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SPEAKERS PROGRAM

Why Do We Offer Free Speakers?

The best way to get to know the United States is to experience it in person. However, if a trip to America isn't possible, you can still experience America right here in Singapore. One of our top priorities at the Embassy is to arrange for our diplomatic team to visit and speak to groups of people throughout Singapore. In the past, we have arranged for officers to discuss American foreign policy, the work of the United States Government, and other aspects of American society, politics, and culture at a number of different Singapore schools, universities, and organizations.

As a result, the U.S. Embassy has established a Speakers Program, offering your group or school the chance to hear from Americans first-hand on the topics of interest to you. Our goal is to get American diplomats talking face-to-face with people who want to hear from them. Diplomacy is not only shaping policy ... it's sharing experiences. Our staff come to Singapore with varied and extensive academic, cultural and professional backgrounds. We are delighted to share with you!

Who Might We Talk To?

Whether you're interested in life in America or U.S. foreign policy, the Embassy has someone who can speak on the issue. We're looking for a wide range of Singaporean audiences:

- secondary, junior colleges, ITE, polytechnic and university student groups
- conferences
- media
- local governments
- NGOs
- cultural events

What We Can Talk About?

Among others, topics can include American perspectives on:

- politics/elections
- history
- culture (art, food, dance, music, etc.)
- business
- media
- education
- sports
- law

How We Can Talk To You

Speakers are available at no charge and can travel to meet you and your audience. Furthermore, we can communicate with you in a variety of ways!

Our speakers can speak to your group in person. We also have digital-video conference (DVC) equipment installed for video conferencing. If you wish we can also setup a conference using a webcam and Skype™.

If you would be interested in a speaker from our Embassy, we would be pleased to arrange such a visit by an Embassy officer. Please do not hesitate to contact the Public Affairs Section by email at singaporespeakers@state.gov , to follow up on this offer.