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These are challenging days for America and the world. Over the past two years we have seen a loss of confidence in many of the enduring institutions of the twentieth century. Across the globe threats to stability and security test our leaders.

Yet times of uncertainty are also times of opportunity. Our scholars and associates at CSIS demonstrate a positive spirit and look for ways to better understand and shape our world.

Since 1962, CSIS has been a tremendous source of thoughtful, innovative, and bipartisan solutions to the most complex policy issues of our time. Our staff of more than 220 full-time employees, large network of affiliated scholars, and world-class Board of Trustees all share a common purpose: to help our world navigate toward a more secure and prosperous future.

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Behind a striking façade, our new building will house a premier threestory conference center; multiple visitor and staff meeting rooms; modern, flexible office space to support our growing staff; and state-ofthe-art technology. The building's design and construction are guided by the latest green principles.

Our new headquarters will be centrally located within the city to permit continued engagement of world leaders and U.S. policymakers. We will retain proximity to the White House, embassies, and the city's most prominent institutions and will be only minutes from Capitol Hill, the State Department, and the Pentagon.



Architectural renderings of the new CSIS headquarters by Hickok Cole Architects.

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Cybersecurity



CSIS's Technology and Public Policy Program has made cybersecurity one of its primary areas of focus over the past several years.

The Information Age has transformed America's national and economic security. America's cyber infrastructure empowers us and also provides opportunity to those who seek to do us harm.

When President Obama announced a new comprehensive approach to securing America's digital infrastructure, he made a point of thanking CSIS's Bipartisan Commission on Cybersecurity for pointing the way ahead.

Senior U.S. government officials, members of Congress, industry heads, and international experts look to CSIS as a trusted venue to discuss cyber policy. CSIS's Cybersecurity Dinner Series, made possible by Northrop Grumman and CSIS's Cybersecurity Speaker Series, made possible by AT&T, are two such forums for cyber policy discourse. For example, General Keith Alexander (pictured on opposite page), America's first Cyber Commander, gave his first public address at CSIS.

CSIS has also established a Cybersecurity Podcast Series that features candid interviews with leaders and experts in the field.

and Numbers (ICANN), discusses the future of Internet governance at CSIS.

"CSIS is continuing to show leadership in the field of cybersecurity. Indeed, CSIS's report, Securing Cyberspace for the 44th Presidency, served as a key thread of continuity across two administrations and really set the foundation for crafting this administration's strategy for cyber and security."

> -General Keith Alexander U.S. Cyber Commander and NSA Director

(Left) Electronic micro chip. (Right) Rod Beckstrom, CEO of the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names



Afghanistan and Iraq



CSIS serves as a key resource for political and military analysis on the continuing conflicts in Afghanistan and Iraq as well as other strategic challenges.

CSIS's Arleigh Burke Chair in Strategy provides decisionmakers in government and military with timely, authoritative updates on progress on the wars and reconstruction efforts. CSIS scholars routinely travel to the region to meet with high-ranking officials and commanders in order to develop an independent view of events. (Opposite) British Royal Marine Commandos taking part in Operation Sond Chara in southern Afghanistan. (Top left) Road to Bamiyan, Afghanistan. (Top right) M1 Abrams Main Battle Tank staging area in Ramadi, Iraq. (Bottom) Another shot of British Royal Marine Commandos taking part in Operation Sond Chara in southern Afghanistan.

CSIS reports shape perspectives on Capitol Hill and in the Executive Branch to such an extent that the *New York Times* has called a recent Burke Chair anthology of the U.S. war effort "required reading."

CSIS has also sought to look to the future of the region with forward-looking analysis on the "Modern Silk Road," the northern distribution trade network linking Afghanistan to Central and South Asia, as well as alternative models of governance and state-building in Southwest Asia and beyond.

Energy and National Security





To better inform public debate, CSIS developed the "Impacts of the Gulf Oil Spill Series," a speaker series examining the complex interconnection between exploration, risk, regulatory environment, and economic consequences.





CSIS's Energy and National Security Program is uniquely positioned and respected within government, industry, and nonprofit circles for its cutting-edge, independent analysis.

This was most evident with the April 2010 explosion of the Deepwater Horizon offshore drilling rig and resulting oil spill, a tragic and polarizing event with effects that reached well beyond the Gulf. CSIS's energy team mobilized and played the role of honest broker between government, industry, and the public with thoughtful analysis on the spill and its longterm policy implications.



