

ECONOMIC ISSUES

THIS WEEK IN AMERICA

SOURCE: RECORDED

DATE/TIME 7/11/15 4:30-4:45PM

Summary: Our guest discusses her non-profit organization and how it benefits low income teens. Guest: Raychelle Meyers came from a background of poverty. Today she's CEO of Apples and Oranges which manages over 100 nutrition poverty fighting programs in Texas. Issues Covered: mindset, goals, standards,

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Hank Paulson, Former U.S. Secretary of the Treasury; Author, *Dealing with China: An Insider Unmasks the New Economic Superpower*

For decades Hank Paulson has enjoyed rare access to the highest levels of China's ruling elite. As head of Goldman Sachs, Paulson was pivotal in opening up China to private enterprise. As Treasury secretary, he encouraged trade with the newly emerging economic powerhouse and safeguarded the teetering U.S. financial system. He created the Strategic Economic Dialogue with what is now the world's second-largest economy. He also is co-chair of Risky Business, a project that quantifies and publicizes the economic risks from a changing climate.

POLITICAL ISSUES

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Ken Walsh, Chief White House Correspondent, U.S. News & World Report;

Author, Celebrity in Chief: A History of the Presidents

Joe Tuman, Professor of Legal and Political Communications, San Francisco State University - Moderator Walsh joined the U.S. News & World Report in 1984 as a congressional correspondent and has covered presidential politics since 1986. Walsh is one of the longest-serving White House correspondents in history, having traveled to more than 70 countries and conducting numerous interviews with presidents Barack Obama, George W. Bush, Bill Clinton, George H. Bush and Ronald Reagan. Walsh says, since the beginning of the Republic, presidents have needed to be celebrities and build on their fame. This fame has allowed them to get things done by propelling their agendas and rallying public support for themselves as national leaders. Come hear behind the scenes tales about the intersection of the presidency and pop culture.

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David Gergen, CNN Senior Political Analyst; Professor and Co-Director, Center for Public Leadership, Harvard University's Kennedy School of Government for Dan Ashley, News Anchor, ABC7; Member, Commonwealth Club Board of Governors - Moderator

Few people have the depth and breadth of David Gergen, who, for decades, has served as both political analyst and advisor to presidents, including Nixon, Ford, Reagan and Clinton. Starting with the McNeil-Lehrer "NewsHour" in 1984, he has been a regular commentator on public affairs for some 28 years. Twice he has been a member of election coverage teams that won Peabody awards, and he has contributed to two Emmy award-winning political analysis teams.

Mr. Gergen's work as co-director of the Center for Public Leadership at the Kennedy School has enabled him to work closely with a rising generation of

younger leaders, especially social entrepreneurs, military veterans and Young Global Leaders. A native of North Carolina, he is a member of the D.C. Bar, a veteran of the U.S. Navy and a member of the Council on Foreign Relations. He is an honors graduate of Yale and the Harvard Law School. In an era of political gridlock and at the outset of the next presidential campaign season, hear from one of America's most respected political observers.

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Gary Hart, U.S. Special Envoy for Northern Ireland; Former U.S. Senator; Author,  
The Republic of Conscience

Joe Tuman, Professor of Legal and Political Communications, San Francisco  
State University

Former Senator Gary Hart will discuss the growing gap between the founding  
principles of the United States Constitution and our current political landscape.  
Going back as early as 400 BC, the idea of a true republic has been threatened  
by narrow, special interests taking precedence over the commonwealth. The

United States Constitution was drafted to protect against such corruption, but

Hart says America is nowhere near the republic it set out to be. He tackles major  
American institutions – the military, the CIA, Congress – and outlines how these  
establishments may have led the country away from its founding principles, not

closer to them.



MENTAL AND PHYSICAL HEALTH ISSUES

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DATE/TIME: 7/4/15 4:30-4:45PM

Summary: Our guest discusses the importance of being in control of all aspects of your life rather than being controlled. Guest: Dr Randy McDonald has been a coach and mentor for over 20 years. He's a charter member of the Association of Integrative Psychology and author of "It's All About Control". Issues Covered: optimism, affirmations, tools

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DATE/TIME: 7/18/15 4:30-4:45PM

Summary: Our guest discusses his struggle with depression and shares his successful treatment. Guest: Graeme Cowan was a top corporate executive. Now he is a consultant and author. His new book is "Back From The Brink". Issues Covered: suicide, mindfulness, therapy

THIS WEEK IN AMERICA

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DATE/TIME: 7/25/15 4:30-4:45PM

Summary: Our guest discusses her book devoted to discovery and coming to terms with sexuality. Guest: Julie Parrott is author of "Cost of Truth" the true story of Donna Gordon as she comes to terms with her sexuality as well as her ongoing battle with bone cancer. Issues Covered: honesty, disclosure, acceptance

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DATE/TIME: 8/1/15 4:30-4:45PM

Summary: Our guest discusses the mental health adversities she encountered in her life and how she dealt with them. Guest: Josie Goghian is the author of "Josie Released From Within" based on her true story of mental health issues and success. Issues Covered: abuse, nervous breakdown, depression

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 DATE/TIME 8/15/15 4:30-4:45PM

Summary: Our guest discusses inexpensive treatments for life threatening diseases. Guest: Julia Schopick is a best selling author of "Honest Medicine" and creator of the award winning health blog [www.honestmedicine.com](http://www.honestmedicine.com) Issues Covered: diagnosis, treatment, side effects

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 DATE/TIME: 8/22/15 6:30-7:00AM

