shea NATO

Charles C. Stewart University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Mana Takatori Japan Foundation London

Alberto Vial Louvre Museum

Thomas G. Weiss The City University of New York

Mariët Westermann The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation

Timothy Whalen The Getty Conservation Institute

Best Practices in Philanthropic Funding

October 17-18, 2016 Cambridge, MA

As U.S. government funding for research and other services continues to decline, nongovernmental funders, including foundations, corporations, individuals, and even foreign governments, have provided crucial support in a wide range of fields. At the same time, there have been instances, both real and perceived, in which donors may have exercised undue influence on their grantees. Academy Member Larry Kramer

convened a meeting at the House of the Academy on October 17-18, 2016, which brought together university and government officials, heads of foundations, media representatives, and researchers. Participants considered whether a statement of best practices could protect the integrity of research, the reputations of donors, and the independence of recipients.

Chair

Larry Kramer The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation

Participants

Phil Buchanan Center for Effective Philanthropy

Chad English David and Lucile Packard Foundation

Jonathan F. Fanton American Academy of Arts and Sciences

Marion Fremont-Smith

Hauser Institute for Nonprofit Organizations; Harvard Kennedy School

Sam Gill

John S. and James L. Knight Foundation

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Kenneth Prewitt Columbia University

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Richard Tofel ProPublica

Preserving Intellectual Legacies in a Digital Age

September 22–23, 2016 Cambridge, MA

As scholars become more dependent on digital technology to preserve and archive their scholarly findings, concerns about how to make intellectual production available to future generations have grown. On September 22–23, 2016, Academy Members Pamela Samuelson, Carla Hesse, and Robert Darnton convened a meeting of authors, publishers, librarians, lawyers,

archivists, and public policy experts representing an array of disciplines and backgrounds to address these concerns. Participants raised questions about the equitable transmission of scholarly and cultural knowledge and discussed new possibilities for scalable methods of digital publication and preservation.

Chairs

Pamela Samuelson

University of California, Berkeley School of Law

Carla Hesse

University of California, Berkeley

Robert Darnton Harvard University

Participants

Peter Berkery American Association of University Presses

Dan Cohen
Digital Public Library of America

Paul Courant
University of Michigan

Jonathan F. Fanton American Academy of Arts

Mike Furlough HathiTrust

and Sciences

Tom Griffiths
University of California, Berkeley

Lewis Hyde Kenyon College

Brewster Kahle Internet Archive

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Kenneth Prewitt Columbia University

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University of California, Berkeley School of Law

Don Waters

The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation

Nancy Weiss U.S. Institute of Museum and Library Services

Diane P. Wood U.S. Court of Appeals, Seventh Circuit

Jonathan Zittrain Harvard Law School



Participants at the meeting on Preserving Intellectual Legacies in a Digital Age.

Native Americans and Academia

August 21–23, 2016 Cambridge, MA

On August 21–23, 2016, Academy Members Philip J. Deloria, Loren Ghiglione, and Douglas Medin, along with Ned Blackhawk, Bryan Brayboy, K. Tsianina Lomawaima, and Mark Trahant, convened a meeting that brought Native American scholars, experts on Native American issues, and Native American tribal leaders to the House of the Academy. Participants discussed critical issues related to Native American representation

in academia, such as the future of Native American students and scholars and new intellectual directions for scholarship on American Indian people. The group also considered how academics could, through serious engagement with Native American issues, develop new models for thinking about social diversity, politics, and law that address some of the burdens of American history.

Chairs

Philip J. Deloria University of Michigan

Loren Ghiglione Northwestern University

Douglas Medin Northwestern University

in collaboration with

Ned Blackhawk Yale University

Bryan Brayboy Arizona State University

K. Tsianina Lomawaima Arizona State University

Mark Trahant University of North Dakota

Participants

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Teresa L. McCarty University of California, Los Angeles

Maggie McKinley Harvard Law School Sheilah E. Nicholas *University of Arizona*

Kyle Whyte Michigan State University

Rosita Worl Sealaska Heritage Institute

Melissa Tantaquidgeon Zobel Mohegan Tribe, Connecticut

The Future of Jazz in America

May 19, 2016 Cambridge, MA

Inspired by their concerns over the changing popular profile and diminished radio exposure of jazz music, Academy Members and jazz enthusiasts Felton Earls and William Damon convened a meeting at the House of the Academy on May 19, 2016. They brought together jazz scholars, performers, busi-

ness leaders, philanthropists, and fellow enthusiasts to discuss issues related to performance and outreach, the business of jazz, and jazz education. The group also began planning an issue of *Dædalus*, which will be guest edited by Gerald Early and Ingrid Monson and explore why jazz still matters.

