

## Overview

The Foreign Policy Association of Harrisburg was organized in 1949 by a group of local educators and civic leaders as a venue for public discussion of international issues affecting United States foreign policy and America's national and international interests. The Association believes that America's foreign policy is everyone's business and that our lives are directly affected by the role the United States plays in world affairs.

The purpose of the Association is solely educational, to bring information on international issues and policies to the attention of our citizens. The FPA takes no position on the issues presented and discussed.

While aligned with the national Foreign Policy Association, the Harrisburg FPA is independently governed by a board of directors from the Harrisburg metropolitan area. The FPA is a nonpartisan, non-profit educational association. It is funded by membership fees, sponsorships, and donations.

## Programs

Each year, the Association presents a series of seven monthly dinner meetings which feature a speaker selected for their experience or expertise on the selected topic.

The monthly meetings consist of a social hour to meet the speaker at 5:30 PM, dinner at 6:30 PM and the speaker's presentation at 7:30 PM, followed by a question and answer session with the speaker.

The meetings are held at the West Shore Country Club in Camp Hill, PA. The dinner menus are selected by a committee working with the restaurant and are invariably excellent. The dinner cost is \$30.00 per person for members and \$35.00 for non-members.

Attendance at the dinner is by reservation. The presentation and question and answer session are open to the public free of charge.

In addition, the Association sponsors:

- **Annual International Reception** in conjunction with the Army War College to honor the foreign officers who are studying for a year at the U.S. Army War College.
- **Annual visit to Washington D.C.** briefing at a foreign embassy and U.S. State Department.
- **4th Annual President's Speakers Series** notable subject matter speakers will deliver insight based on experience and knowledge.
- **The 'Great Decisions' program** study groups that meet to discuss key issues from the Great Decisions study book.
- **Monthly newsletter and announcements** of coming events.

## Why Join?

Over the years, the Association has earned recognition for bringing to the community experienced and qualified speakers, such as U.S. and foreign ambassadors, statesmen, journalists, senior international business, economic and military leaders, and scholars from the fields of foreign policy and diplomacy.

The meetings offer members an opportunity to interact with the guest speaker and with others from our area who share an interest in America's foreign policy challenges.

## Membership

We invite you to join us in this unique local association. Membership is open to all persons and there are several membership levels to choose from.

To become a member, mail your completed application and check made payable to The Foreign Policy Association of Harrisburg, Inc. to:

**The Foreign Policy Association of Harrisburg, Inc.**

P.O. Box 60665

Harrisburg, PA 17106-0665

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**2018-2019 Membership Application**

First Name / Last Name *(Please print)*

2nd Person Name *(if Family Membership)*

Street Address

City/State/Zip Code

Primary Phone No.    Alternate Phone No.

Email Address *(please print legibly)*

Would you like to receive the FPA monthly newsletter electronically by email?

Yes     No

Membership Valid  
June 1, 2018 thru May 31, 2019

**Membership Level** *(please check one)*

- Individual .....\$25
- Family .....\$35
- Student\* .....\$10
- Organization .....\$30
- Sustaining ..... \$50 - \$100
- Corporate .....\$250

\* Student Membership available for high school or full-time undergraduate college/university students only.

*Please detach and return with your membership fee.*



*The Foreign Policy Association is a non-profit organization founded nationally in 1918 and locally in Harrisburg, PA in 1949. It is dedicated to inspiring the American public to learn more about the world and aims to spread global awareness and understanding of foreign policy issues.*

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## Thank You...

Foreign Policy Association members know that every day events abroad impact American lives and livelihoods, and they know the importance of access to authoritative, up-to-date, engaging information about today's global community.

By becoming a member, you are joining individuals across the nation in supporting our work to build an America where civil society flourishes.

## Board of Directors

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## 2018-2019 Program of Events

**September 27, 2018**  
Globalism vs. Nationalism

**October 25, 2018**  
Mexican - U.S. Relations

**November 28, 2018**  
*4th Annual President's Speaker's Series*  
Philip Mudd  
Formerly with the CIA and FBI  
Terrorism, Counterterrorism, and the West

**December 13, 2018**  
Annual International Fellows  
Reception at the Army Heritage  
Education Center

**January 24, 2019**  
Fight for Middle East Leadership  
Saudi Arabia, Iran, and Turkey

**February 27, 2019**  
Russia's War on Western Democracies

**March 28, 2019**  
Current State of Arms Control

**April 25, 2019**  
National Defense Strategy

**May 16, 2019**  
Japan and East Asia

**May 2019**  
Embassy Trip to Washington D.C.  
Specific date and country to be  
determined.



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*2018-2019 Program Year*

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