

INTERNATIONAL VISITORS LEADERSHIP PROGRAM
January 2010 Delegations



** programs that the NorCalWTC requested*

Date: Arrive **1/17/2010 Program 1/18, UC Davis 1/19, Depart 1/20**

Country: **France**

Theme: Biotechnology and Climate Change

Of Visitors: 1 visitor

Status: Approved Program

Home Hospitality: No

Professional Background: Technical Adviser, Cabinet of the Minister of Environment; focus on biotechnology and climate change highlight work in a field that continues to spark debate between France and the United States

Details: U.S. regulations and policies that govern biotechnology; U.S. response to climate change and strategies to combat its effects

Date: **Arrive 1/21/2010, Program 1/22 Depart 1/23**

Country: **Germany**

Theme: US Foreign Policy and U.S.-European Security Issues

Of Visitors: 1

Status: Approved Program

Home Hospitality: No

Professional Background: Deputy Planning and Advisory Staff, State Chancellery of North Rhine-Westphalia.

Details: Discuss Ca homeland security issues, energy security issues- IE what we are doing to conserve our energy, policy supporting renewable... role of the State Gov in trade policy with Pacific Rim

Date: **Arrive 1/25/2010, Program 1/25 Depart 1/25**

Country: **Italy**

Theme: US Financial System

Of Visitors: 1

Status: Approved Program

Home Hospitality: No

Professional Background: important advisor to the Italian Minister of Finance, tax expert, important player in Italy's efforts to stimulate its economy

Details: deeper understanding of the U.S. financial system, our regulatory system, and how we've managed the economic recovery process; meet with representatives from California state government, probably the key budget/fiscal advisor to the governor, the State Comptroller

Date: **Arrive 1/24/2010, Program 1/25 – 1/26 Depart 1/27**

Country: **Azerbaijan**

Theme: University Administration

Of Visitors: 5

Status: Approved Program

Home Hospitality: No

Professional Background: university officials

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Details: explore current U.S. university administration issues, discuss how the Americans do recruiting, teacher development, accreditation, student performance measurement, fund-raising, etc.

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