Chairs

Felton Earls
Harvard University

William Damon Stanford University

Participants

Pauline Bilsky JazzBoston

Robert Blocker Yale University Tessil Collins Jazz 24/7

Stephen Daniel Seyron Partners, LLC

Gerald Early Washington University in St. Louis

Jonathan F. Fanton American Academy of Arts and Sciences Eric Jackson WGBH Jazz Radio

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Ingrid Monson Harvard University

Martin Mueller The New School

James Nadel Stanford University Robert O'Meally Columbia University

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Meghan Stabile Revive Music Group

Tod Stoll

Jazz at Lincoln Center

Judith Tick

Northeastern University



Participants at the meeting on The Future of Jazz in America

Bridging the Gap between Area and Global Studies

March 7, 2016 Cambridge, MA

With the divides between area and global studies widening, Academy Member Arthur Kleinman chaired a meeting of scholars from across the United States and the United Kingdom to develop novel ways of easing these long-standing tensions. On March 7, 2017, at the House of the Academy, participants worked to identify and better understand impedi-

ments to collaboration between the fields and to develop initial steps toward strengthening and sustaining cross-disciplinary relationships. The meeting also provided an opportunity for scholars to explore broader questions about how knowledge might be reorganized and institutionalized to support twenty-first-century scholarship.

Chair

Arthur Kleinman Harvard University

Participants

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Collaborative on Autism and Sign Language

December 12–13, 2015 Cambridge, MA

On December 12–13, 2015, Academy Members Mark Aronoff, Susan Goldin Meadow, and Charles Nelson, in collaboration with Matthew Lerner, convened a meeting of the Consortium on Autism and Sign Language at the House of the Academy. The meeting brought together scholars from more than nine fields and nineteen universities for the purpose of advancing novel

hypotheses about the emergence of communication in autism by leveraging methods and insights from the latest research on sign language. Participants also welcomed and integrated the voices of people from autistic and deaf communities into their plans for developing a cross-disciplinary research agenda on the nature of communication in these populations.

Chairs

Mark Aronoff Stony Brook University

Susan Goldin Meadow University of Chicago

Charles Nelson Harvard University

in collaboration with

Matthew Lerner Stony Brook University

Participants

Mihaela Barokova Boston University

Pamela Block Stony Brook University

Noah Britton Bunker Hill Community College Jamie Burke Syracuse

Sheree Burke

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Alisson Canfield University of Connecticut

EXPLORATORY MEETINGS \\ COLLABORATIVE ON AUTISM AND SIGN LANGUAGE, continued

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Michelle Cheng Rutgers University

April Choi Harvard University

Francis Cooley University of Texas, Austin

Laura Edwards Harvard University

Inge-Marie Eigsti
University of Connecticut

Jacqueline Emmart Sign Language Interpreter

John Fassenden Stony Brook University

Kayla Finch Boston University

Michele Friedner
Stony Brook University

Jolanta Galloway Sign Language Interpreter

Jacquelyn Gates Stony Brook University

Morton Gernsbacher University of Wisconsin-Madison Elizabeth Grace
National Louis University

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University of Connecticut

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Jana Iverson University of Pittsburgh

Vikram Jaswal University of Virginia

Erin Kang Stony Brook University

Nancy Kanwisher Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Cara Keifer Stony Brook University

Meghan Leonhardt Stony Brook University

Matthew Lerner Stony Brook University Bianca Marro Stony Brook University

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Jessie Northrup University of Pittsburgh

Carol Padden University of California, San Diego

David Perlmutter University of California, San Diego

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Tamara Rosen Stony Brook University

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Sophie Schwartz
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Aaron Shield Miami University of Ohio

