

Prominent French-American Foundation Young Leaders

Government and Military Leaders

American Young Leaders	French Young Leaders
<p><u>Evan Bayh</u> U.S. Senator for the State of Indiana</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Former Governor of Indiana (1989-1996) 	<p><u>Najat Belkacem*</u> Executive Member of the Regional Council of Rhône-Alpes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Spokesperson for Socialist candidate Ségolène Royal during the 2007 presidential campaign
<p><u>Joshua Bolten</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Former Chief of Staff to President George W. Bush (2006-2009) - Former Director of the Office of Management and Budget (2003-2006) 	<p><u>François Hollande</u> Député and President of the General Council for the Corrèze</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Former Premier Secrétaire du Parti Socialiste
<p><u>Wesley K. Clark</u> Chairman and CEO of Wesley K. Clark & Associates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Retired four-star U.S. Army General - Former NATO Supreme Allied Commander (1997-2000) - Awarded the Presidential Medal of Freedom (2000) 	<p><u>Alain Juppé</u> Mayor of Bordeaux</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Prime Minister of France (1995-1997)
<p><u>William Jefferson Clinton</u> Founder, William J. Clinton Foundation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - U.S. President (1993-2001) - Governor of Arkansas (1978-1980, 1983-1992) 	<p><u>Nathalie Kosciusko-Morizet*</u> Minister of State to the Prime Minister, with responsibility for Forward Planning, Assessment of Public Policies and Development of the Digital Economy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Minister of State for Ecology at the French Ministry of Ecology, Energy, Sustainable Development and Town and Country Planning (2007-2009) - Former députée in the Assemblée Nationale
<p><u>Hillary Clinton</u> U.S. Secretary of State</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 2008 presidential candidate - U.S. Senator from New York (2001-2009) 	<p><u>Valérie Pécresse</u> Minister of Higher Education and Research</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Former députée in the Assemblée Nationale

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<p><u>Bobby Jindal</u>*</p> <p>Governor of the State of Louisiana</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Congressman (2004-2007) - President of the University of Louisiana System (2001-2003) - Assistant Secretary for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (1996-1998) 	<p><u>Alain Richard</u></p> <p>Mayor, Saint-Ouen l'Aumône</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Minister of Defense (1997-2002)
<p><u>Robert Zoellick</u></p> <p>President, World Bank</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Deputy Secretary of the U.S. State Department (2005-2006) - U.S. Trade Representative (2001-2005) 	<p><u>Jacques Toubon</u></p> <p>Member of the European Parliament</p> <p>Chairman of the Advisory Board for the Cité nationale de l'Histoire de l'immigration</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Minister for Justice (1995-1997) - Minister for Culture (1993-1995)

Culture and Non-profit Leaders

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<p><u>Peter Goldmark</u></p> <p>Program Director, Climate & Air Program, Environmental Defense Fund</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Former Chairman and CEO of the <i>International Herald Tribune</i> - Former President of the Rockefeller Foundation - Former Executive Director of the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey 	<p><u>Karol Beffa</u>*</p> <p>Pianist and Composer, Ecole Normale Supérieure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Soloist in orchestras, having performed at venues like la Salle Cortot, la Salle Gaveau, at the Festival de Radio France and Montpellier, and at the Festival Piano-en-Valois
<p><u>Robert L. Gordon III</u></p> <p>Senior Vice President for Civic Leadership, City Year</p> <p>Co-founder and Executive Director of Service America</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Retired U.S. Army Colonel - Former White House Fellow (helped to develop Americorps Program) (1992-1993) 	<p><u>Camille Morineau</u>*</p> <p>Curator of Contemporary Collections, Musée National d'Art Moderne - Centre Georges Pompidou</p>
<p><u>Sara Horowitz</u>*</p> <p>Founder and Executive Director, Working Today/Freelancers Union</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Former labor attorney in a private practice - Former union organizer 	<p><u>Shan Sa</u>*</p> <p>Painter and writer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Most recent novel entitled: <u>Alexander and Alestria</u> - Winner of the bourse Goncourt du Premier roman, prix Cazes and prix Goncourt des lycéens