(Opposite top) Members of a certified shoreline boom retrieval team prepare to haul in a section of a containment boom off the north shore of Trinity Island, Louisiana. (Opposite bottom) Fire boat response crews battle the blazing remnants of the offshore oil rig Deepwater Horizon. (Top) U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Oak (WLB-211) gets under way while U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Cypress (WLB 210) stands by to deploy from Naval Air Station Pensacola in support of Deepwater Horizon oil spill recovery efforts. (Bottom left) Crews aboard beach clean-up vehicles sift oil on the southeast Louisiana shoreline. (Bottom right) CSIS Impacts of the Gulf Oil Spill Series event on the future of offshore exploration featuring (left to right) Charlie Williams of Shell, Albert L. Modiano of the US Oil and Gas Association, and Lloyd Guillory of ExxonMobil Development Company.

Global Health



(Top) Polio vaccination in Nepal. (Bottom left) Commission report launch event featuring cochair Admiral William Fallon, USN (ret.), Jacob Lew, then deputy secretary of state for management and resources, and cochair Helene Gayle, CARE president and CEO and CSIS trustee. (Bottom right) Dr. Helene Gayle and commissioner Rep. Keith Ellison, during a commission trip to Kenya to visit U.S.-funded health projects.

CSIS's Global Health Policy Center has been a leader in shaping how the U.S. government and international partners think about global health.

Health is vital to human development, economic growth, national security, and the building of stable ties between countries. CSIS's bipartisan Commission on Smart Global Health Policy addressed the nexus of global health and U.S. foreign policy by outlining a long-term strategic approach for U.S. global health investments. Chaired by CARE President and CEO and CSIS Trustee Helene Gayle and Admiral William Fallon, USN (ret.), the commission released its report A Healthier, Safer, and More Prosperous World in 2010.

The commission report offers a five-point agenda for global health: *I. Maintain our* commitment to the fight against HIV/AIDS, malaria, and tuberculosis; 2. Prioritize women and children in U.S. global health efforts; 3. Strengthen prevention and health emergency response capabilities; 4. Ensure that the United States has the capacity to match our global health ambitions; and 5. Make smart investments in multilateral institutions.



Since last spring, more than 30,000 copies of the commission report have been downloaded. CSIS continues to work closely with the Obama administration as it establishes its Global Health Initiative, a six-year plan to improve global health outcomes through careful integration of programs, a new business model that emphasizes measurement and accountability, and a woman- and girl-centered approach. A number of follow-on high-level activities are planned for 2011.

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"I commend CSIS for really paving the way toward an integrated health approach... [and for] pointing people, conceptually and in practice, to the concept that the future lies in smart, strategic investments in health systems."

-Dr. Rajiv Shah **USAID** Administrator

Asia's New Power Architecture





CSIS recently launched a dedicated Korea Chair, a Wadhwani Chair in India-U.S. Policy Studies, and Washington's leading Southeast Asia Program to go along with the already established Japan Chair and Freeman Chair in China Studies.

(Top) A man walks amid the ruins in Sri Lanka after the December 2004 Asian Tsunami. (Bottom) Wind farm at Bangui Bay on the Ilocos Norte, Philippines.



(Top) Indonesian NGO workers offload supplies from a U.S. Navy helicopter on Sumatra during international *relief efforts following the Indian* Ocean tsunami. (Bottom) CSIS report launch for Asia's Response to Climate Change and Natural Disasters featuring (left to right) CSIS's David Pumphrey and Charles Freeman, Senior U.S. Representative to APEC Kurt Tong, and CSIS's Victor Cha and Stacey White.

No other think tank in Washington has the ability to address the full array of geopolitical and economic issues confronting U.S. policy in Asia as CSIS. CSIS recently launched a dedicated Korea Chair, a Wadhwani Chair in India-U.S. Policy Studies, and Washington's leading Southeast Asia Program to go along with the already established Japan Chair and Freeman Chair in China Studies.



In 2010, CSIS's entire Asia team produced a signature study for the MacArthur Foundation looking at new ways of addressing nontraditional security threats in the region as a pathway to increase regional cooperation. The project had a specific focus on energy security, climate change, and humanitarian crisis. All have the potential to shape Asia's politics and growth in the coming century.

Two widely distributed reports grew out of this study, including Green Dragons: *The Politics of Climate Change in Asia*. The project has helped to influence how people in America and Asia think about emerging architecture in a time of shifting power relations in Asia and between Asia and the United States.



