

## Why should you join the World Affairs Council?

World events and globalization will continue to impact our lives and the way we do business. A deep understanding of world affairs is vital to the future of our community and our world. Join us to participate in making the world a better place.

Membership offers:

- Free admission to speaker series.
- Access to today's leaders, opinion makers and authors.
- Discussion of world politics, current events, history, and economics.
- Dialogue with interesting people and make new friends.

## World Affairs Council

### Distinguished Speaker Series

Registration/Social 6:00 pm--Lecture 6:30 pm

**Oct 16, 2003 "Al Qaeda and the War on Terrorism, an International Perspective"**

Vic Comras, UN Security Council intl. monitor, discussed the actions being taken in the war against Al Qaeda.

**Nov 4, 2003 "America's Dysfunctional Immigration Policy"**

Tim Padgett explored the issues of illegal Latin American immigration into the U.S.

**Dec 4, 2003 "The Changing Role of U.S. Foreign Policy"**

Ambassador Marilyn McAfee covered U.S. policy and the Iraq democratization.

**Jan 8, 2004 "The Changing Face of Intelligence over the Years"**

Fred Rustmann discussed the role and limitations of our foreign intelligence tool in foreign policy establishment.

**Feb 12, 2004 "The Free Trade Area of the Americas and its Impact on Florida"**

Amb. Charles Cobb discussed benefits of Free Trade of the Americas (FTAA) to Greater Miami and the world.

**March 4 "European Union & its Threat to the British-American Special Relationship."**

John D. Browne, MP under Margaret Thatcher, discussed threats to the British-U.S. relationship.

**April 8 "Cuba: What Lies Just Beyond the Horizon"**

Mark Falcoff, author of the "Latin American Outlook," will discuss the situation in Cuba today & its future.

**May 6 - "A Businessman's Perspective: U.S.-Saudi Relationship in Transition"**

Hugh Renfro has a 50 year business relationship with Saudi Arabia including working for ARAMCO/Chevron.

**Location: The Levensger Store**


*4700 South Conroy Avenue*



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## World Affairs Council of the Florida Palm Beaches

*Understanding makes us all better citizens of the world!*

With America more engaged in the world than ever, the Council's mission is to promote understanding of the world - the people, the politics, the economies and the cultures - and to enhance the ability of our citizens to participate in the global community and to better understand world events.

Distinguished speakers offer in-depth information and public programs on current events, international issues, and United States foreign policy.

People to people diplomacy includes access to senior foreign government officials, United States policy makers, distinguished authorities, authors and noted commentators.

Educational outreach focusing on national security issues, government, economics, politics, bilateral relations, and regional development.

The Council, founded in 2003, is a membership-based, non-profit, non-partisan organization. It is a member of the World Affairs Councils of America (WACA), with national offices in Washington, D.C. There are over 80 councils in cities throughout the United States, including Jacksonville, Naples, Boston, New York, Pittsburgh, Atlanta, Chicago, Houston, and San Francisco.

The Council's Distinguished Speaker Series offers its members and their guests monthly programs featuring prominent speakers from both the U.S. and abroad to participate in programs ranging from public talks to small group discussions.

The Young Professional Group sponsors special events for the 20's-40's age group with interest in current events, international issues, foreign trade, world cultures and networking.

The Council's Educational Outreach Program to local universities and high schools involves faculty and students in speaker programs and provides speakers on international issues to schools.

The Great Decisions Series Discussion group will meet informally and discuss current issues of vital importance to American foreign policy.



## Join Today

Annual membership October—September

- Cost
- Individual Membership \$ 50.00
  - Family Membership \$ 75.00
  - Educator individual \$ 35.00
  - Student \$ 15.00
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