

George Kennan: An American Life Conference Agenda

April 7, 2012 Williams College Williamstown, MA 01267

Saturday, April 7, 2012 in Griffin Hall, Room 3 8:30 a.m. Continental breakfast

8:45 – 10:15 a.m. Panel: *The Making of a Cold War Intellectual*

Moderator: Mark Lawrence, UT-Austin/Williams College

Panelists: Frank Costigliola, University of Connecticut

Walter Hixson, University of Akron Christina Klein, Boston College Frank Ninkovich, St. Johns University

Coffee break

10:15 a.m. – 11:45 p.m. Panel: Kennan and the Art of Foreign Policy

Moderator: Fredrik Logevall, Cornell University

Panelists: David Ekbladh, Tufts University

Hope Harrison, George Washington University

David Mayers, Boston University

Anders Stephanson, Columbia University

12:00 pm Lunch buffet in Griffin Hall, Room 4

1:00-2:15 p.m. Panel: Kennan, Realism, and American Grand Strategy

Moderator: James McAllister, Williams College

Panelists: David Kaiser, Naval War College

Douglas Macdonald, Colgate University

Mark Sheetz, Belfer Center at Harvard University

2:15-2:45 p.m. Concluding Remarks: John Lewis Gaddis, Yale University