

**Speaker Bios**  
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**David Albright**

Mr. Albright, a physicist, is President of the nongovernmental Institute for Science and International Security. He also serves on the Department of Energy's Openness Advisory Panel and was a member of the Health Advisory Panel appointed by Colorado Governor Roy Romer to assess the toxicological and radiological doses received by the population near the Rocky Flats nuclear weapons production site. Albright also was the first nongovernmental inspector of the Iraqi nuclear weapons program and worked with the International Atomic Energy Agency from 1992 to 1997 analyzing Iraqi documents and past procurement activities. He conducts extensive scientific research on weapons programs around the world and is a prolific writer, authoring or coauthoring *Plutonium and Highly Enriched Uranium 1996: World Inventories, Capabilities and Policies*; *Challenges of Fissile Material Control*; and *Solving the North Korean Nuclear Puzzle*. In 1992, he received an Olive Branch Award for a series of *Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists* articles on the Iraqi nuclear weapons program that he wrote with Mark Hibbs. Albright is a contributing editor to the *Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists*.

**Leonard Weiss**

Dr. Weiss is currently an independent consultant after serving more than two decades as the Staff Director of the Senate Committee on Governmental Affairs. During that period until 1999, he served as Senator John Glenn's chief advisor on arms control, science and technology, energy, and government management. Weiss also organized the first Senate subcommittee dealing specifically with nuclear proliferation and was the chief architect of the Nuclear Nonproliferation Act of 1978. Prior to working in the Senate, he held a tenured Professorship in Electrical Engineering and Applied Mathematics at Brown University and then at the University of Maryland. Weiss has written extensively on nuclear matters; most recently he published "A High-Stakes Nuclear Gamble" in *The Los Angeles Times* on the proposed U.S.-India nuclear cooperation deal.

**Daryl G. Kimball**

Mr. Kimball is the Executive Director of the nongovernmental Arms Control Association (ACA). Prior to joining ACA in September 2001, Kimball had extensive experience in the nongovernmental sector working to improve national and international security by reducing weapons threats worldwide. He was the Executive Director of the Coalition to Reduce Nuclear Dangers from 1997 to 2001 and worked at the Physicians for Social Responsibility from 1989 to 1997. At both organizations, he focused on helping bring an end to nuclear testing. In 2004, *The National Journal* recognized Kimball as one of 10 key individuals whose ideas help shape the policy debate on weapons proliferation. In November 2005, he organized support for the "November 18 Experts Letter" expressing concern about the adverse effects of the proposed nuclear cooperation deal with India. Kimball is chief editorial advisor of and a contributor to *Arms Control Today*, the monthly journal of the Arms Control Association.