



Atlantic Council

DISTINGUISHED LEADERSHIP AWARDS 2019

The Atlantic Council Distinguished Leadership Awards dinner—considered the leading event of its kind in Washington, DC—is recognized globally for its style, its substance, its star-studded international guest list and, of course, its impressive honorees. The event convenes an elite audience of some eight hundred guests from more than fifty countries, including the highest level of government, business, military, media, and civil society leaders.

Each year the Atlantic Council recognizes individuals who embody the pillars of the transatlantic relationship for their achievement in the fields of political, military, business, humanitarian, and artistic leadership. These luminaries have made exceptional and distinctive contributions—across the Atlantic and around the world—and it is with great pride that the Atlantic Council invites you to join us in celebrating their achievements. The Distinguished Leadership Awards dinner is a globally-recognized event. The awards are typically covered and mentioned by hundreds of media outlets around the globe, including CNN, Fox News, MSNBC, BBC, NBC, CBS News, *Wall Street Journal*, *Washington Post*, *New York Times*, *Associated Press*, *Bloomberg*, *Reuters*, *Foreign Policy*, *Politico*, and many others.

“The best ideas are born from diverse, informed people across the depth and breadth of the organization—it is the role of leadership to seek, hear, and implement those ideas.”

General Joseph L. Votel, Distinguished Military Leadership, 2016

“When the most powerful nation on earth puts its creativity, its moral purpose, its strategic sensibilities to work, the world shifts.”

Bono, Distinguished Humanitarian Leadership Honoree, 2010

“Together, we can create a different future for our children.”

HRH Princess Haya Bint Al Hussein, Distinguished Humanitarian Leadership Award, 2017





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FEEDBACK FROM PREVIOUS DINNERS

“Our team made a lot of good connections with key stakeholders so it was a **very beneficial night for us.**”

Multinational energy corporation

“The dinner was **spectacular** on every front. Stunning turnout. Great remarks. Wonderful endorsement of the world and need of the Atlantic Council.”

Global business advisory and strategic communications firm

“I thought the dinner was a **smash hit**—really well done.”

Global business consulting firm

“We look forward to **future partnerships.**”

American defense contractor and Fortune 500 company

“I really enjoyed the evening and found so many of the guests incredibly interesting, not to mention all of the recipients so **inspiring.**”

American defense contractor and Fortune 500 company

“It was an interesting dinner with a good mix of speakers on **relevant** and timely topics.”

Fortune 100 company

“Congratulations on an amazing event. **Fantastic.** Our team was raving.”

Global management consulting firm



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ERSHIP

PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Principal Sponsor and Co-Chair—\$100,000+

- Two tables of ten with priority placement
- Four invitations to the Co-Chair Reception with honorees
- Global Leadership Circle Corporate Membership of the Atlantic Council*
- Prominent recognition with company logo in all printed and online dinner materials; signage at dinner
- Company logo projected at event and displayed on the AtlanticCouncil.org homepage
- Two-page advertisement and/or congratulatory note to the honorees in the printed dinner program
- Acknowledgment from podium

Diamond and Co-Chair—\$50,000

- One table of ten
- Two invitations to the Co-Chair Reception with honorees
- Chairman's Circle Corporate Membership of the Atlantic Council*
- Company logo projected at event and displayed on the AtlanticCouncil.org homepage
- Company advertisement and/or congratulatory note to the honorees in the printed dinner program
- Recognition with company logo in all printed and online dinner materials; signage at dinner
- Acknowledgment from podium

Platinum—\$25,000

- One table of ten
- President's Circle Corporate Membership of the Atlantic Council*
- Recognition in all printed and online dinner materials; signage at dinner

Gold—\$15,000

- Six seats
- Recognition in all printed and online dinner materials; signage at dinner

Silver—\$10,000

- Four seats
- Recognition in all printed and online dinner materials; signage at dinner

Bronze—\$5,000

- Two seats
- Recognition in all printed and online dinner materials; signage at dinner

**Valid for one year. Inquire for corporate benefits associated with dinner sponsorship.*

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES
please contact Kristi Pappalardo at **(202) 599-8626** or **kpappalardo@atlanticcouncil.org**.

