JAPAN IN 2017:
A LOOK AT THE YEAR AHEAD

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Elihu Root Room

Thursday, January 26, 2017

9:30    Registration (Lobby)

10:00   Welcome Remarks
        - James L. Schoff, Senior Associate, Carnegie Endowment
        - John R. Malott, President, Japan-America Society

10:15   Opening Remarks: *The Alliance and a New U.S. Congress*
        - Hon. Joaquin Castro (moderated by Mathew Goodman)

11:00   First Panel Discussion: *Domestic Political, Economic and Social Developments: A Look Ahead*
        - Emma Chanlett-Avery, Specialist in Asian Affairs
          Congressional Research Service (Panel Moderator)
        - Yoichi Funabashi, Chairman
          Rebuild Japan Initiative Foundation
        - Alicia Ogawa, Director
          Program on Alternative Investments at the Center on Japanese Economy and Business, Columbia Business School
        - Frank Jannuzi, Executive Director
          The Maureen and Mike Mansfield Foundation
12:30  Networking Luncheon

1:00  Luncheon Keynote Address, by Mr. Yoichi Funabashi “Japan's International Agenda in the Trump Era”
      Chairman, Rebuild Japan Initiative Foundation

2:15  Second Panel Discussion: "Japan, Asia, and the US-Japan Relationship in 2017"

       - James L. Schoff, Senior Associate
         Carnegie Endowment for International Peace (Panel Moderator)

       - Abigail Friedman, CEO
         The Wisteria Group

       - Bonnie Glaser, Sr Adviser for Asia & Director, China Power Project
         Center for Strategic and International Studies

       - Satoshi Ogawa, Washington Bureau Chief
         The Yomiuri Shimbun

       - Andrew Beatty, Agence France-Presse

3:45  End of Symposium, followed by Networking Opportunity