

Thursday, September 18th, 2014

For Immediate Release:

MEDIA ALERT

South Africa: Twenty Years After Apartheid

A conference at the Roosevelt House Public Policy Institute at Hunter College

What: The Roosevelt House Public Policy Institute at Hunter College is pleased to host a two-day conference marking the 20th anniversary of the end of Apartheid and the establishment of South Africa's constitutional democracy. The conference will consider the last 20 years and issues facing South Africa today including human rights, governance, politics, economic development and inequality, social movements, identity, and international relations.

Introductory remarks on Thursday, September 18th will be made by David Dinkins, former Mayor of New York City (1990-1993). Panel discussions will feature leading experts on issues facing South Africa today, including 12 who travelled to New York from South Africa expressly to speak at the conference.

The entire conference will be livestreamed online. To view a video livestream of the conference, please visit: <https://new.livestream.com/roosevelthouse/south-africa-twenty-years-after-apartheid>

Topics Covered and Guest Speakers: Please see attached program for a complete list of topics and speakers.

When: The two-day conference will be held on **Thursday, September 18, 2014 , from 5:30 P.M. to 7:30 p.m. EDST and Friday, September 19, 2014, from 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. EDST. (South African time is 6 hours ahead of EDST)**

Where:

The Roosevelt House Public Policy Institute at Hunter College
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