

Schedule & Agenda - updated 18 April 2017

27th Annual General Meeting & Investors Forum
North America-Mongolia Business Council (NAMBC)
Residence Inn Pentagon City Arlington VA
550 Army Navy Drive Arlington Virginia 22202 USA
26-28 April 2017

"Mongolia Rises Again"

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Wednesday, April 26

6:30 PM – Reception hosted by Ambassador Bulgaa Altangerel in honor of the delegates to the NAMBC's 27th AGM during the 30th Anniversary of US-Mongolia relations; Embassy of Mongolia, Washington DC; sponsored by Edward T. Story, former Chairman, NAMBC; Honorary Consul-General of Mongolia; CEO, SOCO International PLC

Thursday, April 27 – 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Call to Order & Opening Remarks – Frank Herbert, Chairman, NAMBC; President, Centerra Gold

Message from H.E. Jennifer Z. Galt, US Ambassador to Mongolia*

Message from H.E. Ed Jager, Canadian Ambassador to Mongolia*

30 Years of Friendship – H.E. Bulgaa Altangerel, Mongolian Ambassador to the US

Greetings from Ottawa – H.E. Radnaabazar Altangerel, Mongolian Ambassador to Canada*

9:30 AM -- Panel – US-Mongolia Relations, 1987-2017

Moderator: Dr. Alicia Campi, President, The Mongolia Society

Ambassador Piper Campbell, 2012-2015

Ambassador Jonathan Addleton, 2009-2012

Ambassador Pamela J. Slutz, 2003-2006

Ambassador Joseph Lake, 1990-1993

Ambassador Richard Williams, 1988-1990*

Tom Garrett, Vice President, International Republican Institute; formerly IRI's resident advisor to the Ikh Hural, Mongolia's parliament

10:45 AM -- What lies ahead for US Asia policy during the Trump Administration?

Overview Remarks – Frank Jannuzi, President & CEO, The Maureen & Mike Mansfield Foundation; former chief Asia policy advisor to US Senate Foreign Relations Committee

Panel

Ambassador Al LaPorta, CEO, US-Malaysia Society; former CEO, US-Indonesia Society; Ambassador to Mongolia, 1997-2000

Ambassador Mark C. Minton, Professor, School of Global and International Studies, Indiana University; former CEO, The Korea Society; Ambassador to Mongolia, 2006-2009

Michael Mitchell, Partner, Orion Strategies; former foreign policy advisor to McCain Presidential campaign 2008; former Program Director for Mongolia and Myanmar, IRI; former staff to Senator Mitch McConnell; former DoS staff

Mindy Kotler, Executive Director, Asia Policy Point research center; Editor-in-Chief, *Asia Policy Calendar*

1:00 PM -- Buffet Lunch -- Election of Officers and Directors for 2017-2018

1:45 PM -- Mongolia rises again: Prospects & opportunities for renewed economic growth

Overview Remarks – Bayanjargal Byambasaikhan, Managing Partner, NovaTerra; Chairman, Business Council of Mongolia (BCM); former CEO, Erdenes Mongol LLC; former CEO, Newcom LLC

Panel

H.E. Puntsag Tsagaan, Chairman of the Board of Directors, Economic Policy and Competitiveness Research Centre (EPCRC); former Chief of Staff to the President of Mongolia; former Minister of Finance; former Minister of Education and Culture

Frank Herbert, President, Centerra Gold; Centerra's Boroo mine was the first significant foreign investment in Mongolia for industrial development since 1979

Judy Brown, General Manager, Corporate Relations – Americas, Rio Tinto; previously served as Asia specialist at US Chamber of Commerce and US Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee

Jalsa Urubshurow, CEO and Founder, Nomadic Expeditions; oldest adventure tourism operator in Mongolia; founder and former Chairman, NAMBC

Ms. Zhen Gong-Cross, Head of Mongolian Affairs, US Department of Commerce

Cody Eldridge, CEO, Wagner International; COO, Wagner Asia – since 1996, largest US investor in Mongolia

Christopher Burton, Director, Northeast Asia and Oceania Division, Global Affairs Canada

Layton Croft, Director and Strategic Advisor, Erdene Resource Development Corp.; CEO, Palmetto Mining Corporation; former Vice President, Peabody Energy; former Executive Vice President, Oyu Tolgoi

Zolbayar Ganbold, CEO, Kerry Mongolia LLC; former Secretariat staff of the Parliament of Mongolia

Erdenedalai Odkhuu, Partner, Hogan Lovells (Mongolia) LLP

5:00 PM – target adjournment

6:00 PM – time TBC -- Meeting of the NAMBC Board of Directors at Residence Inn

() = represented by a written message to be read to audience*

Friday, April 28 – Door knock meetings with USG officials, 9:00 AM-1:30 PM

For corporate AGM registrants -- Advance sign-up required to info@nambc.org; US\$25 transportation fee

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