

I. Metropolis International Steering Committee Spring 2010 Meeting
II. Metropolis North America and NACTS Policy Seminar on
Undocumented Migration, and
III. Optional U.S.-Mexico Border Tour

Phoenix, Arizona
March 11-13, 2010

I. International Steering Committee Spring 2010 Meeting

9am Thursday, March 11 – 12:00pm Friday, March 12

Chairs: Howard Duncan, Metropolis Project, Ottawa Secretariat
Jan Rath, Metropolis Project, Amsterdam Secretariat

Thursday March 11 – Coor 5536, ASU Tempe Campus

- 9:00 Welcome from NACTS**
Rick Van Schoik, Director, North American Center for Transborder Studies (NACTS), Arizona State University; Wei Li, School of Social Transformation/School of Geographical Sciences & Urban Planning, Arizona State University
- 9:15 Welcome, introductions**
- 9:30 Decisions and actions from the previous meeting**
- 9:40 Follow-up from Copenhagen**
Report from Garbi Schmidt (in absentia)
- 9:50 Preparations for 15th International Conference, The Hague – Plenary programme, workshop programme:**
Jan Rath, Renée Reijnders
- 10:30 Short Break**
- 10:45 Preparations for 15th International Conference, The Hague – Logistics for study tours, social events, etc.:**
Jan Rath, Renée Reijnders
- 11:30 Preparations for 16th International Metropolis Conference, Ponta Delgada, Azores**
Rita Dias, Government of Azores, and Lucinda Fonseca, University of Lisbon
- 12:30-1:30 – Lunch, catered in meeting room**
- 1:45 Conference bids for 2012 and beyond**
- 2:00 Metropolis Asia update, including preparations for Kuala Lumpur Inter-Conference Seminar, November 2010**
Howard Duncan
- 2:15 Update on Beijing Conference, May 2010**
Howard Duncan



- 2:30 Metropolis North America update:**
Howard Duncan; Barbara MacLaren, FOCAL
- 2:45 Presentations by members:**
Carlos Iturregui on Municipality of San Juan's interest in hosting the Spring 2011 International Metropolis Project Steering Committee meeting
- 3:00 Short Break**
- 3:15 Presentations from members:**
Lenore Burton, Department of Citizenship and Immigration Canada
- 3:30 Presentations from members:**
Jon Simmons, UK Border Agency
- 3:45 Presentations from members:**
Silvia Núñez García, CISAN/UNAM, Mexico
- 4:00 Presentations from members:**
Alexandros Zavos, Hellenic Migration Policy Institute (IMEPO), Greece
- 4:15 Presentations from members:**
Richard Lewis, Institute for European Studies, Belgium
- 4:30 Presentations from members:**
Hans-Jurgen Tempelmayr, City of Vienna
- 4:45 Presentations from members:**
Jan Rath, Institute for Migration and Ethnic Studies (IMES), The Netherlands
- 5:00 Conclusion of Day 1**
- 5:30 ISC Dinner**, Gordon Biersch Brewery Restaurant, 420 S. Mill Ave., Ste. 201 in Tempe (please note that members are responsible for the costs of their dinners. As the restaurant cannot handle multiple forms of payment, please American dollars in cash, estimated cost is US\$40.)

Friday, March 12 – ISC Meeting continued, Memorial Union (MU) 246 - Coconino Room, ASU Tempe Campus

- 9:00 Presentation from members:**
Rick Van Schoik, Director, North American Center for Transborder Studies (NACTS), ASU
- 9:15 Presentation from members:**
Tiffany Lightbourn, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS)
- 9:30 Presentations from members:**
Ludo Steenmetser, City of The Hague, on recent elections
- 9:45 Presentations from members:**
Bernd Geiss, Retired (from Federal Government Commissioner for Migration, Refugees and Integration), Germany
- 10:00 Presentations from members:**
Marco Lombardi, Resp. Settore Internazionale, Fondazione ISMU (Italy)

