

Democratic, Prosperous, Secure: Restoring a Partnership for Sustainable Growth

- 9:15 AM** **CONFERENCE WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION**
- [Eric Farnsworth](#)
Vice President, Council of the Americas
- [Susan Segal](#)
President & CEO, Council of the Americas
- [Julie Chung](#)
Acting Assistant Secretary, Western Hemisphere Affairs,
U.S. Department of State
- 9:35 AM** **A CONVERSATION WITH THE VICE PRESIDENT OF THE
UNITED STATES**
- [Kamala D. Harris](#)
Vice President of the United States
Introduced by Andrés Gluski, Chairman, Council of the Americas
- 10:00 AM** **SECURITY, COMPETITIVENESS AND IMMIGRATION**
- [Alejandro Mayorkas](#)
Secretary of Homeland Security
Moderated by Susan Segal, President, Council of the Americas
- 10:30 AM** **A VIEW FROM CONGRESS**
- [Gregory Meeks](#)
Chairman, Foreign Affairs Committee, House of Representatives
*Introduced by Clay Neff, President, Chevron Middle East, Africa,
South America Exploration and Production Company*
Moderated by Susan Segal, President & CEO, Council of the Americas
- 11:00 AM** **A NEW APPROACH TO TRADE**
- [Katherine Tai](#)
United States Trade Representative
*Introduced by Elizabeth Reicherts, Interim Senior Vice President,
Global Public Policy, General Motors*
Moderated by Eric Farnsworth, Vice President, Council of the Americas

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PANEL: BUILDING THE REGIONAL RECOVERY AGENDA

[Roberto Álvarez](#)

Minister of Foreign Affairs, Dominican Republic

[Julie Gerberding](#)

Executive Vice President and Chief Patient Officer, Merck & Co., Inc.

[Reina Irene Mejía](#)

Executive Vice President, Inter-American Development Bank

[José Manuel Restrepo](#)

Minister of Trade, Industry and Tourism, Colombia

[Shery Ahn](#)

Anchor, Bloomberg Television (Moderator)

12:20 PM

OPPORTUNITY AND GROWTH: LATIN AMERICA IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY

[Gina Raimondo](#)

Secretary of Commerce, U.S. Department of Commerce

Moderated by Eric Farnsworth, Vice President, Council of the Americas

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THE UNITED STATES AND THE AMERICAS

[Antony Blinken](#)

Secretary, U.S. Department of State

Introduced by Andrés Gluski, Chairman, Council of the Americas

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THE REGIONAL AGENDA TO COMBAT CLIMATE CHANGE

[John Kerry](#)

Special Presidential Envoy for Climate, Department of State

Introduced by Andrés Gluski, Chairman, Council of the Americas

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