

The Economic Club of New York

Founded 1907

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Membership Information

About the Club

The Economic Club of New York is a membership organization with members drawn from the top executive levels of business, industry and finance. Founded in 1907, the Club has served ever since as a major forum for discussion on a wide range of public issues of interest to business people.

The Club is nonpolitical, nonpartisan and nonprofit. Its membership (individual, not corporate) is drawn primarily from the senior leadership ranks of the business and financial communities and the associated professions. Its individual members represent a wide diversity of opinion.

The Club promotes no agenda, and it takes no sides on issues. It exists solely to provide a serious, structured forum in which selected top leaders, from both the U.S. and abroad, can address its members and their invited guests. Because its speakers have complete freedom to express their views, the Club has been described as the leading non-partisan forum in the United States. All views expressed at Club functions are those of the speakers, not of the Club.

Speakers are chosen for distinction and timeliness. Over the years speakers have included heads of government, cabinet ministers, legislators, economists, bankers, corporate executives, labor leaders, university presidents, governors, judges, generals and admirals, ambassadors and scientists.

Club events are normally large dinners, or occasionally luncheons, in the ballroom of a major hotel in Manhattan. The format is designed for serious discussion. We have no entertainment, no presentations, and conduct no extraneous business. The event itself is uninterrupted; the event's entire focus is on the Guest of Honor and the speaking program.

Each program includes a question period, in which questions are asked by members of the Club who are seated on the dais and specially selected in advance for that purpose. Just as each speaker chooses what to say, each questioner chooses what to ask.

Club events are open to members and their guests. Members are encouraged to invite guests to Club events and many find that hosting tables provides a unique opportunity for their clients. Club events are open to coverage by the press.

For more information about the Club, please visit <www.econclubny.org>.

Criteria for Membership

Members are chosen from among those persons who have demonstrated a particular interest in the purposes of the Club. Quality, diversity and balance are the key objectives sought by the Club in the composition of its membership. Members have distinguished themselves in the financial or business community, but also in law, government, academe, journalism, and other associated professions.

Membership Dues and Fees

The Club's annual membership dues are \$600. A one-time initiation fee of \$600 is also required of new members upon their acceptance by the Membership Committee. Members are charged \$125 for each luncheon and \$150 for each dinner event that they attend. There is a \$250 charge per guest attending events.

Membership Application Procedures

1. The applicant should complete the application form and sign as indicated.
2. The proposer and the seconder should also sign the application form as indicated.
3. When choosing a proposer and seconder from the membership of the Club, one may be from the same organization as the applicant. In all cases the proposer and the seconder should be from different organizations.
4. The proposer and seconder should each write a letter supporting the applicant. The letters should be addressed to the Membership Committee, at the Club's office.
5. Along with the application form, the applicant should also provide a separate biographical statement. The information on this should be sufficient to give the Membership Committee an understanding of the applicant's professional background and significant public activities, if any, together with a brief capsule of whatever else the applicant might deem relevant.
6. When the proposer's and seconder's letters, the signed and completed application form and the biographical statement have all been received at the Club's office, they will then be sent by the Club staff to the Membership Committee.
7. The applicant, the proposer and the seconder will all be notified when the Membership Committee has taken action on the application.
8. Completed applications should be sent to:

*Membership Committee
The Economic Club of New York
350 Fifth Avenue, Suite 4910
New York, NY 10118*

CLUB MEMBERSHIPS:

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT: _____ DATE _____

SIGNATURE OF PROPOSER: _____ DATE _____

SIGNATURE OF SECONDER: _____ DATE _____

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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

APPLICANT _____ Nick Name _____

COMPANY _____

TITLE OR POSITION _____

NATURE OF COMPANY BUSINESS _____

ADDRESS OF COMPANY _____

ADDRESS (CONT'D) _____

TELEPHONE _____ FAX _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____ WEB SITE _____

RESIDENCE ADDRESS (REQUIRED) _____

ADDRESS (CONT'D) _____

RESIDENCE TELEPHONE _____ CELL PHONE _____

DIRECTORSHIPS:

OTHER BUSINESS, PROFESSIONAL OR PUBLIC SERVICE AFFILIATIONS:

Honor Roll of Speakers

Over the years, the Club has been host to over 1,000 prominent leaders and figures on the national and international stage. A partial listing from our honor roll of speakers follows.