- 10:15 Presentations from members:**
Eva Haagensen, Ministry of Labour and Social Inclusion, Norway
- 10:30 Presentation from members:**
Barbara MacLaren, Canadian Foundation for the Americas (FOCAL)
- 10:45 Short Break**
- 11:00 Roundtable**
- 11:45 Next meeting:** Jan Rath, The Hague
- 12:00 ISC meeting concludes**
- 12:00 Lunch, catered in meeting room**

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II. Metropolis North America and NACTS Policy Seminar: Managing Undocumented Migration in North America

Friday, March 12, 2010, 1:00pm-5:30pm

Pima Ballroom (Room 230), Memorial Union, ASU Tempe Campus

- 1:00 pm **Welcome** – Dr. Quentin Wheeler, Vice President and Dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Arizona State University
Rick Van Schoik, Director, North American Center for Transborder Studies, Arizona State University
Howard Duncan, Head, International Metropolis Project
- Wei Li**, Asian Pacific American Studies, School of Social Transformation / School of Geographical Sciences and Urban Planning, ASU;
- 1:10 **Opening remarks** – US Congressman Mike Honda (video address)
- 1:15-3:00 pm **Session 1: National and Supranational Responses**
Presider: Howard Duncan
- **Lenore Burton**, Director General, Strategic Policy, Citizenship and Immigration Canada
 - **Marco López**, Chief of Staff, Customs and Border Patrol, U.S. Department of Homeland Security
 - **Alejandro Estivill Castro**, Director General, North America Directorate, Secretariat of Foreign Relations, Mexico
 - **José Luis Valdés Ugalde**, Visiting Research Professor, Center for Research on Economics and Teaching (CIDE), former director of Center for Studies on North America, UNAM
 - **Tamar Jacoby**, President and CEO, ImmigrationWorks USA
- 3:00-3:15 pm Break/refreshments in Pima Ballroom
- 3:15:-4:45pm **Session 2: Local and Regional Impacts and Responses**
Presider: Rick Van Schoik
- **Alfonso Navarro Bernachi**, Deputy Consul, Consulate General of Mexico in Phoenix
 - **Matt Allen**, Special Agent in Charge for Arizona, Immigration and Customs Enforcement, U.S. Department of Homeland Security
 - **Rodolfo Cruz**, Research Professor, El Colegio de la Frontera Norte
 - **Doris Marie Provine**, Professor, School of Justice Studies, School of Social Transformation, Arizona State University
 - **Evelyn Cruz**, Director, Immigration Clinic, Sandra Day O'Connor School of Law, Arizona State University
- 4:45 pm **North American immigration policy tools and responses going forward**
Howard Duncan, Citizenship and Immigration Canada, and **Erik Lee**, Associate Director, North American Center for Transborder Studies, ASU
- 5:30 pm Closing remarks: **Rick Van Schoik**
- 6:00 pm Reception and dinner at House of Tricks Restaurant, 114 E. 7th St. in Tempe (members will walk to the restaurant together as a group.)

III. Optional U.S.-Mexico Border Tour

Saturday, March 13

PLEASE NOTE: We are at capacity for the visit to Nogales.

IMPORTANT: We remind you that for re-entry to the U.S. from Mexico, all will need appropriate documentation. For some, a valid passport will suffice; others may need a valid visa or a multiple entry visa.

- 7:00 am Participants meet at corner of Forest Ave. and Gammage Pkwy, ASU Tempe Campus and vans leave for Nogales promptly at 7am
- 7-10:00 am *Open discussion regarding U.S.-Mexico border and migration issues*
- 10:00 am Meeting with Deputy Consul Ricardo Hernández, Mexican Consulate, Nogales, Arizona
- 11:30 am Depart for Nogales, Sonora
- 12:00 pm Meeting with Mayor of Nogales, Sonora José Angel Hernández and Director of the Nogales Municipal Institute of Research and Planning, location TBD
- 1:30 pm Lunch at La Roca Restaurant, Nogales, Sonora, Mexico (tour participants will pay for their own lunches in American dollars, estimated cost is US\$20, cash only).
Proposed discussion with U.S. Consulate officials
- 3:00 pm Enter line to cross border at DeConcini Port of Entry
- 7:00 pm Arrive in Tempe