



**Internationalism Revitalized, or
“Pax Americana”: W[h]ither Canada?
Group of 78 Annual Policy Conference 2005**

Programme

September 16-18, 2005

Econiche House: 32 River Road, Cantley, Quebec J8Y 3A1

Conference Chair: Peggy Mason

Presentation of Conference Resolutions: Clyde Sanger

Conference Report Editor: Peter Meincke

Friday, 16 September

1800 - 1830 Cash Bar
Dinner

1930

Welcome from G78 chair **Peggy Mason**

Keynote Speaker:

- **The Right Honourable Joe Clark, P.C., C.C.**
16th Prime Minister of Canada, Former Foreign Minister of
Canada and author, “A Nation too Good to Lose”

Saturday, 17 September

8:00 - 9:00 Breakfast

Panel 1 – *Fiddling while Rome Burns: Institutional and Political
Impediments to Meeting the Environmental Challenges of the 21st
Century*

Chair: **Morris Miller**

- **James Bruce**
Canadian Policy Representative, Soil and Water Conservation
Society, Senior Associate, Global Change Strategies
International, Vice Chair, Board of International Institute for
Sustainable Development
- **Pat Mooney**

Executive Director, ETC Group

10:30 - 10:45 Break

Panel 2 – *Common Security or Global Military Dominance: the Management of Outer Space*

Chair: **Debbie Grisdale**

- **Detlev Wolter**
Political Counsellor, Permanent Mission of Germany to the UN
- **Erika Simpson**
Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Western Ontario

12:15 Lunch Speaker

- **Nigel Fisher**
Executive Director of UN Office for Project Services, former UN Deputy Special Representative for Humanitarian Affairs in Afghanistan, former UNICEF staffer for more than 20 years.

13:45 Panel 3 – *Trade, Investment, Property, and Economic Development: Getting the Mix Right*

Chair: **Barbara Darling**

- **Michael Hart**
Professor of Trade Policy in the Norman Paterson School of International Affairs, Carleton University
- **Melissa Powell**
UN Global Compact Office

15:15 - 15:45 Break

Concurrent discussion groups

Three discussion groups, one on each of the panel topics above. These will be moderated by the panel chairs and include the speakers as resource people for the discussion. The aim of these discussion groups is to develop recommendations on specific areas drawn from the key conference themes.

18:15 - 18:45 Cash Bar
Dinner

Sunday, 18 September

09:00 Discussion group reports; presentation of resolutions
Chair: **Clyde Sanger**

11:30 G78 Annual General Meeting
Chair: **Peggy Mason**

12 h 30 Lunch