Defense-Industrial Base Studies



CSIS's Defense-Industrial Initiatives Group (DIIG) provides unvarnished analysis of the complex relationship between the Defense Department, the defense industry, and the public interest in a time of growing fiscal constraints.

Secretary Gates' Efficiency Initiative has sought to find efficiencies in the department and apply savings to more deserving projects. Decisionmakers in Congress, the Executive Branch, and industry rely on CSIS to provide independent analysis and research to inform their thinking.

CSIS was asked by Dr. Ashton Carter (pictured on opposite page), under secretary of defense for acquisition, technology, and logistics to host a series of dialogues with the defense industry entitled "Delivering Better Acquisition Value: Conversations with Industry."



This past year CSIS also completed work on a review of the importance of the commercial space sector to U.S. national security and provided a framework for analyzing and evaluating options to improve access to commercial launch services. The success of this project led the Department of the Navy to ask CSIS to apply this innovative framework for analyzing the defense-industrial base, and this coming year CSIS will conduct a similar review of the shipbuilding industry. Projects like these build on the CSIS core capability to analyze defense budgets and industry.

CSIS was asked by Dr. Ashton Carter, Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics, to host a series of dialogues with the defense industry entitled "Delivering Better Acquisition Value: Conversations with Industry." (Across) The U.S. Naval Ship Pililaau passes the historic Diamond Head Crater in Honolulu, Hawaii. (Opposite bottom) Helicopters from Task Force 34, 1st Battalion 244 Assault Helicopter Battalion, on fly on Joint Base Balad, Iraq. (Bottom right) Dr. Ashton Carter speaks at a CSIS event in April 2010.



Global Security Forum



CSIS launched what is to become an annual signature policy conference, the CSIS Global Security Forum.

Last May, the forum brought together foreign policy and national security leaders to discuss the top strategic challenges on the horizon. Gen. James Cartwright (USMC), vice chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, delivered keynote remarks on adapting to tomorrow's strategic challenges. Following General Cartwright's speech, the forum held nine concurrent sessions featuring such notable experts (all pictured on opposite page) as former national security adviser and CSIS trustee, Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft (USAF, ret.); David Ignatius of the Washington Post; former Joint Chiefs chairman Gen. Peter

Pace (USMC, ret.); Amb. Thomas Pickering; and former deputy secretary of state and CSIS trustee Richard Armitage.

Made possible with support by Finmeccanica, the innovative conference examined mediumand long-term global security issues such as U.S. engagement in the Middle East; post-U.S. involvement in Iraq and Afghanistan; cybersecurity; the role of nuclear weapons in national security strategy; U.S. power projection and overseas bases; the possibility of a domestic intelligence agency; robots on the battlefield; changes in the defense-industrial base; and perceptions of waning U.S. power in Asia.



Scowcroft, USAF (ret.) (bottom right).



(Opposite) U.S. Navy Hospital Corpsman 3rd Class Eric Nobriga hands candy to Afghan children while on patrol in Nawa District, Helmand Province, Afghanistan. (Top) Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Gen. James Cartwright, USMC. (Middle left) CSIS's Ray DuBois, former Joint Chiefs Chairman Gen. Peter Pace, USMC (ret.), CSIS's Maren Leed, and Amb. Thomas Pickering (left to right) discuss the loss of overseas bases. (Middle right) Former deputy secretary of state and CSIS trustee Richard Armitage discusses the perception of waning U.S. power in Asia. (Bottom left) Columnist and associate editor for the Washington Post David Ignatius (right) discusses U.S. engagement in the Middle East after Iraq and Afghanistan with CSIS's Haim Malka (left) and former national security adviser and CSIS trustee Lt. Gen. Brent

Future of NATO



With help from CSIS security experts, former Secretary of State Madeleine Albright prepared the report on NATO's new Strategic Concept: NATO 2020: Assured Security; Dynamic Engagement.

NATO's Strategic Concept, which frames the Alliance's political goals and military requirements, had last been updated in 1999 and needed to be replaced with a document that reflects dramatic changes in global security affairs over the last decade.

CSIS's senior vice president and Henry A. Kissinger Chair Stephen Flanagan served as Secretary Albright's lead adviser in her work as Chair of the Group of Experts on the new Strategic Concept.

After nine months of deliberations and study, the Group's final report assessed the implications of

of NATO 2020: Assured Security; Dynamic Engagement.

