

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

CAMPAIGN 2010



CAMPAIGN 2010 COVERAGE FOCUSES ON GOVERNORS DEBATES

Today

On the *Washington Journal* this morning, Ilyse Hogue from MoveOn.org discussed the impact of grassroots progressive groups on the 2010 midterm elections. [Read More »](#)

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FINANCIAL POLICY



IMF DIRECTOR: WORK TOGETHER ON CURRENCY VALUES AND ECONOMIC COOPERATION

Today

This year's annual meeting of the Board of Governors of the International Monetary Fund (IMF) and the World Bank Group is set to begin tomorrow in Washington.

This morning, the IMF Managing Director Dominique Strauss-Kahn and World Bank President Robert Zoellick held news briefings in preparation for the gathering.

This year's annual meeting will be attended by member countries of the World Bank Group which includes finance ministers, central bank governors and representatives from the Civil Service Organization.

During the gathering, seminars are held to help foster discussions among the private sector, government delegates and senior bank and fund officials. Many of the scheduled seminars are expected to revolve around the theme "Securing Prosperity for All." The meeting will also include a day of plenary sessions, during which governors address matters of international business relationships. The Boards of Governors will also meet to approve pending corresponding resolutions and make decisions on how current international monetary issues should be addressed.

Later today, French Finance Minister Christine Lagarde will discuss the French priorities for the G20 ahead of the annual meetings.

FROM WASHINGTON



SENATE HEARING LOOKS AT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY

Today

With Congress in recess, several Senate lawmakers have returned to Washington to hold a hearing on retirement savings and Social Security. A series of panels are updating committee members on the flagging cash flow into the government services and weigh the implication of suggested legislative changes to each program.

Titled "The Wobbly Stool: Retirement (In) Security in America," the Senate Health, Education, Labor and Pensions Committee is getting an update the Social Security program and other forms of savings, including pension plans. Witnesses discuss the weaknesses of the current system and the role Social Security plays in keeping millions of older Americans out of poverty.

Panelist testifying today include Assistant Secretary of Labor Phyllis C. Borzi, Jack VanDerhei, research director of the Employee Benefit Research Institute, Ross Eisenbrey, vice president of the Economic Policy Institute and home health care provider Shareen Miller.

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THIS WEEK ON C-SPAN

Sunday at 8pm (ET) on C-SPAN
Q&A: Ron Chernow, Author

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-  IMF news conf.: available later today
-  French FM: C-SPAN at 4:45pm ET
-  Bloomberg: G-7 Stakes Rise on Policy Divide
-  WSJ: France's Lagarde
-  Reuters: IMF tries to rebuild consensus
-  AP: IMF sees higher deflation risk
-  IMF Website

-  Senate Hearing: NOW on C-SPAN
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RECENT PROGRAMS

Connecticut Senate Debate (October 7, 2010)



Candidates for U.S. Senate in Connecticut, Richard Blumenthal (D) and Linda McMahon (R) participated in a debate hosted by Tom Appleby, News Director and Anchor for News 12 Connecticut. The candidates are running for the seat being vacated by the retiring Sen. Chris Dodd (D-CT).

Norwalk, CT : 1 hr. 3 min.

-  CT Senate Debate

- [Delaware House At Large Race Debate \(October 6, 2010\)](#)

- [Debate for Florida's U.S. Senate Seat \(October 6, 2010\)](#)

- [Pennsylvania 7th House District Debate \(October 1, 2010\)](#)

- [Council on Foreign Relations Discussion on Global Finance \(October 6, 2010\)](#)

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