PREVIOUS HONOREES (2000-2018)

2018

The Honorable George W. Bush
Distinguished International Leadership

Ms. Gloria Estefan
Distinguished Artistic Leadership

General Curtis M. Scaparrotti
Distinguished Military Leadership

Mr. Howard Schultz
Distinguished Business Leadership

2017

HRH Princess Haya Bint Al Hussein
Distinguished Humanitarian Leadership

Ms. Renee Fleming
Distinguished Artistic Leadership

Mr. William C. Ford, Jr.
Distinguished Business Leadership

Admiral Michelle Howard
Distinguished Military Leadership

H.E. Jens Stoltenberg
Distinguished International Leadership

2016

Dr. Robert Gates
Distinguished International Leadership

General Joseph L. Votel
Distinguished Military Leadership

Mr. Henry R. Kravis
Distinguished Business Leadership

Mr. Vittorio Grigòlo
Distinguished Artistic Leadership

2015

H.E. Ashraf Ghani
Distinguished International Leadership

Ms. Marillyn A. Hewson
Distinguished Business Leadership

General Philip M. Breedlove
Distinguished Military Leadership

Mr. Toby Keith
Distinguished Artistic Leadership

2014

President José Manuel Barroso
Distinguished International Leadership

Secretary Chuck Hagel
Distinguished International Leadership

Dr. Thomas Enders
Distinguished Business Leadership

General Joseph F. Dunford, Jr.
Distinguished Military Leadership

Ms. Ruslana Lyzhychko
Distinguished Humanitarian Leadership

2013

Secretary Hillary Clinton
Distinguished International Leadership

Mr. Anders Fogh Rasmussen
Distinguished International Leadership

Mr. John Watson
Distinguished Business Leadership

Mr. Tony Bennett
Distinguished Artistic Leadership

Juanes
Distinguished Humanitarian Leadership

2012

UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon
Distinguished International Leadership

H.R.H. Prince Harry of Wales
Distinguished Humanitarian Leadership

Mr. Paul Polman
Distinguished Business Leadership

The Enlisted Men and Women of the
United States Armed Forces
Distinguished Military Leadership

Ms. Anne-Sophie Mutter
Distinguished Artistic Leadership

2011

Vice President Joe Biden
Distinguished International Leadership

Admiral James G. Stavridis
Distinguished Military Leadership

Mr. Muhtar Kent
Distinguished Business Leadership

Mr. Plácido Domingo
Distinguished Artistic Leadership

2010

President William J. Clinton
Distinguished International Leadership

Bono
Distinguished Humanitarian Leadership

Dr. Josef Ackermann
Distinguished Business Leadership

General Stéphane Abrial
Distinguished Military Leadership

General James Mattis
Distinguished Military Leadership

2009

President George H.W. Bush
Distinguished International Leadership

Chancellor Helmut Kohl
Distinguished International Leadership

General David Petraeus
Distinguished Military Leadership

Mr. Samuel Palmisano
Distinguished Business Leadership

Mr. Thomas Hampson
Distinguished Artistic Leadership

2008

Prime Minister Tony Blair
Distinguished International Leadership

Mr. Rupert Murdoch
Distinguished Business Leadership

Admiral Michael Mullen
Distinguished Military Leadership

Mr. Evgeny Kissin
Distinguished Artistic Leadership

2007

Dr. Alan Greenspan
Distinguished International Leadership

General James L. Jones Jr.
Distinguished Military Leadership

Mr. Stephen A. Schwarzman
Distinguished Business Leadership

2006

Senator John W. Warner
Distinguished International Leadership

2005

General Colin Powell
Distinguished International Leadership

2004

Senator Chuck Hagel
Distinguished International Leadership

