



WELCOME PACK IPAC WASHINGTON DC CONFERENCE 12-14 SEPTEMBER 2022

AGENDA

Date	Time	Activity	Location
Monday 12th September	1300 onwards	Arrival	Hotel Monaco
	16.30 – 18.00	Drinks reception hosted by the Uyghur Human Rights Project and the Uyghur American Association	Hotel Monaco
	18.00-18.30	<i>SHUTTLE TRANSPORTATION FROM HOTEL MONACO TO DECATUR HOUSE</i>	Meeting point: Hotel main entrance
	18.30 – 21.00	Welcome dinner	Decatur House
	21.00-21.30	<i>SHUTTLE TRANSPORTATION FROM DECATUR HOUSE TO HOTEL MONACO</i>	
Tuesday 13 September	7.00-9.00	Breakfast	Hotel Monaco (Dirty Habits room)
	9.30-10.00	<i>SHUTTLE TRANSPORTATION FROM HOTEL MONACO TO CAPITOL</i>	Meeting point: Hotel main entrance
	10.00-11.00	Check-In at Capitol Security & Senate Appointment Desk	Capitol building
	11.00 – 12.15	Opening of conference with Senators Marco Rubio and Bob Menendez (open to press)	Capitol Building Room SVC 210-212
	12.15 – 13.15	Lunch (open to press)	Capitol Building Room SVC 210-212
	13.15 – 14.15	Panel discussion: <i>Increasing democratic support for Taiwan</i>	Capitol Building Room SVC 210-212



	14.15 – 14.45	Photoshoot outside Congress	Capitol Building
	14.45-15.15	<i>SHUTTLE TRANSPORTATION FROM CAPITOL TO NED</i>	
	15.15-15.30	Check-in procedure	National Endowment for Democracy (NED)
	15.30 – 16.30	Break out sessions: -Upholding human rights in the Uyghur Region and Tibet (Room 11002) - Resisting authoritarian influence in multilateral institutions (Room Westminster) - Building resilient, ethical energy and critical mineral supply chains (Room 11004)	NED
	16.30 – 18.00	Free time – optional tour	
	18.00-18.30	<i>SHUTTLE TRANSPORTATION FROM HOTEL TO TWIN OAKS ESTATE</i>	
	18.30 – 21.00	Reception hosted by Ambassador Bi-khim Hsiao of Taiwan	Twin Oaks Estate
Wednesday 14 September	7.00-8.30	Breakfast	Hotel Monaco (Dirty Habits room)
	8.45-9.00	<i>WALK FROM HOTEL TO NED (see directions below)</i>	Walking group departing at 8.45AM from the hotel main entrance
	09.25 – 09.30	Host's welcome (NED)	NED
	09.30 – 10.30	Panel discussion: <i>Countering transnational repression and the</i>	NED



		<i>United Front – with Senator Jeff Merkley</i>	
	10.30 – 11.00	Break	NED
	11.00 – 12.00*	Break out sessions: - <i>Advancing Magnitsky-style legislation globally (*11.00 – 12.30 – U.S. State Department) (Room Westminster)</i> - <i>Strengthening democratic resilience in emerging economies (Room 11004)</i> - <i>Accountability for violations of international law in Hong Kong (Room 11002)</i>	NED
	12.00 – 13.30	Lunch	NED
	13.30 – 14.30	Formal adoption of communique by vote	NED
	14.30 – 15.00	Closing addresses	NED
	15.00	<i>WALK FROM NED TO HOTEL (see directions below)</i>	

OPTIONAL: ADDITIONAL SCHEDULE HOSTED BY KEY IPAC PARTNERS

Thursday 15 September	Timings TBD	Simulation: <i>Bolstering Europe Against the Subversive Tactics of the Chinese Communist Party</i> – with the International Republican Institute All queries regarding IRI’s activities should be addressed to Jack Herndon (jherndon@iri.org)	IRI
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SECURITY & COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

