

RE-ENERGIZING NUCLEAR SECURITY

Report Launch and Reflections

5:00-6:30 *NOVEMBER* 7, 2017

AGENDA

Welcome: Leslie Ireland, Stimson Center Board Member

Introduction: Debra Decker, Stimson Center Senior Advisor

Trends in the Nuclear Industry Today:

Maria Korsnick, President & CEO of the Nuclear Energy Institute

Presentations & Panel Discussion on Post-Security Summit Environment:

Maria Korsnick, President & CEO of the Nuclear Energy Institute

Frank Saunders, Vice President, Nuclear Oversight and Regulatory Affairs, Bruce Power

John Barrett, President & CEO, Canadian Nuclear Association

Debra Decker, Moderator

Audience Q&A

Evening Reception: Cocktails and Informal Discussion commence at 6:30pm

SPEAKERS (alphabetical order)

JOHN BARRETT is President and CEO of the Canadian Nuclear Association (CNA). His career in the Canadian public service includes Foreign Affairs, National Defence, and the Privy Council Office. In addition, he was in the International Staff of NATO and Deputy Director of the Canadian Centre for Arms Control & Disarmament. Before joining the industry association, Dr. Barrett was Canada's Ambassador to the International Atomic Energy Agency, where he chaired the IAEA's Board of Governors; as well as Ambassador and Permanent Representative to the Comprehensive Nuclear Test Ban Treaty Organization and to the United Nations in Vienna. He served as Canada's Ambassador to Austria and to the Slovak Republic.

DEBRA DECKER is a Senior Advisor at the Stimson Center where she works on nonproliferation and nuclear security issues. She has more than 20 years of experience developing policies and managing processes in the private and public sectors internationally and is a subject matter expert in the field of risk management. In the United States, she has advised the FBI and the Departments of Defense and Homeland Security on strategy and risk and has specialized in the threats stemming from WMDs and in the vulnerabilities of critical infrastructure. As a researcher, Decker was an associate of Harvard's Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs. Her work has been featured at the World Economic Forum and to Congress. Decker holds an MBA from University of Pennsylvania's Wharton School and an MPA from Harvard University's Kennedy School.

LESLIE IRELAND is the former Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Intelligence and Analysis. She joined Treasury in 2010 after 25 years at CIA where she specialized in Iran, the Middle East and WMD. Ms. Ireland retired in November 2016 after more than 31 years in the Intelligence Community. She currently is on the Board of Directors of the Stimson Center as well as Citigroup, where she brings her perspective on money laundering, cybersecurity and global risk issues. Ms. Ireland is also Vice-Chairperson of the Intelligence and National Security Alliance (INSA) Financial Threats Council, whose mission is to provide a deeper understanding of the broad range of financial threats faced by organizations in the public and private sectors, and to strengthen public-private cooperation and information sharing to mitigate threats and develop solutions. Prior to joining the Treasury Department, Ms. Ireland served as daily intelligence briefer to President Obama. As the first Director of National Intelligence (DNI) Iran Mission Manager from 2005-2008, she was responsible for overseeing the intelligence process on Iran for the entire US government. Ms. Ireland is the recipient of the Alexander Hamilton Award, the highest award bestowed by the Secretary of the Treasury; the Intelligence Community Seal Medallion, personally awarded by the DNI; the National Intelligence Distinguished Service Medal (2008 and 2016); and the CIA Intelligence Commendation Medal. She is a graduate of Franklin and Marshall College and Georgetown University.

MARIA KORSNICK is president and chief executive officer of the Nuclear Energy Institute, the nuclear industry's policy organization in Washington, D.C. Drawing on her engineering background, hands-on experience in reactor operations and a deep knowledge of energy policy and regulatory issues, Korsnick aims to increase understanding of nuclear energy's economic and environmental benefits among policymakers and the public. Before joining NEI, she was senior vice president of Northeast Operations for Exelon, responsible for overseeing operation of the Calvert Cliffs 1 and 2, R.E. Ginna, and Nine Mile Point 1 and 2 nuclear power plants. Before Exelon, Korsnick served as Chief Nuclear Officer (CNO) and Acting Chief Executive Officer at Constellation Energy Nuclear Group. She began her career at Constellation in 1986 and held positions of increasing responsibility, including engineer, operator, manager, site vice president, corporate vice president, and CNO.

FRANK SAUNDERS has spent more than 35 years in the nuclear industry. During this time, he held positions with Ontario Hydro, McMaster University and Bruce Power that included management and executive posts in a number of disciplines such as safety, environment, engineering, operations, quality assurance, inspection, security, regulatory relations and oversight. Oversight included four years of organizing and performing nuclear plant safety evaluations on behalf of Ontario Hydro and the Institute of Nuclear Power Operations (INPO) which encompassed inspections of North American and international plants. Saunders led Security and Emergency Response during the critical years following 9/11 and the Fukushima event when major changes were introduced. He is proud of the leadership Bruce Power has demonstrated in these areas, the strong reputation Bruce Power has garnered and the opportunity he has had to play a role in this.

The new Stimson Center report, Re-energizing Nuclear Security: Trends and Potential Collaborations Post Security Summits, by Debra Decker, Lovely Umayam, Jacqueline Kempfer and Kathryn Rauhut, is now available both in print and online. The report proceeds from the realization that the progress made toward enhanced security from the Nuclear Security Summits, and the companion industry and civil society summit meetings, must continue. Overall, the report offers pathways for all stakeholders in the nuclear community — from governments to industry to civil society — to find common ground and forge pragmatic partnerships to strengthen nuclear security.

Find it online at: https://www.stimson.org/content/re-energizing-nuclear-security-report.