<i>King Abdullah II</i>	<i>Timothy F. Geithner</i>	<i>Romano Prodi</i>
<i>Giovanni Agnelli</i>	<i>Newt Gingrich</i>	<i>Dan Quayle</i>
<i>Corazon C. Aquino</i>	<i>Rudolph Giuliani</i>	<i>Yitzhak Rabin</i>
<i>Dean Acheson</i>	<i>Arthur J. Goldberg</i>	<i>Charles B. Rangel</i>
<i>Sheila C. Bair</i>	<i>Barry Goldwater</i>	<i>Sam Rayburn</i>
<i>James A. Baker, III</i>	<i>Mikhail Gorbachev</i>	<i>Ronald Reagan</i>
<i>Menachem Begin</i>	<i>J. Peter Grace</i>	<i>Donald Regan</i>
<i>Lloyd Bentsen</i>	<i>Phil Gramm</i>	<i>Walter P. Reuther</i>
<i>Ben S. Bernanke</i>	<i>Alan Greenspan</i>	<i>Condoleezza Rice</i>
<i>Alan S. Blinder</i>	<i>Dag Hammarskjold</i>	<i>Elliot L. Richardson</i>
<i>Michael R. Bloomberg</i>	<i>Stephen Harper</i>	<i>Edward V. Rickenbacker</i>
<i>Clare Boothe</i>	<i>W. Averell Harriman</i>	<i>David Rockefeller</i>
<i>Bill Bradley</i>	<i>William Randolph Hearst</i>	<i>Nelson Rockefeller</i>
<i>Louis D. Brandeis</i>	<i>Herbert C. Hoover</i>	<i>John D. Rockefeller III</i>
<i>William Jennings Bryan</i>	<i>Charles Evans Hughes</i>	<i>Zhu Rongji</i>
<i>Zbigniew Brzezinski</i>	<i>Jeffrey R. Immelt</i>	<i>Robert E. Rubin</i>
<i>James L. Buckley</i>	<i>Anthony M. Kennedy</i>	<i>Dean Rusk</i>
<i>Warren E. Burger</i>	<i>John F. Kennedy</i>	<i>Anwar Sadat</i>
<i>George H.W. Bush</i>	<i>Robert F. Kennedy</i>	<i>Carlos Salinas de Gortari</i>
<i>George W. Bush</i>	<i>Nikita S. Khrushchev</i>	<i>Paul Sarbanes</i>
<i>Nicholas Murray Butler</i>	<i>Jeanne J. Kirkpatrick</i>	<i>Mary L. Schapiro</i>
<i>Felipe Calderon Hinojosa</i>	<i>Henry Kissinger</i>	<i>Masaaki Shirakawa</i>
<i>Michel Camdessus</i>	<i>Edward I. Koch</i>	<i>George Shultz</i>
<i>Fernando Henrique Cardoso</i>	<i>Fiorello H. LaGuardia</i>	<i>Brent Scowcroft</i>
<i>Andrew Carnegie</i>	<i>Melvin Laird</i>	<i>William W. Scranton</i>
<i>Jimmy Carter</i>	<i>Arthur Levitt</i>	<i>Yitzhak Shamir</i>
<i>Stephen Case</i>	<i>Walter Lippman</i>	<i>Alfred P. Sloan, Jr.</i>
<i>William J. Casey</i>	<i>Henry R. Luce</i>	<i>John W. Snow</i>
<i>Richard B. Cheney</i>	<i>John Major</i>	<i>John W. Snyder</i>
<i>Jacques Chirac</i>	<i>Paul Martin</i>	<i>Herbert Stein</i>
<i>Jean Chretien</i>	<i>William McChesney Martin, Jr.</i>	<i>George M. Steinbrenner</i>
<i>Winston Churchill</i>	<i>William J. McDonough</i>	<i>Robert S. Strauss</i>
<i>Mark Clark</i>	<i>Robert S. McNamara</i>	<i>Lawrence H. Summers</i>
<i>Lucius D. Clay</i>	<i>Anastas Mikoyan</i>	<i>William H. Taft</i>
<i>William Colby</i>	<i>G. William Miller</i>	<i>John A. Thain</i>
<i>John B. Connally</i>	<i>Francois Mitterrand</i>	<i>U Thant</i>
<i>Francesco Cossiga</i>	<i>Walter Mondale</i>	<i>Margaret Thatcher</i>
<i>Christopher Cox</i>	<i>Henry Morgenthau</i>	<i>Hans Tietmeyer</i>
<i>Mario Cuomo</i>	<i>Daniel Patrick Moynihan</i>	<i>Juan T. Trippe</i>
<i>Douglas Dillon</i>	<i>Robert S. Mueller, III</i>	<i>Jean-Claude Trichet</i>
<i>Elizabeth Dole</i>	<i>Brian Mulroney</i>	<i>Pierre Elliott Trudeau</i>
<i>Robert J. Dole</i>	<i>Edmund S. Muskie</i>	<i>C.H. Tung</i>
<i>William H. Donaldson</i>	<i>Gen. Richard B. Myers</i>	<i>Stansfield Turner</i>
<i>Alec Douglas-Home</i>	<i>B.K. Nehru</i>	<i>Peter V. Uberroth</i>
<i>William C. Dudley</i>	<i>Richard Nixon</i>	<i>Paul A. Volcker</i>
<i>Willem F. Duisenberg</i>	<i>Paul H. O'Neill</i>	<i>Caspar Weinberger</i>
<i>John Foster Dulles</i>	<i>Thomas P. "Tip" O'Neill, Jr.</i>	<i>Christine Todd Whitman</i>
<i>Dwight D. Eisenhower</i>	<i>Michael Oxley</i>	<i>Wendell L. Willkie</i>
<i>Ludwig Erhard</i>	<i>George A. Papandreou</i>	<i>Harold Wilson</i>
<i>Martin S. Feldstein</i>	<i>George Pataki</i>	<i>Woodrow Wilson</i>
<i>Gerald R. Ford</i>	<i>Henry M. Paulson, Jr.</i>	<i>James D. Wolfensohn</i>
<i>Henry H. Fowler</i>	<i>Peter G. Peterson</i>	<i>Lee Kuan Yew</i>
<i>J.W. Fullbright</i>	<i>Harvey L. Pitt</i>	<i>Ernesto Zedillo</i>
<i>Indira Gandhi</i>	<i>Karl Otto Pohl</i>	