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Fall 2019

at Johns Hopkins University

• Global Diplomatic Hotspots 6 weeks
  Fridays, 9/20 – 10/25
  Foreign Service Diplomats
  10am–12 noon

• The West in Crisis 6 weeks
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  Dr. Stephen Szabo

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Please see reverse side for Dates, Class Topics & Faculty Member Information

Classes are held at 8100 Connecticut Ave, Chevy Chase, MD 20815

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Fridays, September 20 – October 25, 6 weeks 10am–12 noon

Global Diplomatic Hotspots

In this remarkable and timely series, former Foreign Service officers (FSOs) with extensive global experience in implementing U.S. foreign policies visit Osher. A list of speakers with topics and bios will be made available prior to the semester. Each speaker will describe the importance of effective U.S. diplomacy within the context of historical, political, and economic developments in the countries and regions in which they served.

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Robert M. Beecroft

Diplomacy in an Age of International Tribalism

Alphonso La Porta

Transnational Terrorism

Gordon Brown

Islam and Democracy

Peter Kovach

Religion and Diplomacy

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Diplomacy in an Age of International Tribalism

Pat Butenis

Personal Lessons Learned in Iraq

Molly Williamson

Politics of Petroleum

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Global Hot Spots: The West in Crisis

These series of talks will cover a number of key hot spots in the West which will have an impact of U.S. foreign policy. They will include sessions on Brexit and what it means for Europe and the U.S.; Germany and Europe: the Putin Challenge; Turkey Between Russia, the Middle East and the West; The Rise of right wing nationalism in Europe and the U.S.; China and the West; Is there still a West and a Western Liberal Order?

Dr. Stephen F. Szabo, PhD, is currently a Senior Fellow at the American Institute for Contemporary German Studies at Johns Hopkins University. He has served as the Executive Director of the Transatlantic Academy and as Interim Dean and Associate Dean for Academic Affairs and at SAIS, Johns Hopkins University as well as Professor of National Security Affairs at the National War College. He has had fellowships in Germany, Vienna and the Woodrow Wilson International Center. He has written widely on European politics and transatlantic relations. His most recent book is Russia and the Rise of Geo-Economics.