

# Conference on Angola

**The Center for Strategic and International Studies and  
U.S.-Angola Chamber of Commerce**

CSIS, 1800 K Street, NW, Washington, D.C.

Tuesday, June 12, 2001

**8:15am-8:45am Registration/Coffee**

**8:45am-9:00am Introduction/welcoming remarks**

John Hamre, CSIS President, and Rodney Goodwin, HSBC Equator Bank and Chairman, the U.S.-Angola Chamber of Commerce

**9:00am-10:15am Panel 1: Prospects for ending Angola's internal war**

Moderator: Paul Hare, Executive Director, U.S.-Angola Chamber of Commerce

Speakers: João Lourenço, Secretary General, MPLA  
Walter Kansteiner, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs  
J. Stephen Morrison, Director, CSIS Africa Program

**10:15am-10:30am Break**

**10:30am-11:45am Panel 2: Angola's evolving interests in the Congo (DRC)**

Moderator: J. Stephen Morrison, Director, CSIS Africa Program

Speakers: Robert Houdek, National Intelligence Officer for Africa  
Alex Laskaris, U.S. Mission to the UN  
Joaquim B. Mangueira, Angolan Mission to the UN

**12:00pm-1:30pm Luncheon**

Speaker: Alan Larson, Under Secretary of State for Economic, Business, and Agricultural Affairs

**1:45pm-3:00pm Panel 3: Oil, economic reform, and democratic governance**

Moderator: Gayle Smith, former NSC Senior Director for Africa

Speakers: Dr. Aguinaldo Jaime, Governor of the Central Bank of Angola  
Pedro de Morais, Consultant to the Angolan Ministry of Finance  
Michael Rogers, Petroleum Finance Company

**3:00pm-3:15pm Break**

**3:15pm-4:30pm Panel 4: Future of U.S.-Angola relations**

Moderator: Amb. Don Steinberg, Deputy Director, Policy Planning, Department of State

Speakers: Amb. Josefina Pitra Diakite, Embassy of the Republic of Angola  
Charles Snyder, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs  
Professor Gerald Bender, University of Southern California

**4:30pm-4:45pm Wrap-up**

Paul Hare and J. Stephen Morrison