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## The United States and the International Criminal Court: State of Play and Future Implications

Thursday, November 15th, 9:30-11:00 am

Georgetown University Law Center, McDonough Hall, Room 164

600 New Jersey Ave. NW, Washington D.C.

Free and open to the public. Registration encouraged as space is limited (email Kristin Smith at [kristin.smith@americanbar.org](mailto:kristin.smith@americanbar.org) to register).



*After 20 years, the International Criminal Court (ICC) has become the cornerstone of an ever-evolving system of international criminal justice. The Court faces many challenges in its third decade, including recent criticism by U.S. politicians as well as an increasingly diverse range of investigations in response to global calls for accountability for mass atrocities. The Court's work also both encourages and sometimes confronts national investigations and accountability processes. Despite these challenges, many countries and civil society advocates continue to voice strong support for the Court and its role in fighting impunity.*

*Join international criminal justice experts for a conversation exploring the U.S. relationship with the ICC, potential complications to that relationship (including the Court's preliminary examination in Afghanistan), and the ways in which the Court's recent work has confronted, adapted to, and responded to pressing global challenges.*

**Panelists: Prof. Jane E. Stromseth**

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Former Deputy to the Ambassador-at-Large for Global Criminal Justice, U.S. Department of State

**Prof. Alex Whiting**

Professor of Practice, Harvard Law School

Former Investigations Coordinator and Prosecution Coordinator, Office of the Prosecutor, ICC

**Col. William K. Lietzau**

Former Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Rule of Law and Detainee Policy

**Christopher ("Kip") Hale**

Atrocity Crimes Attorney and Term Member, Council on Foreign Relations

**Moderator: Michael S. Greco**

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