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European Union Diplomats

“Transatlantic Relations - A Fireside Chat with EU Diplomats (15 countries and member states represented)”

Thursday, October 10th, 2024

Charlotte City Club

VIP Reception: 11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. | **Lunch:** 12:00 – 1:30 p.m



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Participating Diplomats:

Theodoros Georgiades, Press Counselor, Embassy of the Republic of Cyprus in the United States

Adriana Brassart, Head of Press and Public Diplomacy, Delegation of the European Union to the United States

Karolina Wozniak, Communication Advisor for the European Parliament Liaison Office with the U.S. Congress

Stefan Cornibert, Senior Media Officer, Delegation of the European Union to the U.S.

Rūta Beinoriūtė, Attaché, Embassy of Lithuania to the United States

Lucian Purcareanu, Press and Cultural Affairs Officer, Embassy of Romania to the United States

Ramzi Abu-Eid, Head of Political Section, Embassy of the Czech Republic to the United States

Stanislava Buchtova, Cultural and Public Diplomacy Counselor, Embassy of the Slovak Republic in Washington, D.C

Gianluca Battaglia, Press Counselor, Embassy of Italy to the United States

Edith Delaney, Head of Press and Communications, Embassy of Ireland to the United States

Sophie Rasmussen, Public Diplomacy Advisor, Press Advisor, and Event Advisor/Coordinator, Royal Danish Embassy

Sabine Janisela, Second Secretary, Communications & Public Diplomacy, Embassy of the Republic of Latvia to the United States

Maria Lojas-Zielinska, Second Secretary, Public Diplomacy & Culture, Embassy of the Republic of Poland

Finja Draxler, Director/Press Counselor, Embassy of Austria

Mafalda Paiva e Silva, Press and Public Diplomacy Officer, Embassy of Portugal

Aari Lemmik, Counselor for Press and Culture, Embassy of Estonia



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