

2025 Current Fiscal Year Report: Foreign Affairs Policy Board

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1. Department or Agency

Department of State

2. Fiscal Year

2025

3. Committee or Subcommittee

Foreign Affairs Policy Board

3b. GSA Committee No.

76883

4. Is this New During Fiscal Year?

5. Current Charter	6. Expected Renewal Date	7. Expected Term Date
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No 07/03/2023 07/03/2025

8a. Was Terminated During Fiscal Year?

Yes

8b. Specific Termination Authority

Memorandum of Termination

8c. Actual Term Date

07/03/2025

9. Agency Recommendation for Next Fiscal Year

Continue

10a. Legislation Req to Terminate?

Not Applicable

10b. Legislation Pending?

Not Applicable

11. Establishment Authority

Agency Authority

12. Specific Establishment Authority

Title 22, U.S.C., Section 2656.

13. Effective Date

06/30/2011

14. Committee Type

Continuing

14c. Presidential?

No

15. Description of Committee

Other Committee

16a. Total Number of Reports

No Reports for this Fiscal Year

17a.

0 17b. Closed0 17c. Partially Closed0 Other Activities0 17d. Total0

Meetings and Dates

No Meetings

Current Next FY FY

18a(1). Personnel Pmts to Non-Federal Members

\$0.00 \$0.00

18a(2). Personnel Pmts to Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(3). Personnel Pmts to Federal Staff	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(4). Personnel Pmts to Non-Member Consultants	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(1). Travel and Per Diem to Non-Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(2). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(3). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Staff	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(4). Travel and Per Diem to Non-member Consultants	\$0.00	\$0.00
18c. Administrative Costs (FRNs, contractor support, In-person/hybrid/virtual meetings)	\$0.00	\$0.00
18d. Other (all other funds not captured by any other cost category)	\$0.00	\$0.00
18e. Total Costs	\$0.00	\$0.00
19. Federal Staff Support Years (FTE)	0.00	0.00

20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?

The Foreign Affairs Policy Board provides the Secretary of State with advice, feedback, and perspectives from a diverse array of experts to advance the Department's mission and help root American foreign policy in the needs and aspirations of the American people.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

The Board is comprised of no more than twenty-five members who have distinguished and diverse backgrounds in foreign policy and the

domestic sources of strength for American diplomacy affairs. The group is bipartisan and representative across lines of race, ethnicity, geography, industry, and gender. The selection of membership is in coordination with the Board's Membership Balance Plan.

20c. How frequent and relevant are the Committee Meetings?

It is anticipated that the Board will meet periodically throughout the year. Subcommittees and working groups will meet as appropriate for their assigned responsibilities.

20d. Why can't the advice or information this committee provides be obtained elsewhere?

The committee is necessary to supplement the advice and support the Secretary gets from the Department with a broad range of diverse outside perspectives on major international issues.

20e. Why is it necessary to close and/or partially closed committee meetings?

Meetings that include discussions on sensitive, and often classified, topics and materials must be closed.

21. Remarks

This board provides expertise to the Secretary of State on a range of critical foreign policy issues. No formal reports have been produced for public distribution. Meetings are closed to the public due to the sensitive nature of discussions. Members of the Board have submitted materials for senior State Department officials eyes-only. More information on the board can be found at this link: <https://www.state.gov/foreign-affairs-policy-board/>

Designated Federal Officer

Christopher Quade Designated Federal Officer

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Autor, David	06/17/2022	10/20/2024	Economist	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Bhalotra, Sameer	06/17/2022	01/20/2025	Cyber Security Expert	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Brands, Hal	06/17/2022	01/20/2025	International Relations Expert	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Cuellar, Mariano-Florentino	06/17/2022	01/20/2025	Jurist/Lawyer	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Daniels, Mitch	06/17/2022	10/20/2024	University President	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Davidson, Janine	06/17/2022	01/20/2025	Jurist/Lawyer	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Donilon, Thomas	06/17/2022	01/20/2025	National Security Expert	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Feingold, Cathy	06/17/2022	01/20/2025	Labor Policy Expert	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Hamburg, Margaret	06/17/2022	01/20/2025	Public Health Expert	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Huntsman, Jon	06/17/2022	11/30/2024	Economic, Public Policy, and Foreign Policy Expert	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

Johnson, Ayana	06/17/2022	10/20/2024	Marine Biologist	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Kenney, Kristie	06/17/2022	01/20/2025	Diplomat	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Louie, Gilman	06/17/2022	01/20/2025	Technology and National Security Expert	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Manyika, James	06/17/2022	01/20/2025	Technology Expert	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Muñoz, Cecilia	06/17/2022	01/20/2025	Public Policy Expert	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
O'Sullivan, Meghan	06/17/2022	01/20/2025	Educator/Writer/Diplomat	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Parker, Annise	06/17/2022	01/20/2025	Civic Leader	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Zuniga, Ricardo	11/01/2023	01/20/2025	Dinamica America	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

Number of Committee Members Listed: 18

Narrative Description

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What are the most significant program outcomes associated with this committee?

Checked if
Applies

Improvements to health or safety	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trust in government	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Major policy changes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Advance in scientific research	<input type="checkbox"/>
Effective grant making	<input type="checkbox"/>
Improved service delivery	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Increased customer satisfaction	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Outcome Comments

N/A

What are the cost savings associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

None	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Unable to Determine	<input type="checkbox"/>
Under \$100,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$100,000 - \$500,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$500,001 - \$1,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$5,000,001 - \$10,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
Over \$10,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cost Savings Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Cost Savings Comments

N/A

What is the approximate Number of recommendations produced by this committee for the life of the committee?

0

Number of Recommendations Comments

N/A

What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Fully implemented by the agency?

0%

% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments

N/A

What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Partially implemented by the agency?

0%

% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments

Because recommendations and meetings of the FAPB are classified, we cannot comment on the recommendations of the board.

Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to implement recommendations or advice offered?

Yes ☒ No ☐ Not Applicable ☐

Agency Feedback Comments

The following link will be used for transparency and feedback.

<https://www.state.gov/key-topics-policy-planning-staff/>

What other actions has the agency taken as a result of the committee's advice or recommendation?

Checked if Applies

Reorganized Priorities	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reallocated resources	<input type="checkbox"/>
Issued new regulation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proposed legislation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Approved grants or other payments	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Action Comments

N/A

Is the Committee engaged in the review of applications for grants?

No

Grant Review Comments

N/A

How is access provided to the information for the Committee's documentation?

Checked if Applies

Contact DFO	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Online Agency Web Site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Online Committee Web Site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Online GSA FACA Web Site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Publications	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Access Comments

N/A