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# Council of Councils Second Virtual Conference

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#### Council of Councils Second Virtual Conference International Start Times

#### Tuesday, September 8, 2020

7:00 a.m.—9:30 a.m. Mexico City

8:00 a.m.—10:30 a.m. New York / Washington / Waterloo

9:00 a.m.—11:30 a.m. Buenos Aires / Rio de Janeiro

1:00 p.m.—3:30 p.m. London / Lagos

2:00 p.m.—4:30 p.m. Berlin / Brussels / Johannesburg / Paris / Pretoria / Rome / Warsaw

3:00 p.m.—5:30 p.m. Istanbul / Jeddah / Moscow / Tel Aviv

5:30 p.m.—8:00 p.m. New Delhi

8:00 p.m.—10:30 p.m. Beijing / Shanghai / Singapore

9:00 p.m.—11:30 p.m. Seoul / Tokyo

10:00 p.m.—12:30 a.m. Sydney

#### Council of Councils Second Virtual Conference Agenda

#### Tuesday, September 8, 2020

(All times below are in Eastern Time/U.S. and Canada)

8:00 a.m.–8:05 a.m. Welcoming Remarks:

**Stewart M. Patrick**, James H. Binger Senior Fellow in Global Governance and Director of the International Institutions and Global Governance Program, Council on Foreign Relations (United States)

8:05 a.m.–9:35 a.m. Session One

The United Nations at Seventy-Five

Guiding questions: Seventy-five years after the United Nations was established, COVID-19 presents the already rickety international organization with the biggest test in its history. What has the COVID-19 pandemic revealed about the United Nation's relevance, its comparative strengths and weaknesses, and the most urgent priorities for its reform? Is the crisis likely to restore the United Nation's centrality in world politics, or accelerate its marginalization compared to other institutions? Can anything be done to prevent or reverse political paralysis within the Security Council, which remains the most important body for international peace and security?

#### Panelists:

Marianne Beisheim, Senior Associate, Global Issues Division, German Institute for International and Security Affairs (Germany) Gustavo de Carvalho, Senior Researcher, Peace Operations and Peacebuilding Programme, Institute for Security Studies (South Africa) Selim Yenel, President, Global Relations Forum (Turkey)

#### Presider:

**Andrés Rozental**, Founding President, Mexican Council on Foreign Relations (Mexico)

9:35 a.m.-9:45 a.m. Break

9:45 a.m.-10:30 a.m. Briefing and Discussion

### COVID-19 Update: Strengthening International Cooperation on Vaccine Production and Distribution

Guiding questions: There are almost two hundred candidate vaccines against the novel coronavirus in development, with dozens of clinical trials under way around the world. How can production be scaled rapidly? What rules are needed to ensure global availability, equitable distribution, and that sufficient funds are pledged so that poorer countries are covered?

#### Speaker:

**Richard J. Hatchett**, Chief Executive Officer, Coalition for Epidemic Preparedness Innovations (CEPI)

#### Moderator:

**Thomas J. Bollyky**, Senior Fellow for Global Health, Economics, and Development and Director of the Global Health Program,
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Participant Biographies

#### Marianne Beisheim

Marianne Beisheim is senior associate at the German Institute for International and Security Affairs (SWP), where her focus is on sustainable development governance. She is an expert on the follow-up and review processes on the United Nation's 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. Among other things, she is a member of the UN Political Advisory Board of the German Federal Foreign Office, the steering group of the German Science Platform Sustainability 2030, and the Research Council of the United Nations Association Germany.

#### Margherita Bianchi

Margherita Bianchi is a researcher in the Energy, Climate, and Resources program at the Institute of International Affairs. She has previously worked at the European Parliament, in the Task Force of the Italian Group of Seven Presidency, and at the UN Environment Program. She also lectures at several Italian universities. She holds an undergraduate degree in political science and international relations from the Catholic University of Milan, a master's degree in European Affairs from the LUISS School of Government in Rome, and a master's degree in EU Law from the Institut d'études européennes, Brussels.

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#### Thomas J. Bollyky

Thomas J. Bollyky is director of the Global Health program and senior fellow for global health, economics, and development at the Council on Foreign Relations (CFR). He is also an adjunct professor of law at Georgetown University. Bollyky is the author of the book *Plagues and the Paradox of Progress:* Why the World Is Getting Healthier in Worrisome Ways and the founder and managing editor of Think Global Health, an online magazine that examines the ways health shapes economies, societies, and everyday lives around the world. Prior to coming to CFR, Bollyky served in a variety of positions in the U.S. government, most recently at the Office of the U.S. Trade Representative. Bollyky has testified multiple times before the U.S. Senate, and his work has appeared in many publications including Foreign Affairs, New York Times, Science, and the New England Journal of Medicine. He has served as a consultant to the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation and as a temporary legal advisor to the World Health Organization. In 2013, the World Economic Forum named Bollyky as one of its global leaders under forty. Bollyky received a BA in biology and history from Columbia University and a JD from Stanford Law School.

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Neuma Grobbelaar is the research director at the South African Institute of International Affairs, a leading African foreign policy think tank based at the University of the Witwatersrand. A former South African diplomat, she is an experienced foreign policy and development expert with twenty-eight years of specialist research, project, research management, fundraising, and policy experience. Her areas of research include the intersection between foreign policy, regional integration, and human development; the role of the private sector in African development initiatives; and South Africa's role as an emerging development partner in Africa. She has participated and contributed toward developing evaluation criteria for South-South cooperation through her participation in the Network of Southern Think Tanks activities, contributed to the OECD development anthology on development risks for the Global South, participated in a Delphi-style consultation process for the German Development Cooperation Ministry through its Future Development Policy Global Partnerships division to frame German development cooperation toward 2030, and contributed to the Swiss Development Cooperation Agency's internal strategic reframing of its development cooperation policy. She has participated in numerous international, national, and regional conferences on South African foreign policy, peacebuilding, development cooperation, and commercial diplomacy. She has peer-reviewed and quality assured countless papers, articles, and opinion pieces and has a wide network of foreign policy and development cooperation associates—both regionally and internationally.

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