



Washington, DC Symposium

Global Health Security and Diplomacy in the Twenty-First Century

Cohosted with Bureau of Global Health Security and Diplomacy at the U.S. Department of State

All times listed below are in Eastern Standard Time.

Monday, November 13, 2023

8:00 a.m. to 8:15 a.m. Registration and In-Person Breakfast Reception

OPENING SESSION

8:15 a.m. to 8:40 a.m.

Welcoming remarks:

[Antony Blinken](#), Secretary, U.S. Department of State (*recorded video*)

Opening remarks:

[Linda Thomas-Greenfield](#), U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations

[Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus](#), Director-General, World Health Organization
(*speaking virtually*)

[Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala](#), Director-General, World Trade Organization (*speaking
virtually*)

[Kao Kim Hourn](#), Secretary-General, Association of Southeast Asian Nations (*speaking
virtually*)

Introductory Remarks: [Thomas J. Bollyky](#), Senior Fellow for Global Health, Economics,
and Development and Director of the Global Health Program, Council on Foreign
Relations

SESSION ONE: Health as a Foreign Policy Imperative (Fireside Chat)

8:40 a.m. to 9:15 a.m.

[Anthony Fauci](#), Distinguished University Professor, School of Medicine and
Georgetown McCourt School of Public Policy, Georgetown University; Former
Director, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, National Institutes of
Health; Former Chief Medical Advisor to the President; CFR Member

[John Nkengasong](#), U.S. Global AIDS Coordinator and Senior Bureau Official for
Global Health Security and Diplomacy, U.S. Department of State

9:15 a.m. to 9:20 a.m. Break

SESSION TWO: The Power of Partnerships – Collaboration to Advance Health Security

9:20 a.m. to 10:10 a.m.

[Jarbas Barbosa](#), Director, Pan American Health Organization (*speaking virtually*)

[Jean Kaseya](#), Director-General, Africa Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[Rachel King](#), President, Biotechnology Innovation Organization

Ayoade Alakija, Special Envoy for the Access to COVID-19 Tools Accelerator, World Health Organization (*speaking virtually*)

Joy St. John, Executive Director, Caribbean Public Health Agency (*speaking virtually*)

Benedict Oramah, President, African Export–Import Bank (*delivering closing remarks virtually*)

Presider: **Hillary H. Carter**, Acting Principal Deputy Coordinator, Bureau of Global Health Security and Diplomacy, U.S. Department of State

10:10 a.m. to 10:20 a.m. Break

SESSION THREE: Future Priorities for Global Health Coordination

10:20 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Winnie Byanyima, Executive Director, UNAIDS

Tom Frieden, Senior Fellow for Global Health, Council on Foreign Relations; President and CEO, Resolve to Save Lives, an Initiative of Vital Strategies; Former Director, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (*speaking virtually*)

Peter Hotez, Dean, National School of Tropical Medicine, Baylor College of Medicine; Co-Director, Texas Children’s Center for Vaccine Development

Chikwe Ihekweazu, Assistant Director-General, Hub for Pandemic and Epidemic Intelligence, World Health Organization (*speaking virtually*)

Peter Piot, Special Advisor to President von der Leyen on European and Global Health Security, European Commission (*speaking virtually*)

Amadou Sall, Director, Institut Pasteur de Dakar

Presider: **Thomas J. Bollyky**, Senior Fellow for Global Health, Economics, and Development and Director of the Global Health Program, Council on Foreign Relations

11:00 a.m. to 11:10 a.m. Break

SESSION FOUR: A Conversation with Global Health Ambassadors

11:10 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.

Anne-Claire Amprou, Ambassador for Global Health, France (*speaking virtually*)

Jimmy Kolker, Senior Advisor, Bureau of Global Health Security and Diplomacy, U.S. Department of State; Former Assistant Secretary for Global Affairs, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; CFR Member

John-Arne Røttingen, Ambassador for Global Health, Norway (*speaking virtually*)

Olive Shisana, Special Advisor on Social Policy, South Africa (*speaking virtually*)

David Whineray, Director, Global Health, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, United Kingdom (*speaking virtually*)

Stephanie Williams, Principal Health Specialist and Former Ambassador for Regional Health Security, Australia

Presider: **Susan Dentzer**, President and Chief Executive Officer, America's Physician Groups; CFR Member

11:50 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Buffet Lunch

SESSION FIVE: Health Equity: The Intersection of HIV/AIDS Response, Climate Change, and Health

12:15 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Jainey Bavishi, Assistant Secretary for Oceans and Atmosphere, U.S. Department of Commerce; Deputy Administrator, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (*speaking virtually*)

[Emi Chutaró](#), Executive Director, Pacific Islands Health Officers' Association (*speaking virtually*)

[Guéladio Cissé](#), Coordinating Lead Author, IPCC Health Chapter (*speaking virtually*)

Victor Dzau, President, National Academy of Medicine

[Khuat Thi Hai Oanh](#), Director, Support Community Development Initiatives (*speaking virtually*)

David Walton, Global Malaria Coordinator, U.S. President's Malaria Initiative

Presider: [John Monahan](#), Professor, Senior Fellow, and Senior Advisor for Global Health to the President, Georgetown University; CFR Member

1:00 p.m. to 1:05 p.m. Break

SESSION SIX: Cooperation to Mobilize Global Health Security Resources

1:05 p.m. to 1:45 p.m.

[Priya Basu](#), Executive Head, Pandemic Fund Secretariat, World Bank Group

[Senait Fisseha](#), Vice President of Global Programs, Susan T. Buffett Foundation (*speaking virtually*)

[Yanzhong Huang](#), Senior Fellow for Global Health, Council on Foreign Relations

[Reeta Roy](#), President and Chief Executive Officer, Mastercard Foundation (*speaking virtually*)

[Peter Sands](#), Executive Director, The Global Fund (*speaking virtually*)

Presider: [Edem Adzogenu](#), Co-Chair, AfroChampions Initiative

1:45 p.m. to 1:50 p.m. Break

SESSION SEVEN: Advancing U.S. Government Coordination on Health Security

1:50 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Nidhi Bouri, Deputy Assistant Administrator for Global Health, USAID

[Mandy K. Cohen](#), Director, U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (*speaking virtually*)

[Paul Friedrichs](#), Director, Office of Pandemic Preparedness, White House

[Lester Martinez-Lopez](#), Assistant Secretary for Health Affairs, U.S. Department of Defense

[Loyce Pace](#), Assistant Secretary for Global Affairs, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (*speaking virtually*)

Presider: [Leana Wen](#), Opinions Columnist, Washington Post; former Professor of Health Policy, George Washington University; former Health Commissioner of Baltimore

CLOSING SESSION

Closing Remarks: [John Nkengasong](#), U.S. Global AIDS Coordinator and Senior Bureau Official for Global Health Security and Diplomacy, U.S. Department of State

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All sessions are on the record and hybrid.