



After the Election: Is this a turning point for America? Friday, 26 November 2004 panel discussion, London UK

Panel: **Dominic Hilton**, columnist openDemocracy.net, **Stephen Howe**, writer and historian, **Greg Katz**, American political commentator for *Atlantic Monthly* and *FT*, **Ben Ramm**, editor and founder, *The Liberal*
Chair: **Ziba Norman**, *Transatlantic Institute*

Our panel will discuss the domestic and international implications of the United States elections, covering issues including the following:

- should America promote democracy around the world, and if so how?
- what stance will America adopt in relation to international institutions?
- how will American power and influence be projected internationally, now that Bush faces no further elections?
- does America care about its image worldwide?
- how sensitive will the White House be to allies' domestic political concerns?
- how divided are the United States of America?
- how successful are Republicans likely to be in attracting or consolidating support among traditional Democrat voters?
- which groups could now be regarded as Republicans' core constituencies?
- will Bush's appointments to the US Supreme Court set the tenor for 21st century America?
- what domestic social and economic policies are likely to develop over the next four years?
- did this election pave the way for a successful Democratic presidential candidacy in 2008?
- how concerned is George W Bush about his place in history?

Venue: The Frontline Club, 13 Norfolk Place, London W2 1QJ
Time: 6-30 for 7-0 PM. Refreshments will be served afterwards.

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