

10:00-11:55 a.m.

Concurrent break-out panels:

Panel 1: Foreign Policy

Mahler Auditorium

“Dilemmas and Lessons of Carter’s Constructions of Foreign Policy:
We Are Now Free of That Inordinate Fear”

David Ryan, Lecturer, History
University of College Cork, Ireland

“Reframing the Purpose of U.S. Foreign Aid: The Impact of Carter’s
Emphasis on Human Rights”

Maurits van der Veen, Assistant Professor, International Affairs
University of Georgia

“U.S. Foreign Policy Toward Africa During the Carter Presidency:
Idealism versus Realism”

Abdulahi Osman, Assistant Professor, International Affairs
University of Georgia

“U.S.-U.N. Relations in the Carter Administration”

Tona Hangen, Lecturer, American Studies
Brandeis University

Chair: Brock F. Tessman, Assistant Professor, International Affairs
University of Georgia

Discussant: Ambler H. Moss, Jr., former U.S. Ambassador to Panama

Panel 2: Legal Affairs

Room F/G

“The Carter Presidency and Federal Judicial Selection: Changing the
Past and Altering the Future”

Elliot Slotnick, Professor, Political Science
Ohio State University

“A Judicial Legacy?: Assessing the Career Voting Records of President
Carter’s Court of Appeals Appointments”

Todd Collins, Graduate Student, Political Science
University of Georgia

“The Office of Legal Counsel in the Carter Administration: Executive
Orders During the Iran Hostage Crisis”

Tobias T. Gibson, Assistant Professor, Political Science
Monmouth College

Chair: Susan Haire, Associate Professor, Political Science
University of Georgia

Discussant: Terrence Adamson, former Special Assistant to the Attorney
General and former Chief Spokesman for the Department of
Justice

Panel 3: Foreign Affairs

Room L

“The Carter-Brzezinski Relationship: The SALT Negotiations”
Betty Glad, Olin D. Johnston Professor, Political Science
University of South Carolina

“Trading Land for Peace: Camp David Accords and Peaceful
Management of Territorial Disputes”
Jaroslav Tir, Associate Professor, International Affairs
University of Georgia

“Mutual Misperception: The Tragedy of the Iran Hostage Crisis”
David Houghton, Assistant Professor, Political Science
University of Central Florida

Chair: Gary Bertsch, University Professor, International Affairs
University of Georgia

Discussants: Jody Powell, former White House Press Secretary
Stansfield Turner, former CIA Director

Panel 4: Institutional Presidency

Room Q

“The Contributions of the Carter Presidency to Contemporary White
House Communications Operations”
Martha Joynt Kumar, Professor, Political Science
Towson University

“The Carter White House: Learning to be Like Nixon”
Karen Hult, Professor, Political Science
Virginia Tech
and
Charles E. Walcott, Professor, Political Science
Virginia Tech

“Macro Politics, Representation and Political Advice”
Daniel Ponder, Associate Professor, Political Science
Drury University

Chair: George Edwards, Distinguished Professor, Political Science
Texas A&M University

Discussants: Rex Granum, former White House Deputy Press Secretary
Gerald Rafshoon, former White House Communications
Director

Panel 5: Historical Perspectives

Room V/W

“Jimmy Carter and the Art of Presidential Leadership”

E. Stanly Godbold, Jr., Professor Emeritus, History
Mississippi State University

“Writing About Jimmy Carter as if He Was Andrew Jackson: The Carter
Presidency in (Deep) Historical Perspective”

Leo Ribuffo, Professor, History
George Washington University

Chair: Burton I. Kaufman, Professor Emeritus, History
Miami University of Ohio

Discussants: Phil Wise, former Appointments Secretary
Tim Kraft, former Political Liaison Director

Panel 6: Carter and the Modern American Vice Presidency ***Room K***

“The Making of the Modern Vice Presidency: A Personal Reflection”

Richard Moe, former Chief of Staff to Vice President Mondale

“Changing History: Carter, Mondale and the New Vice Presidency”

Joel K. Goldstein, Vincent C. Immel Professor of Law
St. Louis University School of Law

“The Paradox of the Vice Presidency: Helping the President and
Maintaining Accountability”

