

The Free State Foundation's Fourth Annual Telecom Policy Conference



**National Press Club, Washington, DC
Tuesday, March 20, 2012, 8:30 a.m. - 2:15 p.m.**

"The Internet World: Will It Remain Free From Public Utility Regulation?"

Agenda*

8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.
Sign-in and Continental Breakfast

Holeman Lounge

9:00 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.
Welcome and Introduction

Randolph J. May, President, The Free State Foundation

9:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.
Opening Keynote Address – *A Pro-Growth Agenda for the Digital Age*
Steve Moore, Editorial Board Member and Senior Economics Writer, *Wall Street Journal*

Discussion Topic: *Convergence, Competition, and Consumer Choice: The Right Regulatory Approaches for the Digital Age Marketplace*

9:45 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Panel I

Holeman Lounge

Moderator: Deborah Taylor Tate, Distinguished Adjunct Senior Fellow, The Free State Foundation

Panelists:

Jeffrey Campbell – Cisco
Jim Cicconi – AT&T
Marius Schwartz – FCC
Howard Shelanski – Georgetown Law School
Steven Teplitz – Time Warner Cable
Rick Whitt – Google

11:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. Panel II

Holeman Lounge

Moderator: Randolph J. May, President, The Free State Foundation

Panelists:

Michelle Connolly – Duke University
Rick Kaplan – FCC
Steve Largent – CTIA
Kyle McSlarrow – Comcast/NBC Universal, Washington, DC
Tom Tauke – Verizon
Christopher Yoo – University of Pennsylvania Law School

**12:15 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.
Luncheon and Program**

First Amendment Lounge

"Conversation with FCC Commissioner Mignon Clyburn"

FCC Commissioner Mignon Clyburn and Randolph J. May, President, FSF

Closing Keynote Address

Danny Weitzner, Deputy Chief Technology Officer for Internet Policy, The White House Office of Science and Technology Policy

*The agenda is subject to change if there are schedule changes necessary to accommodate speakers or otherwise beyond FSF's control.

There is no charge to attend the conference, including lunch, but space must be reserved in advance. RSVP to Kathee Baker at kbaker@freestatefoundation.org.