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Graham Allison is the Douglas Dillon Professor of Government at Harvard University where he has taught for five decades. Allison is a leading analyst of national security with special interests in nuclear weapons, Russia, China and decision-making. Allison was the founding dean of Harvard's John F. Kennedy School of Government, and until 2017, served as director of its Belfer Center for

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As Assistant Secretary of Defense in the first Clinton Administration, Allison received the Defense Medal for Distinguished Public Service for "reshaping relations with Russia, Ukraine, Belarus and Kazakhstan to reduce the former Soviet nuclear arsenal."

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Baldick began his political career in 1992 on the presidential campaign of then Governor Bill Clinton. He went on to work in the Clinton White House, to run President Clinton's Florida re-election campaign in 1996 and then serve as a strategist for Vice President Gore's campaign in 2000. In 2003, Baldick served as the national campaign manager for Senator John Edwards' 2004 presidential campaign. Other candidates that have relied on Baldick's counsel include Bill de Blasio for Mayor (New York City), Steve Bullock for Governor of Montana and Chris Koster for Attorney General of Missouri.



AMBASSADOR MAX BAUCUS

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Max Baucus was nominated by President Barack Obama in 2014 to be ambassador of the U.S. to the People's Republic of China. He served as ambassador from 2014 until 2017. Baucus served in the U.S. Senate from 1978 to 2014 and was Montana's longest serving senator, with the third longest tenure in the U.S. Senate.

While in the senate, Baucus was chairman and ranking member of the Senate Committee on Finance. In that role, he served as the chief architect of the Affordable Health Care Act (ACA). He also led the passage and enactment of free trade agreements with 11 countries: Australia, Bahrain, Jordan, Chile, Colombia, Morocco, Oman, Panama, Peru, Singapore and South Korea. He also was deeply involved in orchestrating the congressional approval of permanent normal trade relations with China in 2000 and in facilitating China's entrance into the World Trade Organization in 2001.

Baucus formed Baucus Group LLC, with his wife, Melodee Hanes, which provides consulting services to American and Chinese businesses.



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Beck has more than fifteen years experience living and/or working throughout the Asia Pacific region, and has been based in Shanghai, Hong Kong and Jakarta, in addition to his time in Tokyo.

Beck is an officer in the U.S. Navy Reserve and served from 2006 through 2007 in Iraq and Afghanistan, where he was awarded the Bronze Star Medal, Combat Action Ribbon and Presidential Unit Citation. As a civilian, he serves as an appointed member of the nonpartisan Chief of Naval Operations Executive Panel, directly advising the uniformed head of the Navy on matters of policy. In addition to CNAS, Doug is a member of the Board of Directors of the Association of American Rhodes Scholars, as well as a member of the Council on Foreign Relations and of Yale's Jackson Institute Council on global affairs.



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Renee Bowen in the Pastor Faculty Fellow and an associate professor of economics at the school and director of the Center for Commerce and Diplomacy. Her research focuses on political economy, microeconomic theory and international trade. Bowen applies dynamic game theory to study the behavior of individuals who are constrained by institutions and who have long-term strategic considerations. Her recent work examines legislative bargaining and policy experimentation.

Prior to joining UC San Diego, Bowen was an assistant professor of economics at Stanford Graduate School of Business. She has been a consultant at the World Bank, working on international trade policy for Sub-Saharan Africa, and was an investment banking analyst at J.P. Morgan Securities, working with emerging markets.



JERRY BROWNFormer Governor
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Edmund Gerald "Jerry" Brown Jr. completed his fourth term as Governor of the State of California in 2019. He began his career in public service in 1969 as a trustee for the LA Community College District and became California Secretary of State in 1970 and Governor of California in 1974 and 1978.

After his governorship, Brown lectured and traveled widely, practiced law, served as chairman of the state Democratic Party and ran for president. Brown was elected Mayor of Oakland in 1998 and California Attorney General in 2006. He was elected to a third gubernatorial term in 2010 and a fourth term in 2014. During this time, Brown helped eliminate the state's multi-billion budget deficit, spearheaded successful campaigns to provide new funding for California's schools and established a robust Rainy Day Fund to prepare for the next economic downturn. His administration established nation-leading targets to protect the environment and fight climate change.

