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Thursday, October 29, 2009

Washington Court Hotel

Washington, D.C.

CONFERENCE AGENDA

LESSONS OF THE FALL

9:30 a.m. **There Is No Way Back: A New Strategy is Essential**

Introduction: Robert L. Borosage, President Institute for America's Future

Jeff Madrick, Director of Policy Research, The New School's Schwartz Center for Economic Policy Analysis

BUILDING THE NEW ECONOMY

10:10 a.m. **A New Foundation: Strategic Public Investment**

Moderator: Harold Meyerson, Columnist, The Washington Post

Research and Development | Suzanne Berger, MIT Int'l Science & Technology Initiatives
Modernizing Education and Training | Susan Schurman, University College Community, Rutgers University

Public Investment & Good Jobs | Rep. Rosa L. DeLauro (D-CT)*

11 a.m. **Making It In America: Manufacturing in a Global Economy**

Moderator: Dr. Maya Rockey Moore, President & CEO, Global Policy Solutions

Challenges to Address | Rich Trumka, President, AFL-CIO

A Business Perspective | John P. Surma, President, US Steel

New Energy: Will America Lead? | Kate Gordon, Center for American Progress, Apollo Alliance

11:55 p.m. BREAK

12:05 p.m. **Luncheon Keynote: Towards a New Economic Strategy**

Senator Sherrod Brown (D-OH)

Rep. James E. Clyburn, (D-SC)*

1:15 p.m. BREAK

1:30 p.m. **Global Challenge: A Sustainable Balance for Growth**

Robert Kuttner, Co-founder, The American Prospect; Senior Fellow, Demos

Carolyn Bartholomew, Chair, U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission

2:30 p.m. **Getting There: The Next Steps**

Moderator: Scott Paul, Executive Director, Alliance for American Manufacturing

Rebuilding America from the Bottom Up | Leo W. Gerard, President, United Steelworkers

Introduced by Derek Simpson, General Secretary, UNITE

Leading the Global Green Industrial Revolution | Gov. Ed Rendell, Commonwealth of PA
21st Century Infrastructure | Rep. Earl Blumenauer (D-OR)

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