

Modernizing the G8 Summit

August 18-22, 2008

Bellagio, Italy



G8 SUMMIT: REFORM IT OR RE – FORM IT?

Rockefeller Foundation Conference Facility
Bellagio, Lake Como, Italy
August 18-22, 2008

Chair: Gordon Smith

Monday, August 18
19:00

Participants arrive
Informal dinner

Tuesday, August 19

Project Background

Morning:

30 meetings: From “2020 Vision” for International Institutions to L20 to Breaking Global Deadlocks to Climate Change as the Driver

Barry Carin, John English, Andres Rozental

Impressions of Tokyo, Mexico City and Paris Events

Yoshi Nishimura, Berenice Diaz, Rolf Alter

Plans for the Remainder of the Meeting

Gordon Smith

Afternoon:

Hokkaido Summit: Report and Reflection

Yoshi Nishimura, Berenice Diaz, Maurizio Massari

Multipolarity is Back: Nobody in Charge? Reforming the International System

Shyam Saran & Susan Park

Wednesday, August 20

Emerging Issues and Governance Challenges: Surprises and Opportunities for the Italian Summit

Climate Change & Energy

Martin Lees & Yoshi Nishimura

* Mealtimes: Breakfast 08:00 to 09:00; Lunch 13:00 to 14:00; Cocktails 19:00; Dinner 19:30

Food Security

Laurie Garrett & Elizabeth Sidiropoulos

Migration

Elizabeth Sidiropoulos & Andres Rozental

Development: the “Bottom Billion”

Jessica Byron & Rohinton Medhora

International Economic Environment

Diana Tussie & Denise Gregory

Thinking Out of the Box: More Surprises and Opportunities

Marcos Azambuja, Shyam Saran, & Eric Vogt

Thursday, August 21

**Looking Forward: Leadership, Effectiveness & Legitimacy:
From Rome via Rio, Beijing, Paris & New Delhi to
Waterloo/CIGI**

Morning: Preparing for Rome October 13th: Future of G8 Summit and
Composition
Maurizio Massari & Barry Carin

Afternoon: Rio, Beijing, Paris, New Delhi & Waterloo/CIGI
Marcos Azambuja, Rolf Alter, Rohinton Medhora & John
English

Global Policy & Governance Network Why, What and Who?
Barry Carin, Rolf Alter, Rohinton Medhora & John English

Friday, August 22

Participants depart