Lawrence R. Jacobs, Walter F. and Joan Mondale Chair
Political Science
University of Minnesota

Chair: Loch Johnson, Regents Professor, International Affairs
University of Georgia

Discussant: Vice President Walter F. Mondale

Panel 7: Money and Budgets

Room Y/Z

“The Politics of Money in a Separated System: President Carter, Congress and the Federal Reserve Board”

Nigel Bowles, Balfour Fellow in Politics
St. Anne’s College, The University of Oxford

“Another Look at the Fiscal and Budgetary Policies in the Carter Years”

Yilin Hou, Assistant Professor, Public Administration
University of Georgia

Chair: Thomas P. Lauth, Dean
School of Public and International Affairs
University of Georgia

Discussants: James T. McIntyre, Jr., former Director of the OMB
Hubert Harris, former Director of OMB-Congressional Relations

Panel 8: Domestic Policy

Room R

“Jimmy Carter’s Push for Renewable Energy: Symbolism, Substance and Consequences”

Jay Hakes, Director, Jimmy Carter Library and Museum

“Jimmy Carter and the Water Wars: The ‘Veto Strategy’ and Its Impact on Presidential-Congressional Relations”

Scott A. Frisch, Associate Professor, Political Science
California State University, Channel Islands
and

Sean Q. Kelly, Associate Professor, Political Science
Niagara University

“Toward a More Caring Society: Rosalynn Carter and Mental Health”

Scott Kaufman, Associate Professor, History
Francis Marion University

Chair: Andrew B. Whitford, Associate Professor, Public Administration
University of Georgia

Discussant: Stuart Eizenstat, former Chief Domestic Affairs Advisor
Frank Moore, former Congressional Liaison Director

Noon-1:00 p.m.

Lunch

Magnolia Ballroom

1:15-2:30 p.m.

Second Plenary Roundtable

Mahler Auditorium

The Institutional Presidency: White House Organization and Interactions with Congress, Interest Groups and the Media

Karen Hult, Professor, Political Science
Virginia Tech

Martha Joynt Kumar, Professor, Political Science
Towson University

Charles E. Walcott, Professor, Political Science
Virginia Tech

Hubert Harris, former Director of OMB-Congressional Relations

Frank Moore, former Congressional Liaison Director

Jody Powell, former White House Press Secretary

Gerald Rafshoon, former White House Communications Director

Moderator: George Edwards, Distinguished Professor, Political Science
Texas A&M University

Introduction by John Anthony Maltese, Conference Director

2:30-2:45 p.m.

Break

2:45-3:45 p.m.

Student Panel

Mahler Auditorium

Lessons Learned: Policy Advice for the 21st Century

Student Panelists:

Economic Policy – Balaji Narain

Energy Policy – Ben Cobb

Nonproliferation – Yannick Morgan

Islamic Radicalism – Deep Shah

The Middle East – Sarah Bellamy

Human Rights – Helen Smith

Moderator: Thomas P. Lauth, Dean
School of Public and International Affairs
University of Georgia

Discussant: President Jimmy Carter

Introduction by John Anthony Maltese, Conference Director
University of Georgia

3:45-4:00 p.m.

Break

4:00-5:00 p.m.

Third Plenary Roundtable

Mahler Auditorium

First Lady Rosalynn Carter and Mental Health Policy: Fighting the Stigma of Mental Illness and Championing Reform

Panelists: First Lady Rosalynn Carter
Kathy Cade, former Director of Projects for the First Lady
Kay Jamison, Professor, Psychiatry
Johns Hopkins University
Steven S. Sharfstein, President and CEO
Sheppard Pratt Health System

Moderator: John Head, Journalist

Introduction and Conclusion by John Anthony Maltese
Conference Director, University of Georgia

5:30-7:00 p.m.