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(Opposite left) NATO flag. (Top) The Honorable Madeleine Albright, former U.S. secretary of state, at the CSIS launch

hanges in the global security environment and ecommended that the Alliance expand its external artnerships, transform its military capabilities, and treamline its organizational structures to ensure its ffectiveness over the coming decade. By clarifying lliance consensus on these issues and advancing arious reform proposals, the Albright report framed he main elements of the new Strategic Concept and acilitated the work of NATO's secretary general and nember governments in drafting the final document.

CSIS hosted the Washington launch of the report in /lay, featuring keynote remarks by Secretary Albright and former national security adviser and CSIS trustee t. Gen. Brent Scowcroft.

Food Security



CSIS continues to lead efforts to develop and coordinate a U.S. strategic approach to food security.

A CSIS-created task force, chaired by Sen. Richard G. Lugar (R-IN), Sen. Robert P. Casey (D-PA), and Rep. Betty McCollum (D-MN), addressed three key areas: raising agricultural productivity, investing in research and development, and improving trade policy. In April, CSIS published *Cultivating Global Food Security*, a report containing the task force's recommendations for the Obama administration and Congress.

In addition to the task force report, CSIS produced four papers to examine in greater depth the issues of agricultural productivity, research and development, trade, and attitudes toward agricultural biotechnology and genetic modification. CSIS continues to shape thinking within the Obama administration's signature Feed the Future initiative.

2011 and Beyond

Since 1962, CSIS has grown to become one of the world's preeminent international policy institutions, and in 2011 CSIS will continue its leadership as a provider of thoughtful, innovative, and balanced solutions to the most complex foreign policy and national security challenges of our time.



(Above) Skyline of Mumbai, India.

Looking ahead, CSIS has laid the groundwork to augment current projects and expand into new areas and issues that will shape the twenty-first century. A sampling of new projects include:

- The Global Development Opportunities Project (GDOP), an umbrella program for CSIS's diverse activity on issues ranging from poverty alleviation to climate adaptation to economic growth in conflict settings to water, food, health, and trade. GDOP will have a particular focus on the role of the private sector in aid delivery and will have at its center a high-profile series of public events to bring new ideas into Washington on global development.
- The Wadhwani Chair in U.S.-India Policy Studies is the first of its kind at a Washington think tank and will launch in early 2011 under the direction of Ambassador Karl Inderfurth, former assistant secretary of state for South Asian affairs.

- CSIS senior adviser Mark Quarterman will direct our new Project on Crisis, Conflict, and Cooperation, which will examine innovative strategies to speed, enhance, and strengthen international conflict responses and focus on effective multilateral responses to global issues.
- CSIS William A. Schreyer Chair in Global Analysis Daniel Runde will undertake a deeper look at the private sector's role in development.
- Meredith Broadbent, former assistant USTR and now senior adviser and holder of the Scholl Chair in International Business, will take a renewed look at the important role of trade in foreign policy.
- As views on current nuclear issues become increasingly polarized, CSIS's work on nuclear policy, led by Clark Murdock and Sharon Squassoni, helps examine the issues through analytic blog posts and a live debate series.

- The U.S.-ASEAN Strategy Commission, cochaired by Maurice R. "Hank" Greenberg and former defense secretary and CSIS trustee William S. Cohen, will develop an in-depth assessment of U.S. interests in Southeast Asia and make recommendations for the development of a long-term U.S. strategy for the region. (Photo adjacent, Left to right: CSIS's Ernest Bower, William S. Cohen, Maurice R. "Hank" Greenberg, and CSIS *trustee and former USTR Amb. Carla Hills*)
- The New Defense Approaches Project will examine the contribution of amphibious capabilities to deterrence and shaping missions, such as building partnership capacity, humanitarian assistance, and disaster relief.
- The CSIS Middle East Program will publish a major new study that analyzes the current and future trajectory of U.S.-Israeli strategic ties.
- At the request of the U.S. Combatant Command AFRICOM, the CSIS Africa Program will review 10 case studies of African countries to examine potential fissures and stressors that might ultimately lead to significant social dislocation or political instability in the medium to long term.
- Europe Program director Heather Conley will lead an effort with Steve Flanagan and David Berteau on the financial crisis's impact on European defense and security capabilities. Funded by the National Intelligence Council, the project will look out over the next five years in light of the economic recession and its effect on European government and defense industry.
- Korea Chair Victor Cha received a major multiyear grant from the Academy of Korean Studies in Seoul to direct a laboratory for the globalization of Korean Studies. This is the Academy's first grant to a U.S. think tank. Topics will include U.S. grand strategy in Asia, demography and Korean security, culture and the Cold War, negotiation and North Korea, and U.S. alliances in East Asia.