Stephen Shore Adelphi University

Shubi Sinha University of Virginia

Ruth Anna Spooner *University of Michigan*

Mrikanga Sur Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Helen Tager-Flusberg
Boston University

Rebecca Weber Stony Brook University

Kelsey West University of Pittsburgh

Melanie Yergeau University of Michigan

Making Justice Accessible

November 11-12, 2015 Cambridge, MA

By some estimates, only 20 percent of qualified Americans receive the necessary aid they require as they move through the American justice system. Millions are left unaided and unable to negotiate a complicated legal system on their own. To begin addressing this critical issue, Academy Members John Levi, Martha Minow, and Lance Liebman chaired a meeting of more than fifty judges and justices, chief justices, legal scholars, and lawyers at the House of the Academy. Participants discussed issues ranging from fees and the difficulty of navigating the court system to the role of corporations in providing pro bono representation and the use of technology in the legal profession. This meeting has inspired an Academy project on Making Justice Accessible: Data Collection and Legal Services for Low-Income Americans.

Chairs

John Levi

Legal Services Corporation; Sidley Austin LLP

Lance Liebman Columbia Law School

Martha Minow Harvard Law School

Participants

Kyle Barry Alliance for Justice

Lincoln Caplan Yale Law School

Dan Clivner Sidley Austin LLP

Lisa Colpoys Illinois Legal Aid Online

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Ron Dolin Harvard Law School

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Jonathan F. Fanton American Academy of Arts and Sciences

Fern Fisher New York City Courts

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Steve Gottlieb Atlanta Legal Aid

Robert Grev Hunton & Williams

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Nan Heald Pine Tree Legal Assistance

Nathan L. Hecht Supreme Court of Texas

William Hubbard Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP

Alexandra Lahav University of Connecticut School of Law

Bill Lee WilmerHale

David F. Levi Duke Law School

Jonathan Lippman Latham & Watkins

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Lora Livingston 261st Civil District Court

Ed Marks

New Mexico Legal Aid

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Harriet Miers Locke Lord

William Neukom World Justice Project

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Stuart Rabner Supreme Court of New Jersey

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Nick Robinson Harvard Law School James Rowan Northeastern University School of Law

Mary K. Ryan Nutter McClennen & Fish LLP

James Sandman Legal Services Corporation

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David Tatel U.S. Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit

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Frank J. Vatterott Municipal Courts Post-Ferguson Improvement Committee

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Diane P. Wood U.S. Court of Appeals, Seventh Circuit

Anthony Young Southern Arizona Legal Aid

Richard Zorza National Self-Represented Litigation Network

Understanding the New Nuclear Age

June 19, 2015 Cambridge, MA

As the foundations and principles that defined the nuclear order after World War II and during the Cold War shift and evolve, new challenges confront the international community. On June 19, 2015, Academy Member Robert Legvold chaired a meeting at the House of the Academy that brought together a group of experts in international security. The participants

examined recent changes in the dynamics of the nuclear order, explored the effect of new technologies on nuclear strategies, and assessed how future arms control agreements could be designed to address these changes. The meeting has since developed into an Academy project in the Global Security and International Affairs program area.

Chair

Robert Legvold
Columbia University

Participants

James Acton Carnegie Endowment for International Peace

Jonathan F. Fanton American Academy of Arts and Sciences Catherine Kelleher *University of Maryland*

Michael Krepon The Stimson Center

Barry Posen Massachusetts Institute of Technology Michael D. Swaine Carnegie Endowment for International Peace

Nina Tannenwald Brown University

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Friday Forum

The Friday Forum series brings together academic and cultural leaders from the greater Boston area to discuss issues of timely concern, new books, and recently completed research. Typically on the first Friday of the month, participants gather at the House of the Academy for lunch, a short presentation by a featured speaker, and a group discussion moderated by Robert Campbell (architecture critic, *The Boston Globe*), chair of the Friday Forum.