Reception

Magnolia Ballroom

The reception honors Vice President and Mrs. Walter F. Mondale. An introduction will be offered by President Jimmy Carter.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20, 2007

- 7:00 a.m. Registration opens**
- 7:00-8:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast** *Hill Atrium*
- 7:55-8:00 am Welcome** *Mahler Auditorium*
- Michael F. Adams, President
University of Georgia
- Steve W. Wrigley
Vice President for Government Relations and Director, Carl Vinson
Institute of Government
University of Georgia
- 8:00-8:30 a.m. Introductory Session**
- Introduction – Brian Williams, Anchor and Managing Editor
NBC Nightly News
- Remarks – Michael Beschloss, Presidential Historian
- 8:30-9:30 a.m. Panel Session 1** *Mahler Auditorium*
- Domestic Policy I: Energy, Conservation and the Environment*
- Howard Baker, former U.S. Senator (R-Tennessee)
Stuart Eizenstat, former Chief Domestic Affairs Advisor
David G. Hawkins, Director
Natural Resources Defense Council Climate Center
- Moderator: Jay Hakes, Director, Jimmy Carter Library and Museum
- 9:30-9:45 a.m. Break**
- 9:45-10:45 a.m. Panel Session 2** *Mahler Auditorium*
- Foreign Policy I: Diplomatic Initiatives of the Carter Administration
Beyond the Middle East*
- Madeleine Albright, former U.S. Secretary of State
Zbigniew Brzezinski, former National Security Advisor
Donald McHenry, former United Nations Ambassador
Robert A. Pastor, former Director of Latin American Affairs on the
National Security Council
- Moderator: Michael Beschloss, Presidential Historian

10:45-11:00 a.m. Break

11:00 a.m.-Noon Panel Session 3 *Mahler Auditorium*
Domestic Policy II: The Economy, Budget Issues, Deregulation and the Role of the Federal Government
 Stephen Breyer, Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court
 Stuart Eizenstat, former Chief Domestic Affairs Advisor
 Nancy Kassebaum Baker, former U.S. Senator (R-Kansas)
 Robert Rubin, former U.S. Treasury Secretary
 Moderator: Brian Williams, Anchor and Managing Editor
NBC Nightly News

12:15-2:00 p.m. Luncheon *Magnolia Ballroom*
 The luncheon honors First Lady Rosalynn Carter, and Mrs. Carter will provide the keynote address. The luncheon is invitation only due to limited space.

2:00-3:30 p.m. Panel Session 4 *Mahler Auditorium*
Foreign Policy II: The Middle East; Defense and Intelligence
 Madeleine Albright, former U.S. Secretary of State
 Howard Baker, former U.S. Senator (R-Tennessee)
 Zbigniew Brzezinski, former National Security Advisor
 Stansfield Turner, former Director of the CIA
 Moderator: Jon Meacham, Editor, *Newsweek*

3:30-4:00 p.m. Break

4:00-5:00 p.m. Town Hall Meeting *Mahler Auditorium*
 President Jimmy Carter and First Lady Rosalynn Carter will host a town hall meeting with the general public.
 Moderator: Brian Williams, Anchor and Managing Editor
NBC Nightly News

6:30-7:00 p.m. Reception *Classic Center, Downtown Athens*

7:00-9:30 p.m. Inaugural Anniversary Dinner *Classic Center, Downtown Athens*
 President Jimmy Carter will give a keynote address, and remarks also will be provided by Vice President Walter F. Mondale.

Note: the Saturday evening reception/dinner is a separate, paid event.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21, 2007

7:00-8:00 a.m. **Continental Breakfast** *Hill Atrium*

7:55 a.m. **Introduction/Overview of Sunday Sessions** **Mahler Auditorium**

Jane Hansen, Reporter, *The Atlanta Journal-Constitution*

8:00-9:00 a.m. **Panel Session 5** **Mahler Auditorium**

The Press and the Presidency

Tom Johnson, former Chairman and CEO of CNN
Jon Meacham, Editor, *Newsweek*
Judy Woodruff, PBS
Jim Wooten, ABC News

Moderator: Chris Matthews, Anchor
MSNBC's Hardball with Chris Matthews

9:00-9:15 a.m. **Break**

9:15-10:30 a.m. **Panel Session 6** **Mahler Auditorium**

Summing Up: The Carter Legacy and Post-Presidency

Michael Beschloss, Presidential Historian
John Hardman, Executive Director, The Carter Center
Peter D. Hart, Pollster, Peter D. Hart Research Associates

Moderator: Jon Meacham, Editor, *Newsweek*

10:30 a.m. **Concluding Remarks**
John Anthony Maltese, Conference Director
University of Georgia