
ABOUT OUR SPEAKERS



Andrew I. Rudman

Andrew I. Rudman is a public policy fellow at the Wilson Center and former director of its México Institute. Before joining the Wilson Center, Rudman was Managing Director at Monarch Global Strategies (Monarch), a boutique strategic advisory firm located in Washington, D.C. and focusing on government relations and market entry/access for companies interested in doing business in México and other Latin American countries. He managed Monarch's healthcare practice and supported clients across a range of sectors and interests. He also writes and speaks on Mexican healthcare policy issues.

Prior to joining Monarch in 2014 (then known as ManattJones Global Strategies), Mr. Rudman was Deputy Vice-President for the Western Hemisphere at the Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America (PhRMA) (2007 to 2014) where he was responsible for developing and executing policy advocacy strategies for member companies across the hemisphere with particular focus on México and Brazil. He also covered Canada and Russia at various times during his tenure. Rudman began his professional career with the U.S. Government and served in the Department of State as a tenured Foreign Service Officer (1991 to 2001) followed by the Department of Commerce (2001 to 2006) where he was Director of the Office of NAFTA and Inter-American Affairs. His government and private sector experience allow him to provide guidance for development of government relations strategies especially for the healthcare industry including drug, device, and supplement manufacturers facing regulatory and market access/approval challenges.

Mr. Rudman has a master's degree in Latin American Studies from Tulane University and a bachelor's degree in Government and Spanish from Colby College. He is fluent in Spanish and has a working knowledge of Portuguese.

México's Next President: Challenges and Recommendations

Keynote Address | Thursday, April 11, 2024 | 12:30 p.m. CDT

Student Center Ballroom | Live Broadcast available at <https://go.tamtu.edu/rudman>

Sponsored by IBC Bank & Commerce Bank