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Business Leaders

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<p><u>Gina Bianchini</u>*</p> <p>CEO and Co-founder of Ning Inc., a social networking platform</p>	<p><u>Patricia Barbizet</u></p> <p>CEO, Financière Pinault Director and CEO, Artémis Chairman, Christie's – Former CFO, Pinault Group</p>
<p><u>Maria Gotsch</u>*</p> <p>President and CEO, New York City Investment Fund – Former Managing Director at BT Wolfensohn (now part of Deutsche Bank)</p>	<p><u>Nicolas Bazire</u></p> <p>Directeur général, Groupe Arnault Head of Development and Acquisitions, LVMH Moët Hennessy Louis Vuitton</p>
<p><u>Frank Herringer</u></p> <p>Chairman, Transamerica Corporation – Former CEO, Transamerica</p>	<p><u>Henri de Castries</u></p> <p>Chairman of the Management Board and CEO, Groupe AXA</p>
<p><u>Kevin Ryan</u>*</p> <p>CEO and Chairman, AlleyCorp LLC – Former CEO, DoubleClick</p>	<p><u>Marwan Lahoud</u>*</p> <p>Chief Marketing and Strategy Officer, EADS – Former CEO, MBDA Missile Systems</p>
<p><u>John Thain</u></p> <p>– Former CEO, Merrill Lynch – Former CEO, NYSE Euronext – Former President, COO and CFO at Goldman Sachs</p>	<p><u>Anne Lauvergeon</u></p> <p>CEO, AREVA – Named the ninth most powerful woman in the world by <i>Forbes</i> in 2008</p>
<p><u>Ian Thomas</u>*</p> <p>President, Boeing India – Previously served as Vice President of Europe for Boeing's Integrated Defense Systems</p>	<p><u>Frédéric Lemoine</u>*</p> <p>Chairman, Executive Board, Wendel – Former Chairman of the Supervisory Board, AREVA – Previously worked with Jacques Chirac as Deputy General Secretary of the French Presidency – Former Group Vice President in charge of finance for Capgemini</p>

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Leaders in the field of Journalism

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<p><u>Liz Alderman*</u> Assistant Business Editor, the <i>New York Times</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Former Business Editor, the <i>International Herald Tribune</i> 	<p><u>Annick Cojean*</u> Grand Reporter, <i>Le Monde</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Jury member for the prix Albert Londres – Winner of the prix Albert Londres for her series of articles “Les mémoires de la Shoah”
<p><u>Steve Coll</u> Staff writer at the <i>New Yorker</i> magazine President & CEO, New America Foundation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Awarded two Pulitzer Prizes – Former Managing Editor of the <i>Washington Post</i> 	<p><u>Jean-Marie Colombani</u> Co-Founder, Slate.fr</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Former Editor-in-Chief, <i>Le Monde</i>
<p><u>Jan Crawford Greenburg*</u> Legal Correspondent, ABC News</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Published <i>New York Times</i> bestseller in 2007: <u>Supreme Conflict: The Inside Story of the Struggle for Control of the United States Supreme Court</u> – Previously served as the Supreme Court analyst for <i>The NewsHour with Jim Lehrer</i> on PBS and <i>Face the Nation</i> on CBS – Former chief legal affairs writer for the <i>Chicago Tribune</i> 	<p><u>Erik Izraelewicz</u> Editor-in-Chief, <i>La Tribune</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Former Deputy Director, <i>Les Echos</i>
<p><u>Gwen Ifill</u> Moderator and Managing Editor, <i>Washington Week</i> Senior correspondent for <i>The NewsHour with Jim Lehrer</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Recently published <u>The Breakthrough: Politics and Race in the Age of Obama</u> 	<p><u>Christine Ockrent</u> CEO, France 24</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Former producer and anchor of the weekly current-affairs program <i>France Europe Express</i> on France 3 Television and of a weekly editorial on France 24 – Former Editor-in-Chief of the weekly news magazine <i>L'Express</i>
<p><u>Michael Oreskes</u> Senior Managing Editor, Associated Press</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Former Executive Editor, the <i>International Herald Tribune</i> 	<p><u>Pascal Riché</u> Founder and Editor-in-Chief, Rue89</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Former Washington Correspondent for <i>Libération</i>

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