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THE UNITED STATES STUDIES CENTRE


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High Level US Public Diplomacy

In our monthly [research seminar](#), University of Sydney academic Ben Goldsmith will share findings on the impact of high-level visits by US leaders on public opinion in the countries they visit.

New York Times Breakfast Seminar

Limited space remains for our [breakfast seminar](#) with *New York Times* journalist Matt Bai. He will discuss the 2008 presidential race and the impact of the Internet age on political campaigns.



Will US Trade Policy Change After the 2008 Elections?

Peter Scher, former United States Special Trade Ambassador, will address this question in a free [public seminar](#).

US Financial Meltdown?



Marvin Goodfriend, former senior official of the US Federal Reserve Bank, visited Australia as a guest of the United States Studies Centre's Business Leadership Program.

Download Professor Goodfriend's business leaders' luncheon address: [Current Economic Conditions in the United States and Federal Reserve Policy](#). View the extensive [media coverage](#) of his economic analysis.

America's Energy 'Independence'

Dennis Phillips, lecturer in US Foreign Policy and American Exceptionalism, questions how the United States will deal with the current energy crisis in this [ABC Unleashed article](#).

The Idea of Freedom: Podcast

[Listen](#) as Professor Eric Foner, Columbia University, traced the meaning of freedom from colonial to present day America in a recent lecture to guests at the University of Sydney.

US Studies: Experience a New Degree of Understanding

From American Film and Hollywood to the US Constitution, there's still time to enrol in the [US Studies postgraduate program](#) for the upcoming semester. Units are offered in the evening and can be taken on either a part-time or full-time basis, as either an award or non-award program.

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[20 June: US Public Diplomacy & International Public Opinion](#)

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[18 July: Dimensions of Gambling Regulation in US and Beyond](#)

> Partnerships

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