U.S.-ASEAN Strategy Commission

Commission work directed by CSIS Southeast Asia Program Director and Senior Adviser Ernest Bower

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Events and Forums at CSIS



(Top) CSIS-Schieffer Series Dialogue on the Obama administration's foreign policy, featuring (left to right) Steve Coll, staff writer for the New Yorker; Thomas Friedman, foreign affairs columnist for the New York Times; Bob Schieffer, host of CBS's Face the Nation; and David Ignatius, columnist and associate editor for the Washington Post. (Bottom) CSIS Statesmen's Forum event featuring (left to right) James Steinberg, deputy secretary of state, and Jacob Lew, then deputy secretary of state for management and resources.



CSIS hosts more than 1,600 events annually, which translates to an average of 385 visitors daily. In addition, CSIS has several signature event series that feature leading thinkers from government, media, business, and academia. They include the following:

The Statesmen's Forum Current U.S. and foreign senior government officials deliver keynote speeches before a cross-section of the Washington policy community. This series is made possible by the Lavrentiadis Group of Companies.

The CSIS–Schieffer School Series in Public Policy and the Media Bob Schieffer, CBS News' chief Washington correspondent and host of *Face the Nation*, moderates the monthly series, a partnership with the Schieffer School of Journalism at Texas Christian University (TCU). This series is made possible by United Technologies Corporation (UTC).

The CSIS–University of Miami Series on Global Challenges CSIS and the University of Miami School of Communication's Knight Center for International Media cohost a monthly series focused on the Millennium Development Goals. This series is made possible by the Knight Foundation.

(Left) U.S. Ambassador-at-Large for Global Women's Issues Melanne Verveer at a CSIS–Miami Series event on advancing progress of the UN Millennium Development Goals through the empowerment of women and girls. (Right) CSIS International Councillor Dr. Lavrentis Lavrentiadis provides introductory remarks at a CSIS Statesmen's Forum.





(Top) General David Petraeus speaks at a CSIS Military Strategy Forum event with CSIS senior fellow Maren Leed. (Bottom left) Under Secretary for International Affairs at the U.S. Department of the Treasury Lael Brainard speaks at CSIS in November 2010. (Bottom right) Senator John Kerry speaks at a CSIS event in November 2010 on U.S. policy in the Democratic Republic of Congo.

The Military Strategy Forum

The forum hosts senior Department of Defense and military service leaders who present their insights and vision on the direction of U.S. national security and defense policy. This series is made possible by Rolls-Royce North America.

The Congressional Dialogue Series Members of Congress frequently choose CSIS as a bipartisan platform for policy speeches and discussions.



"The kind of conversations and the kind of meetings and discussions you have at CSIS really are a very important part of political life in Washington because a lot of the ideas that we need in order to do our jobs in the federal government come from discussions of the kind we're having today."

> -Robert D. Hormats Undersecretary for Economic, Energy, and Agricultural Affairs

> > (Bottom) Admiral Thad Allen, U.S. Coast Guard (ret.), speaks at the launch of the new CSIS-LSU Series on Disaster Management and Emergency Response in November 2010.





CSIS Cybersecurity Policy Series

The CSIS Forum on Cybersecurity is a public series for business leaders, policymakers, and experts to address some of the most pressing policy challenges surrounding cybersecurity. This bimonthly series is intended to focus public and media attention on the issue and help shape the policy agenda for cybersecurity. This series is made possible by AT&T.

The CSIS-LSU Series on Disaster Management and Emergency Response

In the fall of 2010, CSIS launched a new event series on disaster management made possible by the LSU Stephenson Disaster Management Institute (SDMI) and the Irene W. and C.B. Pennington Foundation. The kickoff event featured Admiral Thad Allen (pictured below), U.S. Coast Guard (ret.), National Incident Commander for the Deepwater Horizon Response.

Events and Forums at CSIS



(Above) A CSIS-Schieffer Series Dialogue at CSIS on security issues surrounding the South China Sea.



(Middle left) U.S. Secretary of Homeland Security Janet Napolitano spoke at a CSIS event in June 2010. (Middle right) Admiral Michael Mullen, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, spoke at a CSIS event in January 2010. (Bottom left) John Brennan, Assistant to the President for Homeland Security and Counterterrorism, spoke at a CSIS Statemen's Forum in May 2010.



"CSIS has long served as a venue for some of the most insightful and intellectual discourse on national security issues."