MEETINGS

November 11, 2016 House of the Academy

The Art of Rivalry: Four Friendships, Breakthroughs, and Betrayals in Modern Art

Featured Speaker: **Sebastian Smee** (art critic, *The Boston Globe*)

December 2, 2016 House of the Academy

Replacing Animal Testing Using Human Organ-on-Chips

Featured Speaker: Donald Ingber (Wyss Institute for Biologically Inspired Engineering at Harvard University; Harvard Medical School; Harvard John A. Paulson School of Engineering and Applied Sciences; Boston Children's Hospital)

February 3, 2017 House of the Academy

Democracy's Detectives: Investigative Journalism

in the Internet Age

Featured Speaker: Ellen Hume (Journalist)

March 3, 2017 House of the Academy

The Most Dangerous Book: The Battle for James Joyce's "Ulysses"

Featured Speaker: Kevin Birmingham (Harvard University)

May 5, 2017 House of the Academy

The Girl at the Baggage Claim: Explaining the East-West Culture Gap

Featured Speaker: Gish Jen (Writer)

June 9, 2017 House of the Academy

This African-American Life: A Memoir

Featured Speaker: Hugh Price (formerly, National Urban

League)

Civic Discourse Discussion Series, initiated by the Boston-Cambridge Planning Committee

MEETINGS

February 13, 2017 **Boston University**

Real Discussion in a Climate of Hot Partisanship

Featured Speaker: Virginia Sapiro (Boston University)

February 28, 2017 House of the Academy

Siloed Speech on Campus

Featured Speaker: Sherry Turkle (Massachusetts Institute of

Technology)

March 9, 2017 House of the Academy

#Republic: Divided Democracy in the Age of Social Media

Featured Speaker: Cass Sunstein (Harvard Law School)

April 12, 2017 House of the Academy

Is the American Liberal Order Ending?

Featured Speaker: Joseph Nye (Harvard Kennedy School)

The Public Engagement Working Group

The Public Engagement Working Group, convened under the auspices of the Public Face of Science initiative and led by James Haber (Brandeis University), provided a forum for a diverse group of scholars, including scientists, historians, and

communication experts, to draw lessons from historical case studies that could be applied to future efforts to develop public consensus on potentially controversial scientific developments.

MEETINGS

February 23, 2017 House of the Academy

Inaugural Meeting

Featured Speakers: James Haber (Brandeis University); Lisa Randall (Harvard University)

March 30, 2017 House of the Academy

Case Study #1: Vaccines

Featured Speakers: Barry Bloom (Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health); Seth Mnookin (Massachusetts Institute of Technology)

May 11, 2017 House of the Academy

April 13, 2017

House of the Academy

Case Study #2: Gene Editing

Case Study #3: Atmospheric Pollution

Featured Speakers: James Fleming (Colby College); Philip Duffy (Woods Hole Research Center)

Featured Speakers: Kevin Esvelt (MIT Media Lab);

Research, MIT); Sophia Roosth (Harvard University)

Richard O. Hynes (The Koch Institute for Integrative Cancer

June 8, 2017

House of the Academy

Conclusions: Connecting to the Public

Featured Speakers: Jennifer Hochschild (Harvard University); David Kaiser (Massachusetts Institute of Technology)

Member Events

BOULDER, COLORADO

March 20, 2017 Boulder, CO

Member Gathering & Discussion: Commission on the Future of Undergraduate Education

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

February 20, 2017 University of Chicago

Communicating Scientific Facts in an Age of Uncertainty

Featured Speakers: Arthur Lupia (University of Michigan), Olufunmilayo I. Olopade (University of Chicago Medical Center), Robert Rosner (University of Chicago); remarks by Robert J. Zimmer (University of Chicago)

FLORIDA

January 14, 2017 Naples, FL *Member Gathering*

January 16, 2017 Palm Beach, FL Member Gathering

IOWA CITY, IOWA

March 9, 2017 University of lowa

Member Gathering in conjunction with The Lincoln Project Forum

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

*August 9, 2016 Los Angeles, CA

Los Angeles Program Committee Meeting

November 13, 2016 Los Angeles, CA

Meeting of Advisors to the Commission on the Future of Undergraduate Education

*November 13, 2016 Los Angeles, CA

Creative Forces in Entertainment and Science: The Unlikely and Invaluable Connection

Featured Speakers: Sean M. Carroll (California Institute of Technology), Sherry Lansing (Sherry Lansing Foundation), John Lithgow (Actor, Recording Artist). Moderator: Geoffrey Cowan (University of Southern California)

