The Global Cuban Missile Crisis—New Evidence, 50 Years On  
State Room, 7th floor, 1957 E St NW, George Washington University  
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TENTATIVE PROGRAM

9-9:30: Coffee

9:30-10: Welcome and Overview: James Hershberg/Douglas Shaw (George Washington University), Thomas Blanton (National Security Archive), Martin Sherwin (George Mason University)

10 am-Noon: New Soviet/Russian Evidence  
Chair: Blanton (National Security Archive)  
Panelists: Khrushchev’s Decision-Making: Timothy Naftali (New America Foundation), Mikoyan and The Soviet Cuban Missile Crisis, Svetlana Savranskaya (National Security Archive)  
Commentators: Vladislav Zubok (Wilson Center), Mark Kramer (Harvard University). Michael Dobbs (author of One Minute to Midnight)

Noon-1 pm: Lunch

1-2 pm: Central/East European Evidence  
Chair and Comment: Malcolm Byrne (National Security Archive)  
Panelists: Warsaw Pact: Kramer (Harvard University); Poland: Margaret Gnoinska (Troy University)

2-3 pm: West European Evidence  
Chair: Hope Harrison (George Washington University)  
Panelists: France: Garret Martin (European Institute), Germany: Christian Ostermann (Cold War International History Project, Wilson Center), Switzerland: Stephanie Popp (MA candidate, GWU)

3-4 pm: Asia  
Chair: Gregg Brazinsky (GWU)  
Panelists: Chinese sources: Sergey Radchenko (Nottingham University at Ningbo); North Korea and the Cuban Missile Crisis: James Person (North Korea Initiative/Woodrow Wilson Center; doctoral candidate, GWU)
4-4:15 pm: Coffee Break

4:15-5:15 pm: Latin America
   Chair: Peter Klaren (GWU)
   Panelists: Cuba/Latin America: William LeoGrande (American University);
              Brazil: Hershberg (GWU)

5:15-6:30: United States
   Chair: Hershberg
   Panelists: Max Holland/David Barrett (*Blind Over Cuba*), David Coleman (*The Fourteenth Day*), William Burr (National Security Archive); Gregory Tomlin (doctoral candidate, GWU)

Rest of Program at National Security Archive, 7th Floor, The Gelman Library, 2130 H St. NW (corner of H and 22nd St. NW)

6:45-8 pm: Cuban Dinner/Reception Sponsored by the National Security Archive

8-9 pm: PBS Documentary: “Cuban Missile Crisis—Three Men Go to War”

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