



At Wright State University

DCOWA/MVITA Dinner



Featuring Guest Speaker
Former U.S. Ambassador to Honduras,
Charles A. Ford

January 25, 2010 6:30 PM Reception, 7:00 PM Dinner
Sinclair's Ponitz Building, Charity Early Room (Auditorium B)

We are pleased to welcome Ambassador Ford back to Dayton. The son of Wanda Ford, who was well known for her service with the Oakwood Board of Education, Charles A. (Chuck) Ford remembers that as a senior in Oakwood High School in 1968 he won a Dayton Council on World Affairs scholarship for a trip to Spain. He hardly realized it at the time, but it was the beginning of more than 30 years in international diplomacy and commerce.

Mr. Ford served as United States Ambassador to Honduras from 2005 – 2008 and was selected as the first-ever Advisor on Public-Private Partnerships to a U.S. Combatant Commander, Admiral James Stavridis, at U.S. Southern Command in Miami from 2008 -2009. Additionally, in Ambassador Ford's 25 year career in the Foreign Commercial Service, he served as the Senior Advisor to the Ambassador on U.S. business issues at embassies in Argentina, Spain, Guatemala, the United Kingdom, Venezuela and the United States Mission to the European Union. He also served in Washington as Director for Latin American Trade Policy and as Acting Assistant Secretary of the Commerce Department's U.S. and Foreign Commercial Service.

Dinner Prices: \$40 members, \$50 non-members, \$20 students

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