*July 18, 2017 Los Angeles, CA

Los Angeles Program Committee Meeting

MADISON, WISCONSIN

December 14, 2016 University of Wisconsin-Madison

Member Gathering

Featured Speakers: Rebecca Blank (University of Wisconsin-Madison), Mary Sue Coleman (Association of American Universities)

MEMBER EVENTS



Arthur Lupia, Jonathan F. Fanton, Olufunmilayo I. Olopade, Eric D. Isaacs, and Robert Rosner

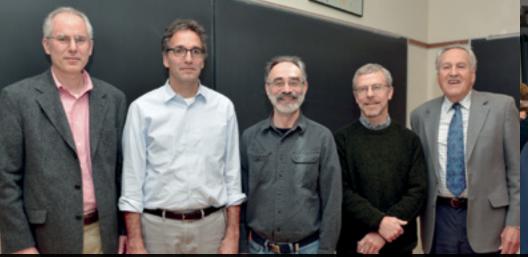


Thomas Rosenbaum, Katherine Faber, and David Lee



Geoffrey Cowan, Sean M. Carroll, Sherry Lansing, and John Lithgow

Diane Ackerman, Alan Alda, and Geneva Overholser



Newly elected members at Yale University: Scott Miller, Samuel Kortum, Shelly Kagan, Mark Hochstrasser, and Peter Schuck



Roger W. Ferguson, Jr. and Nancy Andrews

NEW HAVEN, CONNECTICUT

*November 7, 2016 Yale University

Reception for Members

*November 28, 2016 Yale University

Town Hall Meeting on the U.S. Elections

Featured Speakers: David Mayhew (Yale University), Susan Stokes (Yale University)

*December 16, 2016 Yale University

Research Presentations: Black Holes & Beethoven

Featured Speakers: Meg Urry (Yale University),

Craig Wright (Yale University)

*February 3, 2017 Yale University

Courts and Law in the Age of Trump

Featured Speaker: Linda Greenhouse (Yale University)

*February 27, 2017 Yale University

Computer-Aided Drug Discovery

Featured Speaker: William L. Jorgensen (Yale University)

March 29, 2017 Yale University

Reception for Yale Members of the American Academy and the National Academies

Featured Speaker: Peter Salovey (Yale University)

*April 14, 2017 Yale University

Why Are There So Many Different Kinds of Leaves?

Featured Speaker: Michael Donoghue (Yale University)

*May 17, 2017 Yale University

New Member Reception

NEW YORK CITY

December 12, 2016 New York, NY

Morton L. Mandel Public Lecture Communicating Science Through Art

Featured Speakers: Diane Ackerman (Poet, Essayist), Alan Alda (Actor, Writer, Director). Moderator: Geneva Overholser (Democracy Fund; formerly, USC Annenberg School for Communication and Journalism)

December 12, 2016 New York, NY

Meeting of Advisors to the Commission on the Future of Undergraduate Education

Hosted by Glenn Hutchins (North Island; Silver Lake)

June 5, 2017 New York, NY

New Member Reception

Featured Speaker: Roger W. Ferguson, Jr. (TIAA)

*June 15, 2017 New York, NY

New York Program Committee Meeting

*June 26, 2017 Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP New York, NY

Livestream and Discussion: Challenging Corrupt Practices: America, Brazil, Globally

Featured Speaker: Michael Sovern (Columbia University), moderator

Via video: Sergio Fernando Moro (Thirteenth Federal Criminal Court, Curitiba, Brazil), Zephyr Teachout (Fordham University School of Law), Mark L. Wolf (United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts), Robert I. Rotberg (Harvard Kennedy School; World Peace Foundation)

MEMBER EVENTS



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Scott D. Sagan, Joseph H. Felter, Paul H. Wise, and Debra Satz



Jonathan F. Fanton and Marc Tessier-Lavigne

PALO ALTO, CALIFORNIA

November 16, 2016 Stanford University

A Collective Moral Awakening: Ethical Choices in War and Peace

Featured Speakers: Joseph Felter (Stanford University), Scott Sagan (Stanford University), Paul Wise (Stanford University). Moderator: Debra Satz (Stanford University)

March 8, 2017 Stanford University

Livestream – 2017 Distinguished Morton L. Mandel Annual Public Lecture

Ethics and the Global War on Terror: Can Conflicts with Non-State Actors Be Fought in a Just Way?

