



INTERNATIONAL DIVISION
U.S. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

INVEST IN AMERICA!

Inaugural Summit on Foreign
Investment Presented by
The U.S. Chamber of Commerce

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OVERVIEW

Innovation, stability and openness to fair competition are the hallmarks of the American free enterprise system. They allow America's economy to continually demonstrate its capability and potential. But, we are not alone in supporting its future. These same characteristics attract international investors who wish to participate in a growth-oriented economy. Their role is substantial: annual foreign direct investment (FDI) in the United States is nearly \$200 billion.

The Chamber is the first to demand the removal of bottlenecks and the repair of pot holes which constrain the economy—from infrastructure modernization and tort reform to regulatory relief across the board. But, at the same time, we firmly believe that America's business climate and economic stature are unsurpassed... *and international investors share the Chamber's desire to sustain a robust business environment because they too have a stake in our economy.* Foreign investors recognize that unlike other parts of the world, American business welcomes competition so long as it brings the best ideas, high integrity and solid financing from a global network committed to American entrepreneurship and long-term growth.



PROGRAM

Goal: Increase Foreign Investment into the United States

- Investment in America! Summit
 - * Convene international institutional investors and international corporations
 - * Governors, senators, congressmen, development authorities, and local chambers of commerce
 - * Additional invitees include Cabinet secretaries and representatives from Departments of Treasury, Commerce, and State
- Local Foreign Investment workshops
 - * Multiple city forums in conjunction with April 12th event
 - * Local governments, chambers, development authorities, and companies
- Business development forums abroad to attract investment back to US
 - * Bring US investment opportunities to selected countries

PARTNERS

- Governors, mayors, and local development authorities
- City, State, and regional Chambers of Commerce
- Commerce, Treasury, and State Departments
- Leading Business Schools