

# AGENDA

**8:00 am Breakfast and Networking**

**8:25 am Introducing UCLA Chancellor Gene Block: Monica Lozano,**  
*Chair of the Board of Regents, University of California*

**8:30-8:40 am UCLA Welcome:** UCLA Chancellor Gene Block

## **8:45-9:30 am Session I - Framing the Los Angeles Business Council Mexico and Los Angeles Economic Forum Discussion**

**Mary Leslie,** *President, Los Angeles Business Council*

**Ambassador Carlos Garcia de Alba,** *Consul General of Mexico in Los Angeles*

**Stuart Gabriel,** *Arden Realty Chair and Professor of Finance, UCLA Anderson School of Management; and Director, UCLA Ziman Center for Real Estate*

**9:35 am Introducing LA Mayor Eric Garcetti, City of Los Angeles:** :  
*Perfecto Solis, Sr. Vice-President, Aviation- Americas at Parsons Corporation*

**9:50 am Keynote: LA Mayor Eric Garcetti, City of Los Angeles**

**9:55 am Introducing Salomon Chertorivski Woldenberg, Mexico City Secretary of Economic Development:** *Jacob Lipa, Immediate Past Chairman, Los Angeles Business Council, President, Psomas/Micropolitan*

**10:00 am Keynote: Salomon Chertorivski Woldenberg, Mexico City Secretary of Economic Development,** *The New Constitution for Mexico City*

## **10:20- 11:40 am Session II - Mexico and Los Angeles Real Estate and Investment Environment**

**10:20 am Introducing Richard Ziman, Chairman, Rexford Industrial and Los Angeles Business Council:** *Yolanda Beretta, Corporate Manager at Liverpool and ADI Boardmember*

**10:25-11:25 am Panel I - Current Mexico and Los Angeles Real Estate and Investment Market Opportunities and Challenges**

**Framer: Richard Ziman,** *Chairman, Rexford Industrial and Los Angeles Business Council Founder and Vice-Chairman*

**Moderator: Joaquin de Monet,** *Palisades Capital Realty Advisors*

**Tom Gilmore,** *Chairman of Sister Cities of Los Angeles*

**Secretary Salomon Chertorivski Woldenberg**, Mexico City Secretary of Economic Development

**Raul Gallegos**, *Managing Director*, Asset Management, Credit Suisse, Former President and CEO of General Electric Mexico

**Rob Jernigan**, *Regional Managing Principal for the Southwest Region*, Gensler

**Featured Speaker:**

**11:30- 11:40 am Gabriel Quadri de la Torre**, Free-Market Environmentalist, Former Mexican President Candidate

**11:45-12:05 pm Break for Lunch**

**12:05 - 1:45 pm Session III - Current and Future Trade and Sustainability Opportunities**

**12:05 am Introducing Ambassador Mickey Kantor, Former Secretary of Commerce and United States Trade Representative:** Nadine Watt, Los Angeles Business Council Chair, *President*, Watt Companies

**12:10- 12:25 pm Luncheon Keynote: Ambassador Mickey Kantor, Former Secretary of Commerce and United States Trade Representative,** The Future of NAFTA

**12:30- 1:35 pm Panel II - Current Renewable Energy Market in Mexico**

**Framer: Hermann Tribukait Vasconcelos**, SENER- Fondo de Sustentabilidad Energetica, Representative in the United States

**Moderator: David Nahai**, *CEO*, David Nahai Companies, *Partner*, Lewis Brisbois LLP

**Fabian Oberfeld**, *Managing Partner*, Aqora Capital and *Founder*, WST Water Solution Technologies

**Roger Gonzalez Lau**, *Chief Executive Officer*, CEMEX Energy and President for Mexico of the US-Mexico Energy Business Council

**Commissioner Marcelino Madrigal**, Mexican Energy Regulatory Commission, (CRE)

**Tom Starrs**, Solar Power Market Strategy and Business Development, SunPower Corporation

**1:40 pm Closing Remarks**

**Nadine Watt**, Los Angeles Business Council *Chair*, *President*, Watt Companies

**1:45 pm Close of Program**