Moderator: Paul Wise (Stanford University)

Via Video: Gabriella Blum (Harvard Law School), Neta Crawford (Boston University), Jennifer Leaning (Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health), Allen S. Weiner (Stanford Law School)

May 4, 2017 Stanford University

Barriers to International Scientific Collaboration Roundtable

Featured Speakers: Ann Arvin (Stanford University), Arthur Bienenstock (Stanford University), Peter Michelson (Stanford University)

PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY

*November 21, 2016 Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs, Princeton University

Where Do We Go From Here? Policy Priorities for the New Administration

Featured Speakers: Helen Milner (Princeton University), Ilyana Kuziemko (Princeton University), Brandice Canes-Wrone (Princeton University). Moderator: Nolan McCarty, (Princeton University)

PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

May 9, 2017 Brown University Member Gathering

ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

February 10, 2017 Washington University in St. Louis *Member Gathering*

SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA

*September 30, 2016
University of California, San Diego
San Diego Program Committee Meeting

*November 15, 2016 University of California, San Diego

Global Warming: Current Science, Future Policy

Featured Speakers: Veerabhadran Ramanathan (University of California, San Diego), David G. Victor (University of California, San Diego). Moderator: Gordon N. Gill (University of California, San Diego School of Medicine)

*January 30, 2017 University of California, San Diego

San Diego Program Committee Meeting

*February 13, 2017 University of California, San Diego

The Future of Immigration Reform

Featured Speakers: David FitzGerald (University of California, San Diego), Tom K. Wong (University of California, San Diego). Moderator: David A. Lake (University of California, San Diego)

*May 11, 2017 University of California, San Diego

Robotics: Their Promises for the 21st Century

Featured Speaker: Henrik Christensen (University of California, San Diego). Moderator: Gordon N. Gill (University of California, San Diego School of Medicine)



Jesse Ausubel, Nancy Peretsman, and Jonathan F. Fanton

Helen Milner, Brandice Canes-Wrone, and Nolan McCarty



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Barry Posen, Francis J. Gavin, Stephen M. Walt, Leslie Vinjamuri, and Francesca Giovannini

SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

May 2, 2017 University of Washington

The Lincoln Project

Featured Speakers: Robert Birgeneau (University of California, Berkeley), Ana Mari Cauce (University of Washington)

SOUTH BEND, INDIANA

March 8, 2017 University of Notre Dame

Livestream – 2017 Distinguished Morton L. Mandel Annual Public Lecture

Ethics and the Global War on Terror: Can Conflicts with Non-State Actors Be Fought in a Just Way?

Moderator: Tanisha Fazal (University of Notre Dame)
Via Video: Gabriella Blum (Harvard Law School), Neta
Crawford (Boston University), Jennifer Leaning (Harvard
T.H. Chan School of Public Health), Allen S. Weiner (Stanford Law School)

TEXAS

*November 7, 2016 Houston, TX

Houston Program Committee Inaugural Meeting

February 7, 2017 Austin, TX

Member Dinner & Discussion: Commission on the Future of Undergraduate Education

Featured Speaker: Michael McPherson (formerly, Spencer Foundation)

February 8, 2017 Baker Institute, Rice University

Science, Technology, and Innovation Policy in the New Administration

Featured Speakers: Sylvester James Gates, Jr. (University of Maryland, College Park), Jeannette M. Wing (Columbia University; formerly, Microsoft Research)

*May 1, 2017 Houston, TX

Houston Program Committee Meeting

WASHINGTON, D.C.

*February 27, 2017 George Washington University

Washington, D.C. Program Committee Meeting

February 28, 2017 National Press Club

Release of New Academy Report

America's Languages: Investing in Language Education for the 21st Century

Featured Speakers: Paul LeClerc (Columbia University), Nancy McEldowney (Foreign Service Institute, U.S. Department of State), Rubén Rumbaut (University of California, Irvine), Martha Abbott (American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages)

March 8, 2017 George Washington University

Livestream – 2017 Distinguished Morton L. Mandel Annual Public Lecture

Ethics and the Global War on Terror: Can Conflicts with Non-State Actors Be Fought in a Just Way?

