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Global Responsibility: What Solutions are Available to Germany and the United States to Address International Problems?

Friday, March 31, 2017

**The Conference Center at the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, Choate Room,
1779 Massachusetts Ave NW, Washington, DC**

Agenda

The AICGS project “A German-American Dialogue of the Next Generation: Global Responsibility, Joint Engagement” engages young Americans and Germans in discussions of current issues of concern for the transatlantic relationship. The project participants are young leaders in a variety of fields who have been working together for several months in three groups representing the AICGS Program Areas (Foreign and Domestic Policy; Society, Culture, and Politics; and Business and Economics) with the intent to frame and deliberate on the issues and create solutions to a variety of global challenges facing the United States and Germany. This conference highlights the results of the participants’ work.

8:30 – 9:00am	Registration and Light Breakfast
9:00 – 9:10am	Welcome Dr. Jackson Janes, President, AICGS
9:15 – 10:30am	“Breakdown, Breakout or Breakthrough – Forging New Transatlantic Narratives for the 21st Century” Foreign and Domestic Policy Program Group Presentation and Panel Discussion Moderator: Dr. Jackson Janes, President, AICGS
10:30 – 10:45am	Coffee Break
10:45am – 12:00pm	“Civil Society in a Time of Uncertainty” - Society, Culture, & Politics Program Group Presentation and Panel Discussion Moderator: Dr. Lily Gardner Feldman, Harry and Helen Gray Senior Fellow, Director, Society, Culture & Politics Program, AICGS
12:00 – 12:15pm	Coffee Break

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12:15 – 1:30pm

”Why International Economic Cooperation is no Zero-Sum Game – How to Safeguard Trust and Confidence in Transatlantic Relations” - Business & Economics Program Presentation Group Presentation and Panel Discussion

Moderator: Elke Kallenbach, Minister Counselor, Head of Finance Section, German Embassy

1:30

Lunch Reception