



Executive Committee Task Force on Immigration and the States

Co-Chairs:

Representative Sharon Tomiko Santos, Washington & Senator John Watkins, Virginia

***Immigration Reform and
The Fiscal and Economic Impacts of Immigration on the States***

Austin, Texas

Omni Austin Hotel

700 San Jacinto Blvd, Austin, TX 78701

Agenda

January 31, 2014

Thursday, January 30

6:00 – 7:00 **Welcoming Reception**
Lone Star Room

Friday, January 31

12:00 – 1:00 **Lunch**
Atrium

1:00 – 2:30 **Task Force on Immigration and the States Business Meeting & Briefing**
Executive Room

Presiding: Representative Sharon Tomiko Santos, Co-Chair

Speaker: Pia Orrenius, Vice President and Senior Economist, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas

Discussion of the fiscal/economic impacts of immigration, cyclical migration, and impacts of foreign workers on the US workforce.

Speaker: Ann Morse, Co-Director, Task Force on Immigration and the States

State Update: Overview of immigration trends and enacted legislation at the state level.

Speaker: Sheri Steisel, Co-Director, Task Force on Immigration and the States

Federal Update: Overview of federal immigration activities and what you can expect in 2014.

2:30 – 4:20 Briefings/Dialogue
Joint Meeting with Task Force on International Relations
Austin South Room

2:30-2:35 Welcoming Remarks
Representative Sharon Tomiko Santos, Washington
Speaker Terie Norelli, New Hampshire

2:35-3:25 The International Economic Climate
Presiding: Speaker Terie Norelli, New Hampshire
Speaker: Dr. James K. Galbraith, Lloyd M. Bentsen Jr. Chair in
Government/Business Relations & Professor of Government, Lyndon B. Johnson
School of Public Affairs, University of Texas at Austin (former executive director
of the Joint Economic Committee, U.S. Congress)

3:25-4:20 Migration, Commerce, Trade Relations and Economic Development between the U.S. and Mexico.
Speaker: Juan Carlos Lara-Armienta; Head of Section, Regional and Hispanic
Affairs, Embassy of Mexico

6:00 Opening Reception & Dinner
LBJ Presidential Library
2313 Red River St., Austin, TX 78705

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