–John Brennan Assistant to the President for Homeland Security and Counterterrorism

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- U.S. AFRICOM Commander
- U.S. Cyber Command Commander
- Supreme Allied Commander

Europe

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- UN Development Campaign Director
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(Right) A CSIS Intern holds an Apple iPad while looking at CSIS's iTunes U platform. (Opposite top) The CSIS homepage, CSIS.org. (Opposite bottom) CSIS iTunes U platform highlighting the CSIS-Schieffer School Series.





CSIS in the Media





Middle left) International Security Program Senior Fellow Stephanie Sanok addressed U.S. strategy on *Iraq on the* CBS Evening News. (*Middle right*) Transnational Threats Project Senior Adviser Juan Zarate discussed Internet wiretapping on the PBS NewsHour. (Bottom) Project on Conflict, Crisis, and Cooperation Director Mark Quarterman discussed U.S.-Pakistan relations on CNN's Situation Room.

CSIS has a strong and growing presence in the media. CSIS experts are often called upon for their analysis of major policy issues, and many CSIS events are well attended by the media.

> On November 24,CSIS Senior Adviser Michael Green published an op-ed in the Wall Street Journal, "Why We're Always Fooled by North Korea."

On June 20, David Ignatius of the Washington Post cited The Key to Success in Afghanistan: A Modern Silk Road Strategy, by CSIS Russia Program director Andrew Kuchins and CSIS Transnational Threats Project deputy director Thomas Sanderson, in his column "Afghanistan's Future Lies in Trade Partnerships."

66Tokyo needs to realize that time is not on its side.⁹⁹

a "foreign policy dignitary."

"North Korea's artillery bombardment of the South Korean island of Yeonpyeong ... makes it doubly clear that Pyongyang intends to leverage its new nuclear breakthrough for maximum concessions from the international community."

"The most useful analysis I've seen recently is The Key to Success in Afghanistan: A Modern Silk Road Strategy."

> On January 7, CSIS Senior Adviser Victor Cha published an op-ed in the New York Times, "Focus on Policy, Not Politics."

The New York Times called CSIS's Anthony Cordesman

Congressional Outreach



One of CSIS's core missions is to use its bipartisan platform to help members of Congress and their staffs better navigate a complex world.

We do so through a targeted outreach program that connects thousands of Capitol Hill staffers with CSIS products and research. We host regular events that help educate Congress on current policy matters. We organize policy discussions that bring Congress, the administration, and policy communities together, and we offer a convenient forum from which representatives and senators can discuss their priorities with the public and wider policy community.



(Opposite top) Representative Howard Berman (D-CA), then chairman of the U.S. House Foreign Affairs Committee, spoke at CSIS in September. (Opposite bottom left) Senator Lindsey Graham (R-SC), pictured next to CSIS trustee and former Senator Bill Brock, spoke to the CSIS International Policy Roundtable. (Opposite bottom right) Sharon Squassoni, director of the CSIS Proliferation Prevention Program, testified before the U.S. House Foreign Affairs Committee on nuclear cooperation and nonproliferation. (Top) Representative Kay Granger (R-TX) (left) and Representative Keith Ellison (D-MN) (right) spoke at a CSIS Global Health Commission meeting.

"CSIS was born to leadership in international affairs, and this place represents what is best about American leadership abroad when it is done right: we find here policy that is thoughtful, nonpartisan, intellectually unafraid, genuinely knowledgeable, and capable of bringing together diverse viewpoints for frank argument, debate, and analysis of public policy and our shared future."

-Representative Gary Ackerman (D-NY)





In the last year, CSIS experts testified before congressional committees a dozen times, hosted monthly forums on Capitol Hill, and briefed members and staff regularly. In 2010, 17 members of Congress spoke at events at CSIS, and several participated in audio or video interviews with CSIS programs. CSIS continues to be an effective resource for Congress with continued direct involvement of members in CSIS projects and a robust outreach effort that opens new doors for CSIS experts and their ideas.

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Over the next 20 years, the real wild card for political and social unrest in the Middle East is not war, terrorism, or revolution—it is water. Conventional security threats dominate public debate and government thinking, but water is the true game-changer in Middle Eastern politics. This report examines the implications of water on security policy in the Middle East.

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This report provides the first comprehensive quantitative assessment of the progress that countries worldwide are making in preparing for global aging, particularly the old-age dependency dimension of the challenge.

• The Geopolitics of Energy: Emerging Trends, Changing Landscapes, Uncertain Times By Frank A. Verrastro, Sarah O. Ladislaw, Matthew Frank, and Lisa A. Hyland

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