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at the Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies  
Johns Hopkins University  
EU Center of Excellence Washington DC  
and  
The Atlantic Council of the United States**

invite you to a conference

**AFTER FUKUSHIMA:  
The Future of Nuclear Energy in the United States and Europe**

**Tuesday May 31, 2011**

**RSVP at:**

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**Kenney Auditorium**

Johns Hopkins University, Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies  
1740 Massachusetts Ave, NW  
Washington, D.C. 20036

**8.30 - 8.45**      **Registration and Coffee**

**8.45**              **Welcome and Opening Remarks**

*Kurt Volker, Managing Director, Johns Hopkins SAIS, Center for Transatlantic Relations*

*Gen. Richard L. Lawson, Vice Chairman of the Atlantic Council*

**9.00**              **The Outlook for Nuclear Power in the United States and Europe after Fukushima**

**Keynote speeches by:**

**Daniel Poneman**, Deputy Secretary, U.S. Department of Energy

**João Vale de Almeida**, Ambassador, Delegation of the EU to the US

**Francois Delattre**, Ambassador, Embassy of France

**Klaus Scharioth**, Ambassador, Embassy of Germany

**10.15**             **Political and Economic Realities of the Nuclear Renaissance in the U.S. and Europe**

*Moderator: Kurt Volker, Managing Director, Johns Hopkins SAIS, Center for Transatlantic Relations*

**Wilfrid Kohl**, Professor, Johns Hopkins SAIS, Energy Resources and Environment Program

**Pekka Lintu**, Ambassador, Embassy of Finland

**Zygmantas Pavilionis**, Ambassador, Embassy of Lithuania

**Daniel Kostoval**, Chargé d'Affaires, Embassy of the Czech Republic

**Maciej Pisarski**, Chargé d'Affaires a.i., Embassy of Poland

**12.00            Networking Lunch**

**1.00            Challenges and Solutions – Technology, Emergency Preparedness, Waste Management, Reactor Safety, and Financing**

*Moderator: David Jhirad, Director, Energy, Resources and Environment Program at Johns Hopkins SAIS*

**Emergency Preparedness: Martin Virgilio**, Deputy Executive Director for Reactor and Preparedness Programs, United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission

**Waste Management: Allison M. Macfarlane**, Associate Professor, George Mason University and Member, Blue Ribbon Commission on America's Nuclear Future

**Reactor Safety: James O. Ellis Jr.** President and Chief Executive Officer, Institute of Nuclear Power Operations

**Realities and Technology: Julian J. Steyn**, President, Energy Resources International

**Financing: Dimitri Nikas**, Director, U.S. Utilities & Infrastructure Ratings, Standard and Poor's

**3.00            Coffee Break**

**3.15            Industry Perspectives on the Future of Nuclear Power in the United States and Europe and Addressing Public Concerns**

*Moderator: Blythe J. Lyons, Nonresident Senior Fellow, Energy and Environment Program, Atlantic Council*

**Marvin Fertel**, President & CEO, Nuclear Energy Institute

**Finis Southworth**, Chief Technology Officer, AREVA Inc.

**Randolph D. Galm**, Vice President, Americas Marketing and Project Development, Westinghouse Electric Company

**Ruth Smith**, Senior Vice President, Global Government Relations, GE Hitachi Nuclear Energy

**4.45            Concluding Remarks**

*Kurt Volker, Managing Director, Johns Hopkins SAIS, Center for Transatlantic Relations*

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**5.00            Reception**