

Directions

All events will be taking place at one of the locations below. Check the schedule in this program to see where each session is being held.

Copley Formal Lounge, Copley Hall

Room 205, Old North Building

ICC Auditorium, Intercultural Center (ICC)

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February 23 – 24

TOPICS

A Broken Trust:
America's Voter Discontent

Wasted Talent:
Youth Unemployed & Underemployed in America

Degrees of Separation:
Regional Independence Movements

The Unwanted:
Refugees & Asylees

Keynotes:
Reflections on Populism & Policy

Panelists

A Broken Trust: America's Voter Discontent

Opening Speaker:

- Dr. Justin Gest, Assistant Professor of Public Policy, George Mason University

Moderator: E. J. Dionne, Columnist, Washington Post

Panelists:

- Pratik Chougule, Managing Editor, National Interest & Former Trump Campaign Policy Coordinator
- Sarah Jaffe, Nation Institute Fellow
- Dr. Michael Kazin, Professor, Georgetown University Department of History
- Michael Lind, Co-founder, New America

Wasted Talent: Youth Unemployed & Underemployed in America

Moderator: Dr. Harry Holzer, Professor, Georgetown University McCourt School of Public Policy

Panelists:

- Kisha Bird, Director of Youth Policy, CLASP
- Maureen Conway, VP for Policy Programs, Aspen Institute
- Dr. Richard Reeves, Sr. Fellow, Brookings Institution

Degrees of Separation: Regional Independence Movements

Moderator: Sanford J. Ungar, Former Director, Voice of America

Panelists:

- Dr. Andrew Davis, Catalan Government Representative in the US
- Dr. Andrew Hughes Hallett, Professor, Saint Andrews University & George Mason University
- Maeve Whelan-Wuest, Former Asia Policy Fellow, US Senate

The Unwanted: Refugees & Asylees

Moderator: Katharine Donato, Director, Institute for the Study of International Migration

Panelists:

- Michel Gabaudan, President, Refugees International
- Dr. Robert McKenzie, Non-Resident Sr. Fellow, Brookings Institution
- Dr. Nayla Rush, Sr. Research Analyst, Center for Immigration Studies

Keynote Speakers

Dr. Bryan McCann, Chair, Georgetown University Department of History

John B. Judis, Editor at Large, Talking Points Memo

DAY 1: THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23

TIME	SEGMENT	LOCATION
6:00PM - 6:30PM	Registration Begins	Copley Formal Lounge
6:30PM - 9:30PM	SEGMENT 1 A Broken Trust: American Voter Discontent <i>Food and drinks will be provided.</i>	Copley Formal Lounge
9:00AM - 10:30AM	SEGMENT 2 Wasted Talent: Youth Unemployed & Underemployed in America	Copley Formal Lounge
10:45AM - 12:15PM	SEGMENT 3 Degrees of Separation: Regional Independence Movements	Copley Formal Lounge
12:15PM - 1:30PM	Lunch <i>Food and drinks will be provided to all Day 2 registered guests and speakers. Panelists, moderators and other experts will also be present.</i>	Copley Formal Lounge
1:45PM - 3:15PM	SEGMENT 4 The Unwanted: Refugees & Asylees	Room 205, Old North
3:45PM - 5:00PM	KEYNOTES Reflections on Populism & Policy A Historical Perspective • Dr. Bryan McCann Now & Looking Forward • John B. Judis	ICC Auditorium

SCHEDULE