Steps Towards Recovery:
Ireland’s Economic and Foreign Policy Priorities

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with

Michael Collins
Ireland’s Ambassador to the United States

Ambassador Michael Collins will make a brief presentation on the progress which Ireland has made to date towards completing its economic recovery, on current Irish foreign policy priorities and on Ireland-US relations. He will be prepared to address questions from the audience.

Michael Collins became Ireland’s Ambassador to the United States in September 2007. He is the 16th person to occupy the post of Irish Ambassador to the US since 1924. With a particular focus on supporting Irish business and economic development, Ambassador Collins has spoken extensively to U.S. audiences on contemporary Ireland and the Northern Ireland peace process. Prior to his current appointment, Ambassador Collins served in the Department of Foreign Affairs and at the Department of the Taoiseach (Prime Minister of Ireland) in Dublin, as Ireland’s Ambassador to Saudi Arabia from 1995-99 and as Ireland’s Ambassador to the Czech Republic and Ukraine from 1999-2001.

Monday, December 10, 2012
6:30 – 8:30 pm
Alumni House
1918 F Street, NW
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