



United States Mission to the OSCE

**Announcement of U.S. Policy Speech
On Internet Freedom**

As delivered by Chargé d'Affaires Carol Fuller
to the Permanent Council, Vienna
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Thank you, Mr. Chairman.

Today, at approximately 15:30 Vienna time, Secretary Clinton will deliver a major policy address on Internet freedom at the Newseum in Washington, DC.

Secretary Clinton's policy address will lay-out President Obama's strategy for protecting freedom in the networked age of the 21st Century. The speech will stake out new ground for U.S. foreign policy, in an area where human rights, development, technology, and innovation converge. The speech will underscore the necessity and importance of preserving and promoting fundamental values such as the freedom of expression and the free flow of information.

The remarks will be live-streamed on www.state.gov.

Thank you, Mr. Chairman.