

# *2022 Religion and Foreign Policy Workshop*

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*The annual CFR Religion and Foreign Policy Workshop brings together policymakers, foreign policy experts, and leaders from across the religion community to CFR's New York headquarters for a day and a half of expert briefings and discussion groups. The plenary sessions are on the record, and the discussion groups are held on a not-for-attribution basis.*

# Agenda

## Tuesday, May 17, 2022

5:00 to 6:00 p.m.

### **Registration and Reception**

6:00 to 7:15 p.m.

### ***The War in Ukraine***

Elise Giuliano, *Senior Lecturer in Discipline and Director, Graduate Studies and the Program on U.S.-Russia Relations, Harriman Institute, Columbia University*

Charles A. Kupchan, *Senior Fellow, Council on Foreign Relations*

Stephen Sestanovich, *George F. Kennan Senior Fellow for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Council on Foreign Relations*

Felice D. Gaer, *Director, Jacob Blaustein Institute for the Advancement of Human Rights, American Jewish Committee, Moderating*

### **Blessing**

Galen J. Guengerich, *Senior Minister, All Souls Unitarian Church*

7:15 to 8:30 p.m.

### **Dinner**

## Wednesday, May 18, 2022

8:00 to 8:45 a.m.

### **Breakfast Reception**

8:45 to 10:00 a.m.

### ***Climate, Faith, and Justice***

Gerald L. Durley, *Board Chair, Interfaith Power and Light*

Rosalyn LaPier, *Professor, Environmental Studies, University of Montana*

Kilaparti Ramakrishna, *Senior Advisor to the President and Director on Ocean and Climate Policy, Woods Hole Oceanic Institution*

Mary Evelyn Tucker, *Senior Lecturer, Senior Research Scholar, and Codirector, Forum on Religion and Ecology, Yale University, Moderating*

10:00 to 10:30 a.m.

### **Break**

10:30 to 11:45 a.m.

### ***Democracy in Decline***

Lisa Sharon Harper, *Founder and President, Freedom Road, LLC*

Yascha Mounk, *Senior Fellow, Council on Foreign Relations*

Melissa Rogers, *Executive Director, Office of Faith-Based and Neighborhood Partnerships, White House*

Reena Ninan, *Founder, Good Trouble Productions, Moderating*

## Wednesday, May 18, 2022 (continued)

11:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.      **Proceed to your lunch discussion group.**

12:15 to 1:30 p.m.      **Concurrent Lunch Discussion Groups**

***Countering Violent Extremism***

Susan O. Hayward, *Associate Director, Religion and Public Life Program,  
Harvard Divinity School*

***Humanitarian Response***

Mark Hetfield, *President and Chief Executive Officer, HIAS*

***Religion and Politics in Africa***

Ebenezer Obadare, *Douglas Dillon Senior Fellow for Africa Studies,  
Council on Foreign Relations*

***Religious Pluralism***

Allison K. Ralph, *Associate Director, Religion and Society Program, Aspen Institute*

***The Consequences of the War in Ukraine on Orthodoxy***

Aristotle Papanikolaou, *Professor of Theology and Archbishop Demetrios Chair in  
Orthodox Theology and Culture, Fordham University*

1:30 to 2:00 p.m.      **Break**

2:00 to 3:00 p.m.      ***Women, Peace, and Education in Afghanistan***

Daisy Khan, *Executive Director, Women's Islamic Initiative in Spirituality and Equality*  
Ruth W. Messinger, *Global Ambassador, American Jewish World Service*  
Sunita Viswanath, *Executive Director, Hindus for Human Rights*  
Chloe Breyer, *Executive Director, Interfaith Center of New York, Moderating*

3:00 to 3:15 p.m.      **Break**

3:15 to 4:15 p.m.      ***The State of the World***

Richard Haass, *President, Council on Foreign Relations*  
Simran Jeet Singh, *Executive Director, Religion and Society Program, Aspen Institute,  
Moderating*

4:15 to 5:00 p.m.      **Closing Reception**