Dominic Sisti, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Medical Ethics/Health Policy and Psychiatry, University of Pennsylvania; Principal Author, "Improving Long-term Psychiatric Care: Bring Back the Asylum," Journal of the American Medical Association  
 Renee Binder, M.D., Psychiatrist, University of California, San Francisco; Incoming President, American Psychiatric Association  
 Dr. Gloria Duffy, President and CEO, The Commonwealth Club — Moderator  
 Approximately 10 million Americans suffer from serious mental illness. Over the past 60 years, various social, political and economic forces have resulted in the closing of publicly funded psychiatric institutions in favor of community treatment, in which outpatient options and the ability to live independently seemed promising and in many cases less expensive than inpatient care.  
 Should severely mentally ill people be integrated within the community? Or should asylums be revisited? How would individuals come to be placed in such asylums? What civil rights issues come into play? How would such institutions be funded? Who would staff them and how would training and management ensure humane care? How could modern psychopharmacology and neuromedicine be applied? How could such institutions be structured to perhaps have different levels of institutionalization, from semi-independent living to more comprehensive care? How could they be made into places where people want to be, because their lives would be better than on their own?

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 DATE/TIME: 9/19/15 6:30-7:00AM

The Legacy of Jonas Salk  
 Janet Napolitano, President of University of California; Former Secretary of Homeland Security; Former Governor of Arizona  
 Charlotte Jacobs, M.D. Professor of Medicine (Emerita), Stanford University; Author, Jonas Salk: A Life  
 Part of the Club's Good Lit Series, Underwritten by the Bernard Osher Foundation  
 Sixty years ago, physician-researcher Jonas Salk changed human history by inventing the polio vaccine. His work has saved countless lives and helped shaped the medical field as we know it today. Recently, Dr. Charlotte Jacobs has published the first comprehensive biography, Jonas Salk: A Life. She and Janet Napolitano will sit down

and discuss her book that explores Jonas Salk's life and legacy. The first in a limited series of interviews, Napolitano talks with Jacobs and uses the biography as the centerpiece for discussion about the best practices of vaccinations, preventing pandemics and saving lives.



ISRAEL AND THE MID-EAST

PROGRAM: FRONT PAGE JERUSALEM  
SOURCE: RECORDED  
DATE/TIME: SUNDAY 11:00-11:30PM

This one hour program on provides in-depth reports on issues of importance to Israel, the United States and the Middle East. Topics this quarter included:

- 7/5/15 - Israel's Hi-Tech Revolution!  
How did Israel become such a center of innovation and scientific advancement? What were the factors?
- 7/12/15 - How the World Views Israel  
How did Israel go from being viewed as a courageous little David to an evil Goliath in the eyes of so many?
- 7/19/15 - The War to Erase Israel!  
Who is behind the efforts to defame and demonize Israel and the Jews? What are some of the accusations?
- 7/26/15 - Arab Rulers and the War on Terror  
Are the rulers in Egypt, Jordan, Tunisia, Saudi Arabia and other Arab states doing enough to defeat this?
- 8/2/15 - Israel's Options on Iran  
What are Israel's biggest concerns in the various possible outcomes of the Iranian nuclear talks?
- 8/9/15 - The Rift in US-Israel  
How bad is the relationship between President Obama and the Israeli prime minister?
- 8/16/15 - Keeping an Eye on ISIS  
How did the Islamic State terror militia spring up so quickly and what is driving its campaign of terror?
- 8/22/15 - Can Israel Win the PR Battle?  
Why is Israel failing to get its side of the story across? What could the Israeli government and people do?
- 8/29/15 - The Truth About Islam - Part 1  
When will the West wake up to the mounting threat of Islamic extremism and start to fight it at its source?
- 9/6/15 - The Truth About Islam - Part 2  
So when will the West wake up to the mounting threat of Islamic extremism and start to fight it?

PURSuing THE AMERICAN DREAM

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DATE/TIME 8/15/15 4:45-5:00PM

Summary: Our guest discusses how she has been able to build her Business of hair care salons, products and media projects. Guest: Kim Kimble has been synonymous with beauty and glamour for over a decade. She has 2 successful hair salons, a hair care product line and a hit tv series "LA Hair" on WFTV. Issues Covered: branding, expansion, dealing with employees

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Jessica Jackley, Co-founder, Kiva; Author, Clay Water Brick: Finding Inspiration from Entrepreneurs Who Do the Most with the Least  
Sally Osberg, President and CEO, Skill Foundation - Moderator  
This program is underwritten by Bank of the West.

In the tradition of Kabul Beauty School and Start Something That Matters comes an inspiring story of social entrepreneurship from the co-founder of Kiva, the first online micro-lending platform for the working poor. Featuring lessons learned from successful businesses in the world's poorest countries, Jessica Jackley's Clay Water Brick will motivate readers to more deeply appreciate the incredible entrepreneurial potential that exists in every human being on this planet — especially themselves.

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Summary: Our guest discusses how he took a small cable company and made it the most powerful brand in sports. Guest: George Bodenheimer is an ESPN and cable industry pioneer. He was president of ESPN for 23 years and is author of "Every Town Is a Sports Town".

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Summary: Our guest discusses the role of entertainment media and how he successfully launched several international businesses. Guest: Jason Dundas is an international tv personality, fashion influencer and entrepreneur. He is a correspondent on Entertainment Tonight, host of several shows and owner of two successful businesses.



EDUCATION

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DATE/TIME 8/8/15 4:45-5:00PM

Summary: Our guest discusses his latest educational project aimed at pre-schoolers. Guest: Marty Krofft along with his brother created many of the most colorful children's series of the 70's and 80's. His latest show is "Mutt and Stuff" on Nickelodeon. Issues Covered: social skills, pet adoption, emotions

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Summary: Our guest discusses how teachers and parents can save time and be able to focus more on classroom activity. Guest: Amanda Meer is a mother to three young children, school volunteer and former elementary school teacher. She is marketing manager for PTBoard. Issues Covered: communication, alerts, class notes