Moderator: Janne Nolan (The George Washington University)

Via Video: Gabriella Blum (Harvard Law School), Neta Crawford (Boston University), Jennifer Leaning (Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health), Allen S. Weiner (Stanford Law School)

May 18, 2017 Carnegie Institution for Science

Communicating Science in an Age of Disbelief in Experts

Featured Speakers: Mary Sue Coleman (Association of American Universities), Alan I. Leshner (American Association for the Advancement of Science), Joe Palca (National Public Radio), Matthew P. Scott (Carnegie Institution for Science). Moderator: Richard A. Meserve (Covington & Burling LLP; formerly, Carnegie Institution for Science)



A Celebration of the Arts and Humanities, featuring Kim Kashkashian, Diane Ackerman, Mikhail Piotrovskiy, JoAnn Falletta, Eavan Boland, Yusef Komunyakaa, and Kongjian Yu

Induction 2016 closing program, featuring **Temple Grandin** on "Educating Students Who Have Different Kinds of Minds"



2016 Induction Ceremony speakers Walter Isaacson, Jay D Keasling, Andrea Louise Campbell, Terry A. Plank, and Theaster Gates, Jr.

Jennifer Hochschild, Lawrence Bobo, and Charles Stewart III

CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS

August 9, 2016 House of the Academy

The Impact of Brexit: Populism, Inequality, Sovereignty, and the Future of the International Liberal Order

Featured Speakers: Francis J. Gavin (Massachusetts Institute of Technology), Barry Posen (Massachusetts Institute of Technology), Leslie Vinjamuri (Centre on Conflict, Rights and Justice, University of London; Chatham House), Stephen M. Walt (Harvard Kennedy School)

September 14, 2016 House of the Academy

Capturing Music: The Technology of Medieval Sound

Featured Speaker: Thomas Forest Kelly (Harvard University). Performance by Blue Heron

September 18, 2016 House of the Academy

Film screening of Command and Control

September 26, 2016 House of the Academy

Public Face of Science Discussion Series Steering Group Meeting

September 29, 2016 House of the Academy

Book Talk: Lesson Plan: An Agenda for Change in American Higher Education

Featured Speaker: Michael McPherson (formerly, Spencer Foundation)

October 7, 2016 Harvard University

A Celebration of the Arts and Humanities

October 8, 2016 House of the Academy

New Members' Briefing on Academy Projects and Studies

October 8, 2016 Harvard University

Induction Ceremony

October 9, 2016 House of the Academy

Educating Students Who Have Different Kinds of Minds

Featured Speaker: Temple Grandin (Colorado State University)

*October 19, 2016 House of the Academy Reception for Members

November 2, 2016 House of the Academy

Meeting on Human Rights

November 4, 2016 House of the Academy

Luncheon & Discussion with Congressman Michael Capuano

Featured Speaker: Michael E. Capuano (U.S. House of Representatives)

November 10, 2016 House of the Academy

Populism and the Future of American Politics

Featured Speakers: Lawrence Bobo (Harvard University), Jennifer Hochschild (Harvard University). Moderator: Charles Stewart III (Massachusetts Institute of Technology)

*November 17, 2016 House of the Academy

Boston-Cambridge Program Committee Meeting

November 18, 2016 House of the Academy

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Jonathan F. Fanton, Talcott Parsons Prize recipient Joan Wallach Scott, Don M. Randel, and Laurel Thatcher Ulrich



Toni Morrison accepting the Emerson-Thoreau Medal

November 21, 2016 House of the Academy

Luncheon Discussion with U.S. Special Envoy to Libya

Featured Speaker: **Jonathan Winer** (U.S. Department of State)

December 14, 2016 House of the Academy

Winter Concert in Tribute to Leo L. Beranek

Performance by the Boston Cello Quartet, featuring members of the Boston Symphony Orchestra

January 20, 2017 House of the Academy

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Chamber series in collaboration with the Cantata Singers

February 15, 2017 House of the Academy

Staged Reading and Discussion of "Paradise" by Laura Maria Censabella

in collaboration with the Catalyst Collaborative @MIT $\,$

Featured Speakers: Paula Hammond (Massachusetts Institute of Technology), Rebecca Saxe (Massachusetts Institute of Technology), Saba Valadkhan (Case Western Reserve University), Debra Wise (Catalyst Collaborative@MIT; Underground Railway Theater; Central Square Theater). Moderator: Carey Goldberg (WBUR)

March 8, 2017 House of the Academy

2017 Distinguished Morton L. Mandel Annual Public Lecture
Ethics and the Global War on Terror: Can Conflicts
with Non-State Actors Be Fought in a Just Way?

