

Miller & Martin Mornings | The Miller Center Presents “Getting In, Getting Out: The Politics of Military Intervention”

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GETTING IN, GETTING OUT: THE POLITICS OF MILITARY INTERVENTION

In a world where armed conflict seems to be on the rise, and in the context of unique Presidential election dynamics, business leaders are left to wonder how electoral and legislative considerations regularly affect U.S. foreign relations, or whether politics really stops at the water's edge. Please join us for a conversation with Dr. Marc Selverstone, Director and Professor of Presidential Studies at the University of Virginia's Miller Center of Public Affairs, in which he draws on historical examples, including in his own writing on Vietnam, to explore the push and pull of domestic concerns in formulating American policy abroad.

Date: Thursday, April 25, 2024

Location: Miller & Martin PLLC | Volunteer Building Suite 1200, 832 Georgia Avenue, Chattanooga, TN 37402-2289

Time: Registration & Breakfast: 8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. | Presentation: 8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. | Networking: 9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

RSVP:

- Please register below.
- Space is limited. Register early and please let us know if your plans change.

Meet the Speaker

Marc Selverstone | Director and Professor of Presidential Studies/Co-Chair of the Center's Presidential Recordings Program, University of Virginia/Miller Center Expert

Mr. Selverstone earned a BA in philosophy from Trinity College (CT), an MA in international affairs from Columbia University, and a PhD in history from Ohio University. A historian of the Cold War, he is the author of *The Kennedy Withdrawal: Camelot and the American Commitment to Vietnam* (Harvard) and *Constructing the Monolith: The United States, Great Britain, and International Communism, 1945-1950* (Harvard), which won the Stuart L. Bernath Book Prize from the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations. As chair of the Recordings Program, Selverstone edits the Secret White House Tapes of Presidents John F. Kennedy, Lyndon B. Johnson, and Richard M. Nixon. He is the general editor of *The Presidential Recordings Digital Edition*, the primary online portal for transcripts of the tapes, published by the University of Virginia Press. Click [here](#) to learn more.

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We look forward to seeing you!