

# Myths and Realities of Globalization

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*Few issues have been more contentious in recent years than globalization. Free trade and open markets have been blamed for everything from rising global inequality to job insecurity in industrial countries to destruction of the environment. Opposition to globalization has manifested itself in street violence at meetings of international organizations.*

*Yet few issues that are so widely and hotly debated are also so widely misunderstood. This Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas conference on "Myths and Realities of Globalization" aims to help set the record straight. Distinguished speakers will trace the history of globalization and address its impact on child labor and the environment, outsourcing, capital flows, intellectual property rights, the role of the World Trade Organization and other issues. The conference will also feature a discussion of why it can be difficult to convince voters of the benefits of open markets.*

# Confirmed Speakers

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**Jagdish Bhagwati**

Columbia University

**Kenneth Dam**

University of Chicago Law School and  
Former Deputy Secretary of the Treasury

**Denis Simonneau**

Consul General of France

**Kyle Bagwell**

Columbia University

**Michele Boldrin**

University of Minnesota

**Eric Edmonds**

Dartmouth College

**Kristin Forbes**

Council of Economic Advisers and  
Massachusetts Institute of Technology

**Peter Blair Henry**

Stanford University

**Douglas Irwin**

Dartmouth College



**Harold James**

Princeton University

**Lori Kletzer**

University of California, Santa Cruz

**Samuel Kortum**

University of Minnesota

**David Levine**

University of California, Los Angeles

**Catherine L. Mann**

Senior Fellow  
Institute for International Economics

**Arvind Panagariya**

Columbia University

**Virginia Postrel**

*The New York Times*

**Russell Roberts**

George Mason University

**Amity Shlaes**

*Financial Times*

**M. Scott Taylor**

University of Wisconsin–Madison



# Overview

## Dates and Times

### Wednesday, November 3

6:00 p.m. Reception and Dinner  
Speaker: Jagdish Bhagwati  
“In Defense of Globalization”

### Thursday, November 4

7:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast  
8:15 a.m. Conference  
6:30 p.m. Reception and Dinner  
Speaker: Kenneth Dam  
“Globalization:  
Its Political Future”

### Friday, November 5

8:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast  
9:00 a.m. Conference  
12:30 p.m. Lunch  
Speaker: Denis Simonneau  
“New World Order  
of Globalization”  
1:45 p.m. Adjourn

## Location

Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas  
2200 N. Pearl St.  
Dallas, TX 75201

Free parking is available at the corner of Pearl and Thomas streets. Attendees should be prepared to show photo ID. Bags may be screened. Business attire is suggested.

## Directions

For directions to the Dallas Fed, visit our web site, [www.dallasfed.org](http://www.dallasfed.org), and click on “News & Events.”

## Fee

\$125 if registration and payment are received by Wednesday, October 20.  
\$150 if received after October 20.  
All registrations must be received by Monday, November 1.

## Hotel Information

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Magnolia Hotel for conference attendees requiring overnight accommodations. You must call by October 20 to ensure a room and get the special rate of \$95 per night. Rooms are limited, so you are encouraged to act quickly.

To reserve a room, contact the hotel directly by phone or fax. To receive the special rate, mention that you will be attending the Dallas Fed’s Globalization conference.

Magnolia Hotel  
1401 Commerce St.  
Dallas, TX 75201  
Phone: 214-915-6500 or  
888-915-1110 (toll-free)  
Fax: 214-253-0053



# Registration Form

To attend this event, you may register online by going to **www.dallasfed.org** and clicking on "News & Events." Or you may copy this form, complete it and return it along with your payment to the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas. Please register each participant separately. The conference fee is \$125 if registration and payment are received by Wednesday, October 20, and \$150 if received after October 20. The fee includes all conference materials, continental breakfasts, lunches, reception and dinners.

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