Brown is the principal organizer of the Global Climate Action Summit, a high-level gathering of lawmakers, executives and scientists working to beat back global warming. As the executive chairman of the Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists, Brown is also a leader in the global debate over nuclear disarmament. Brown attended UC Berkeley and earned a J.D. at Yale Law School.



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Kurt Campbell is chairman and Chief Executive Officer of The Asia Group, a strategic advisory and capital management group specializing in the dynamic Asia-Pacific region. He also serves as chairman of the Board of the Center for a New American Security, as a non-resident fellow at Harvard University's Belfer Center and as vice chairman of the East-West Center in Hawaii. He was also appointed as the Henry A. Kissinger Fellow at the McCain Institute for 2018.

Campbell served as the Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs (2009-2013), where he is widely credited as being a key architect of the "pivot to Asia." For advancing a comprehensive U.S. strategy that took him to every corner of the Asia-Pacific region, Secretary Hillary Clinton awarded him the Secretary of State's Distinguished Service Award (2013) — the nation's highest diplomatic honor. Campbell was recognized in the Queen's New Year's list of honors in 2014 as an Honorary Officer of the Order of Australia and as an Honorary Companion of the New Zealand Order of Merit for his work in support of American relations with Australia and New Zealand respectively. He also received top national honors from Korea and Taiwan.



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His two most recent books are "Digital DNA: Disruption and the Challenges for Global Governance" and "Transforming Global Information and Communication Markets: The Political Economy of Innovation."

In the Clinton Administration, Cowhey served as the chief of the International Bureau of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and negotiated many of the U.S. international agreements for telecommunications and satellite services. He had responsibility for antitrust decisions involving the communications and satellite industries. In 2009, he served as the senior counselor to Ambassador Ron Kirk in the Office of the United States Trade Representative, and on a bi-national experts group appointed by the U.S. and Chinese governments to research and advise on innovation policy.

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AMBASSADOR CUI TIANKAI
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Cui Tiankai became ambassador of the People's Republic of China to the United States in 2013, having previously served as vice minister at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (2009-2013) and ambassador to Japan (2007-2009).

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In recent times, he has been a director of National Semiconductor Corporation (NYSE) and Human Genome Sciences Corporation (NASDAQ), and a member of the President's Intelligence Advisory Board, the Secretary of Defense's Defense Policy Board, the Homeland Security Secretary's Advisory Council and the Aspen Strategy Group.

Danzig served as the 71st Secretary of the Navy (1998-2001) and the Under Secretary of the Navy (1993-1997). From the spring of 2007 through the Presidential election of 2008, Danzig was a senior advisor to Senator Obama on national security issues.



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Kenneth Fong is the founder and chairman of Kenson Ventures, LLC, a company that specializes in crafting development strategy for biotech companies. Under his leadership, 13 companies were acquired or went public between 2004 and 2019. Prior to establishing Kenson, Fong founded and served as CEO of Clontech Laboratories (1984-1999), which was acquired by Becton Dickinson in 1999.

Currently, Fong sits on the board of five biotech companies, ranging from immunotherapy to medical tools. He was a member of the trustees of the California State University system (2006-2013), president of the Society of Chinese Bioscientists in North America (2006-2007) and president of the Bay Area AAMA (1987).

His philanthropic interests include the Fong-Hearst endowed scholarship to CSU, the Fong Optometry and Health Sciences Library at UC Berkeley, the Kenneth Fong endowed professorship at Stanford University and the technology endowment fund at San Francisco State University. Fong obtained his Ph.D from Indiana University and B.S. from San Francisco State.



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In 2015, Gewirtz was named to Foreign Policy magazine's Pacific Power Index, a list of "50 people shaping the future of the U.S.-China relationship." Gewirtz was a part of President Bill Clinton's administration (1997–1998) and developed and led the U.S.-China initiative to cooperate in the legal field that President Clinton and China's President Jiang Zemin launched at their October 1997 Summit.

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