PREPARING AMERICA’S FOREIGN POLICY FOR THE 21ST CENTURY

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1999
THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS CENTER
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

8:00 a.m.
Breakfast Address
Oklahoma Memorial Union, Ballroom
Overflow seating: Oklahoma Memorial Union, Meacham Auditorium
President Boren opens the conference and introduces former Senator George Mitchell, who speaks on “Negotiating the Settlements to Internal Wars and Terrorism.” Questions and answers taken by President Boren following Senator Mitchell’s presentation.

10:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.
Panel Discussion
Oklahoma Memorial Union, Meacham Auditorium
Overflow seating: Oklahoma Memorial Union, Beaird Lounge
Ambassador Edward Perkins moderates panel discussion on counterterrorism with Phyllis Oakley, Assistant Secretary of State for Intelligence and Research, and Paul Pillar, Deputy Chief of the CIA Counterterrorist Center. Questions and answers taken by Ambassador Perkins following Dr. Pillar’s presentation.

11:45 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
Luncheon Address
Oklahoma Memorial Union, Ballroom
Overflow seating: Oklahoma Memorial Union, Meacham Auditorium
President Boren introduces former National Security Advisor, The Honorable Lieutenant General Brent Scowcroft, USAF (Ret.), who speaks on “The Bush Administration and Transition from the Cold War.” Following Lt. Gen. Scowcroft’s address, President Boren introduces former Secretary of State Lawrence S. Eagleburger, who speaks on “American Leadership for Peace, Prosperity and Democracy as We Enter the 21st Century.” Questions and answers taken by President Boren at the conclusion of Secretary Eagleburger’s address.

2:00 p.m.
Address
Oklahoma Memorial Union, Meacham Auditorium
Overflow seating: Oklahoma Memorial Union, Beaird Lounge
Ambassador Edward Perkins introduces Dr. Paul Kennedy, Dilworth Professor of History and Director of International Security Studies at Yale University, who speaks on “Factors That Will Influence the Foreign Policy Environment in the Next Century.” Questions and answers taken by Ambassador Perkins following Dr. Kennedy’s presentation.

4:00 p.m.
Academic Convocation
Lloyd Noble Center, 2900 S. Jenkins Avenue
The Right Honorable The Baroness Margaret Thatcher, LG, OM, FRS, former British prime minister and OU’s 1999 Honorary Degree recipient, addresses students, faculty, staff and the public.

6:00 p.m.
Reception
Oklahoma Memorial Union, Beaird Lounge

6:30 p.m.
Dinner
Oklahoma Memorial Union, Ballroom
Overflow seating: Oklahoma Memorial Union, Beaird Lounge
President Boren and former British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher engage in a brief dialogue.