

Reception and Panel Discussion

# PREVENTING GENOCIDE

## A BLUEPRINT FOR U.S. POLICYMAKERS

Monday, June 15, 2009

Reception 5:30 p.m. Panel Discussion 6 p.m.

Chicago-Kent College of Law, 10th Floor Event Room  
565 West Adams Street, Chicago

### OPENING REMARKS

**Bartram S. Brown**

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### MODERATOR

**Ambassador David Scheffer**

Mayer Brown/Robert A. Helman Professor of Law  
Director, Center for International Human Rights  
Northwestern University School of Law

### PRESENTATIONS

**John Heffernan**

Director, Genocide Prevention Initiative  
United States Holocaust Memorial Museum

**Lawrence Wocher**

Senior Program Officer  
Center for Conflict Analysis and Prevention  
United States Institute of Peace



Darfurian refugees in Chad. USHMM

The **GENOCIDE PREVENTION TASK FORCE**, convened by the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, the United States Institute of Peace, and the American Academy of Diplomacy and co-chaired by Madeleine Albright and William Cohen, released *Preventing Genocide: A Blueprint for U.S. Policymakers* on December 8, 2008. The report explains why genocide and mass atrocities threaten core American values and national interests and how the U.S. government can prevent these crimes in the future.

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