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Triennial Transatlantic Leaders Retreat 2020

Leading Forward with Agency, Trust and Service

May 22 to 24, 2020 | Thematic Agenda

Some special guests will include



Dr. Karen Donfried
President
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Derek Chollet (MWS '01)
Executive Vice President
GMF



Heleen Terwijn
Founder
IMC Weekend School



Baron Simon Wooley
Founder and CEO
Operation Black Vote U.K.



Emmanuel Lulin
Senior Vice President
L'Oréal



Thierry Déau
CEO
Meridiam



Zsuzsanna Szelényi
Richard von Weizsäcker Fellow
Robert Bosch Academy

2nd Triennial Transatlantic Leaders Retreat for GMF Alumni

Friday May 22, 2020

15:00 Check-in

16:30 Program Welcome and Opening Remarks

- Report on Progress Toward 2018-2020 Objectives
- Plenary– Agency, Action and Service
- The Marshall Prize (Three Alumni Leadership Action Projects compete for 2020 Marshall Prizes, following presentation, alumni present vote to bestow The Marshall Prize)

19:00 Reception, Dinner, Networking



Saturday May 23, 2019

9:00-12:00 Agora I

- Democracy
- Citizen Diplomacy
- Action Ideas Workshop (small group discussion on project ideas)

12:30-14:00 Plenary Lunch – Building Trust in Our Democratic Institutions

14:00-17:00 Agora II

- Identity and Inclusion
- Business and Society
- Action Ideas Workshop (small group discussion on project ideas)

17:00- 19:00 Open Time to arrange meet-ups, enjoy the facilities and network

19:00 Reception

20:00 Gala Dinner and Program: Making a Difference through Your Leadership

- Dinner followed by a dialogue among the 2020 honorees



Sunday May 24, 2019

9:00-10:30 Plenary – Ethical Leadership in the 21st century: A discussion and simulation

10:30-10:45 Concluding Remarks

11:30-13:00 Continued Innovation within the Network

Plan or join one of the concurrent innovation group meetings and networking luncheon

- Service Learning
- Digital Networking and Ongoing Communication with Alumni
- Inclusive Leadership Curriculum
- Organizing a New Alumni Leader Action Project
- Alumni Working Group Debriefs and Next Steps
- Regional Alumni Delegation Meetings
- Others to be named...

13:00 2020 Retreat Close

Do you want to propose a concurrent meeting session to innovate a project or program? Send proposals to Leadershipprograms@gmfus.org. Space is limited.

Every age in history is defined by **an event** that ushers in something radically new. Join GMF's second Triennial Transatlantic Leaders Retreat: Leading Forward with Agency, Trust, and Service in Chantilly, France, from **May 22-24, 2020**, and identify the types of leadership, learning, and action needed to ensure that our liberal values continue to thrive.

GMF's **Transatlantic Leaders Retreat** convenes every three years to discuss upcoming challenges to the Transatlantic Relationship, define the priorities of GMF's alumni engagement, and chart the course of GMF's **3,500 alumni network** with a brand new action plan.



Future of Democracy – With populist movements highlighting the weaknesses in our democracies, policy and civic initiatives are urgently needed in order to address the mobilization of extremist political parties across Europe and the United States.

Citizen Diplomacy – Mounting skepticism about the benefits of international engagement has fueled isolationist sentiment across national governments and their constituencies. In an increasingly interconnected world, it is imperative that leaders understand and translate the impact global trends have on their communities.

Identity and Inclusion – In order to utilize the creative and competitive benefits of diversity, it is imperative that leaders are equipped with inclusive acumen and leadership skills necessary to ensure cohesion and equitability serve their constituents.

Business and Society – Attitudes toward corporate responsibility are changing in regard to social and political issues. As such, business leaders must recognize the importance of acting beyond traditional frameworks, and increase their efforts to be leaders of society through their influence on the cultural and economic spheres.



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