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Between Recovery and Decline? Observations of an Economic Historian on the Obama Years and Beyond
HARTMUT BERGHOFF

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6:30 – 8:30 PM

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Hartmut Berghoff has been the Director of the German Historical Institute since April 2008. His tenure at the Institute has coincided with some of the most consequential events of the twenty-first century, including the 2008 financial crisis, the election of Barack Obama and the increasing polarization of American politics, and the Euro and sovereign debt crisis.

In a farewell lecture marking the end of his time in Washington, Professor Berghoff will take stock of this fractious period in American history from his perspective as an economic historian. He will also look forward to the continued challenges to the American and global economy.

PROGRAM

6:30 PM  INTRODUCTION
Tributes to Hartmut Berghoff

7:15 PM  FAREWELL LECTURE
Hartmut Berghoff
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Lecture followed by a dinner reception

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