TO ENTER THE UNITED STATES:

The [official COVID protocols imposed by the United States](#) to any individual entering the country as of June 2022:

- If you are a non-U.S. citizen, **you will need to show proof of being fully vaccinated against COVID-19 (at least two times) before you travel by air to the United States from a foreign country.** If you are not vaccinated, you cannot enter the United States, even if you show a negative COVID-19 viral test or documentation of recovery from COVID-19.
- However, if they are fully vaccinated (at least two times), travellers to the US are no longer required to show a negative COVID-19 viral test or documentation of recovery from COVID-19 before they board their flight.

TO ACCESS THE CONFERENCE PREMISES

Please note that attendees must carry an official ID and a recognised valid COVID-19 vaccination certification at all times.

- **CAPITOL BUILDING:** Guests will be required to present a passport or official photo ID to enter the Capitol Building.

In order to ease security checks, please do not carry bags with you to enter the Capitol building.

- **NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR DEMOCRACY (NED) BUILDING:** Attendees are required to present an official ID and internationally recognised valid COVID-19 vaccination certification during the check-in procedures at the National Endowment for Democracy.

PRESS CONTACTS

To preserve the security, integrity and unity of the IPAC network and the DC Summit, we ask that **you refrain from issuing statements or interviews before the end of the press conference on Tuesday, September 13.**

We ask that you **forward any media requests to the IPAC Secretariat** who will be coordinating media requests and individual interviews over the course of the conference



ACCOMODATION

Accommodation for attendees will be provided for by IPAC and hosted at the Kimpton Hotel Monaco.

Hotel details:

Kimpton Hotel Monaco Washington DC

Address: 700 F St NW, Washington, DC 20004, United States

Phone: +1 202-628-7177

Website: <https://www.monaco-dc.com/>

Attendees will be able to **check in from the afternoon of Monday 12th September and check out on the morning of Thursday 15th September**. The IRI participants will check out on Friday 16th September. Additional nights must be booked at the attendee's own expense.

TRANSFER FROM AIRPORT

Attendees must arrange their own airport transfers. Attendees flying into Washington Dulles International Airport (IAD) are able to book transfers with the [Washington Flyer Taxi Service](#). Ride-sharing apps Uber, Lyft, and Via are also available from the airport. There is no direct public transport link between Washington Dulles International Airport and central Washington DC.

VENUES

Decatur House: 748 Jackson PI NW, Washington, DC 20006, United States

Capitol building: First St SE, Washington, DC 20004, United States

National Endowment for Democracy building (NED): 1201 Pennsylvania Avenue NW Suite 1100, Washington, DC 20004, United States

Twin Oaks Estate: 3225 Woodley Rd NW, Washington, DC 20008, United States

TRANSFER BETWEEN VENUES

Monday 12 September

18.00-18.30: Charter bus shuttle from Kimpton Monaco Hotel (main entrance) to Decatur House (corner of H Street and Jackson Place).

21.00-21.30: Charter bus shuttle from Decatur House to Kimpton Monaco Hotel

Tuesday 13 September



9.30-10.00: Charter bus shuttle from Kimpton Monaco Hotel (main entrance) to Capitol Building (Corner of Delaware & Constitution Avenue, North side of the building/Visitor's Center Entrance).

14.30-15.00: Charter bus shuttle from Capitol Building (Corner of Delaware & Constitution Avenue, North side of the building/Visitor's Center Entrance) to National Endowment for Democracy building.

18.00-18.30: Charter bus shuttle from National Endowment for Democracy building to Kimpton Monaco Hotel (main entrance).

Wednesday 14 September

Attendees are expected to walk from the Hotel to the National Endowment for Democracy building (8min. walk). Please find here below the directions and a map:

From Kimpton Hotel Monaco:

- Head west on E St NW toward 8th St NW
- Turn left onto 12th St NW
- Turn right onto Pennsylvania Avenue NW