

# On the Occasion of President John F. Kennedy's 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday

## *100 Years/100 Days: Utopian and Dystopian Visions of American Politics from Kennedy to Trump*

**May 29, 2017**

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14:30	<b>Welcome and Opening Remarks</b> Director of the John F. Kennedy Institute and Event Organizers
14:45	<b>Keynote Address</b> <i>A New Approach to Foreign Policy? Contemporary Reflections on Kennedy's Address in the Assembly Hall at the Paulskirche in Frankfurt (June 25, 1963)</i> H.E. John Kornblum, former U.S. Ambassador to Germany
15:45	Coffee Break
16:00	<b>Live Performance</b> <i>The Speeches of President Kennedy</i> Performed by Caspar Phillipson (portrayed JFK in Jackie) together with historian and Kennedy biographer Anders Agner Pedersen
16:45	Coffee Break
17:00	<b>Film Screening</b> Excerpts from <i>Adventures on the new frontier</i> (Robert Drew and Associates, Kennedy Documentary, 1961) and <i>Betting on Trump: Coal</i> (Elaine McMillion Sheldon and Priyanka Boghani, PBS Frontline, 2017)
17:20	<b>Roundtable Discussion</b> <i>Canaries in the Coal Mine: Deindustrialization, Poverty, and Populism</i> Moderator: Karen Ruoff Kramer, Director Stanford University in Berlin Irwin Collier, Department of Economics, Kennedy Institute James Dorson, Department of Literature, Kennedy Institute Frank Kelleter, Department of Culture, Kennedy Institute Markus Kienscherf, Department of Sociology, Kennedy Institute Olaf Stieglitz, Department of History, Kennedy Institute Lora Viola, Department of Political Science, Kennedy Institute
18:30	<b>Photo Exhibition Opening</b> <i>American Visionary: John F. Kennedy's Life and Times</i> Michelle Logsdon, Cultural Affairs, U.S. Embassy Berlin
18:45	<b>Reception</b> Eric Purrington & Lorenz Baumeister, Collegium Musicum, Freie Universität Berlin

Senator John F. Kennedy of Massachusetts, 1957.  
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