The National Council on U.S. Libya Relations cordially invites you to its Third Annual Conference

RE-ENGINEERING LIBYA: ECONOMIC, INSTITUTIONAL, AND SECURITY REQUIREMENTS

Friday, November 15, 2019
8 AM - 4 PM
Rayburn House Office Building
US House of Representatives
Gold Room (H 2168)
45 Independence Ave SW
Washington, D.C.
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PROGRAM

7:45 AM • REGISTRATION

8:30 AM • WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS

Dr. Hani Shennib, MD
Founding President, National Council on U.S.-Libya Relations

Dr. John Duke Anthony
Founding President & CEO, National Council on U.S.-Arab Relations

8:45 AM • PANEL I
SECURITY STATUS & ESSENTIALS FOR STABILIZATION IN LIBYA

Moderated by Dr. Hani Shennib, MD

The Military Conflict in Libya; Current Status and Where It Is Headed
Wolfgang Pusztai
Policy & Security Analyst, Chairman of NCUSLR Advisory Board

Terrorism Threat Map in Libya & the Region; Is it Ameliorated?
Emily Estelle
Senior Analyst; Critical Threats Project, American Enterprise Institute

Russian & Eastern European Involvement in Libya: A Qualitative and Quantitative Assessment of Their Objectives
Dr. Theodore Karasik
Senior Advisor, Gulf State Analytics

Turkish & Qatari Military Engagement in Libya; How pivotal is it to their regional interest?
Michael Rubin
Resident Scholar, Middle East Institute

Is Libya a red line strategic security and economic depth to Egypt?
Ahmed Aboulgeith
Egyptian Embassy

Countering Arms Proliferation and Enforcing its Embargo; Work in Progress?
Nathan Vest
Research Assistant, RAND Corporation

Perceptions of Security & Politics in Libyan Cities; What do Libyans Think and Want?
Mohamed Eljareh
Co-Founder, Libya Outlook & Research Consultancy

Political Ramifications of the Military Status Quo; Should We be Thinking Two Libyas?
Jason Pack
Non-Resident Fellow, Middle East Institute & Founder of Libya-Analysis LLC

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10:20 AM · PANEL II

*Imagining Political Reconciliation in Libya; What Ingredients Do We Propose?*

Moderated by Dr. Hani Shennib, MD

**Berlin and After: What Five Measures Need to be Implemented?**

*Mohamed Dayri*
Former Foreign Minister of the Interim Government of Libya

**A Step-by-Step Guide to the Berlin Conference; How Can We Ensure Success?**

*David Mack*
Senior Fellow, Middle East Institute

**Can a practical model of Federalism be implemented effectively to disengage warriors and avoid division of Libya?**

*Mohsen Derregia*
Former Chairman & CEO, Libyan Investment Authority

**Back to the Future;**

*Could Reactivation of Libya’s 1951/1963 Constitution temporarily salvage its unity?*

*Zahra’ Langhi (via video conference)*
Human Rights Expert, Libyan Women’s Platform for Peace

**Challenges of transitional justice in Libya and how to overcome it**

*Seth Kaplan*
Founding Director, Institute for Integrated Transitions

**The Missing Link of Restorative Justice & Trauma Healing; How to practically integrate this in a future Libyan political process?**

*Najla Mangoush*
Adjunct Professor & Researcher School of Conflict Analysis & Resolution, George Mason University

**The Social Media Wars in Libya and Region; Can Anything be Done?**

*Nathan Greenberg*
Director of the Arabic Program, George Mason University

**Theocracy, Military Autocracy & Kleptocracy in Libya; How should the USA navigate this as it further engages with its support projects?**

*Jonathan M. Winer*
Former United States Special Envoy for Libya, Scholar at Middle East Institute

12:00 PM · LUNCH & KEYNOTE ADDRESS

**Keynote Address:**

*H.E. Peter W. Bodde*
Former US Ambassador to Libya
12:20 PM • LUNCH PANEL

RE-ENGINEERING LIBYA; SECURITY, INSTITUTIONAL, & ECONOMIC OBSERVATIONS & RECOMMENDATIONS

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1:15 PM • COFFEE & DESSERT

1:45 PM • PANEL III

INTEGRATING AND SUPPORTING ECONOMIC & INSTITUTIONAL REFORMS

Moderated by Dr. Hani Shennib, MD

How functional is the Oil & Gas Industry in Libya?
Proposals for Reform, Transparency, & Accountability (via video conference)
Tim Eaton
Research Fellow, Middle East and North Africa Programme, Chatham House

World Bank Report on Libya: Unemployment, Economy, Institutions, and Reform Implementation
Kanae Watanabe Kaye, PHD
Senior Country Officer, Tunisia, Algeria, Libya – World Bank

It’s All About the Economy, Stupid; Integrating Transparency and Accountability in the Political Agenda
Jason Pack
Non-Resident Fellow, Middle East Institute & Founder of Libya-Analysis LLC

Proposing a Decentralized Accountable model for economic reforms in Libya
Hafed El-Ohwell
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3:30 PM • CLOSING REMARKS & ADJOURN