Featured Speakers: Gabriella Blum (Harvard Law School), Neta Crawford (Boston University), Jennifer Leaning (Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health), Allen S. Weiner (Stanford Law School) *March 23, 2017 Fish Family Foundation Boston, MA

Boston Member Discussion: Global Security and Nuclear Issues

March 31, 2017 House of the Academy

Les Six

Chamber series in collaboration with the Cantata Singers

April 6, 2017 House of the Academy

A Celebration of the Arts & Sciences: Presentation of the Emerson-Thoreau Medal & the Talcott Parsons Prize

Featured Speakers: Toni Morrison (Princeton University), Joan Wallach Scott (Institute for Advanced Study)

*April 10, 2017 House of the Academy

Boston-Cambridge Program Committee Meeting

April 13, 2017 House of the Academy

Are Animals Natural?

Featured Speakers: Jonathan Losos (Harvard University), Harriet Ritvo (Massachusetts Institute of Technology)

April 18, 2017 House of the Academy

Our Compelling Interests: The Value of Diversity for Democracy and a Prosperous Society

in collaboration with The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, WGBH, World Channel, and Princeton University Press Featured Speakers: Danielle Allen (Harvard University), Earl Lewis (The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation), Deval Patrick (Bain Capital Double Impact; former Governor of Massachusetts), Amy Schulman (Polaris Partners). Moderator: Liz Cheng (WGBH and World Channel)





Concert featuring the **Boston Cello Quartet**

Joseph Martin and Nancy C. Andrews



Deval Patrick, Amy Schulman, Earl Lewis, Danielle Allen, and Liz Cheng



Kim Kashkashian and Laurence Lesser



April 19, 2017 House of the Academy

Local Advisors Briefing on the Commission on the Future of Undergraduate Education

*May 2, 2017 House of the Academy

Reception for New Members

May 17, 2017 House of the Academy

How Do We See?

Featured Speakers: Charles Gilbert (The Rockefeller University), Dale Purves (Duke Institute for Brain Services). Moderator: Ken Nakayama (Harvard University)

May 17, 2017 House of the Academy

Dangerous Escalations: Iran, Israel & the Trump
Doctrine

Featured Speaker: David Menashri (Tel Aviv University)

June 26, 2017 House of the Academy

Challenging Corrupt Practices: America, Brazil, Globally

Featured Speakers: Sergio Fernando Moro (Thirteenth Federal Criminal Court, Curitiba, State of Paraná, Brazil), Zephyr Teachout (Fordham University School of Law), Mark L. Wolf (U.S. District Court for the District of Massachusetts). Moderator: Robert I. Rotberg (Harvard Kennedy School; World Peace Foundation)

INTERNATIONAL MEETINGS

EDINBURGH, UNITED KINGDOM

July 7, 2016

Scotland Member Gathering

JERUSALEM, ISRAEL

October 26, 2016
Israel Academy of Sciences and Humanities

Roundtable Discussion with Members in Israel

LONDON, UNITED KINGDOM

November 29, 2016 Spencer House

London Member Reception

Featured Speakers: James Cuno (The J. Paul Getty Trust), Louise M. Richardson (University of Oxford), Jacob Rothschild (Rothschild Foundation; RIT Capital Partners)

BERLIN, GERMANY

December 2, 2016 Prussian Cultural Heritage Foundation

Berlin Member Gathering and Roundtable Discussion

GENEVA, SWITZERLAND

June 14, 2017

Geneva Member Gathering



Roundtable discussion with Academy members in Israel



Susan Hockfield, Patti Saris, and Daniela Rus



Dale Purves, Ken Nakayama, and Charles Gilbert



James Cuno, Lord Jacob Rothschild, Louise Richardson, and Jonathan F. Fanton at a reception in London for Academy members

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