

Members of the Council on Foreign Relations in relation to the 9/11 Attacks

Source of membership status [for persons listed in bold]: Council on Foreign Relations Annual Report 1991.
 Note: This incomplete list includes persons [in bold] who were members in 1991, one decade prior to the attacks, plus a sampling of persons who became members of the CFR in subsequent years.

Bush-Cheney Administration Members & Advisors

Richard Cheney
CFR director 1987-89; 1993-95

Condoleezza Rice

Paul Wolfowitz

Colin Powell
CFR director [presently]
Richard Perle

I. Lewis "Scooter" Libby
member in 2001
 George Tenet
member in 2001

Douglas Feith

Stephen Hadley
member in 2001

Elliott Abrams

Richard B. Myers
member by 2006

Ralph E. Eberhart
member in 2001

John Negroponte

James A. Baker, III
member in 2001

Dov Zackheim

Michael V. Hayden
member by 2006
Stephen Krasner

Brent Scowcroft
CFR director 1983-89
Zalmay Khalilzad

L. Paul Bremer

Robert Gates

Joshua Bolton

David Petraeus

Peter Rodman

Robert Zoellick
CFR director 1994-present

Christine Todd Whitman
member in 2001
CFR director [presently]

William Webster

In 1991 the Council on Foreign Relations had 2,790 members. 2,790 people is approximately .001% (1 in 100,000) of the population of the United States of America.

The CFR had 25 directors in 1991; ~.00001% (1 in 10 million).

Bush-Cheney Administration Members & Advisors

Kenneth Dam
CFR director 1992-2001

Teed Mosely
member in 2001

John Yoo
member in 2001

John Bolton
member in 2001

John Abizaid
member by 2006

Christina Rocca
member by 2006

John L. Helgeson
member by 2006

The 9/11 Commission

Henry Kissinger
CFR director 1977-81

George Mitchell
CFR director 1995-??

Thomas Kean

Lee Hamilton
member in 2001

Jamie Gorelick
member in 2001

John Lehman

Bob Kerrey
member in 2001

Philip Zelikow
member in 2001

Ernest May

Warren Bass
member in 2001

Bonnie D. Jenkins
member in 2001

Gordon N. Lederman
member in 2001

Rajesh De
member by 2006

Serena B. Wille
member by 2006

Joint Congressional 9/11 Investigation

Bob Graham

Co-chaired "Joint Committee" investigation of 9/11

Porter Goss
member in 2001

Co-chaired "Joint Committee" investigation of 9/11

Dianne Feinstein
member by 2006
John D. Rockefeller, IV

Jane Harman
member in 2001

Evan Bayh
member by 2006

Fred Thompson
member by 2006

Position(s)

Deputy Sec. of Treasury, 2001-2003;
 Deputy Secretary of State, 1982-85
 Air Force Chief of Staff

Dep. Asst. Attorney General; [Geneva Conventions "quaint," torture lawful]
 Undersec. of State for Arms Control & Internat'l Security; UN Ambassador
 Commander of CENTCOM (includes Afghanistan & Iraq)
 Asst. Sec. of State for South Asian Affairs [Liaison to Taliban pre-2001]
 Inspector General, Central Intelligence Agency; [CIA IG's Report on 9/11 remains classified]

Position(s)

First choice to be 9/11 Commission Chair; Former National Security Advisor; Former Secretary of State
 First choice to be 9/11 Commission Vice Chair; Former Senate Majority Leader
 Second choice and actual 9/11 Commission Chair
 Second choice and actual 9/11 Commission Vice Chair; Former Chair, House of Rep. Intelligence Committee
 9/11 Commissioner; Former General Counsel, Department of Defense
 9/11 Commissioner;
 Former Secretary of the Navy
 9/11 Commissioner

Executive Director, 9/11 Commission;
 Member, Bush-Cheney Transition Team
 9/11 Commission Report, co-writer;
 [Co-edited book with Zelikow (1997)]
 Commission, Professional Staff; [CFR Dir. of Special Projects/Terrorism Program]
 9/11 Commission, Counsel

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Position(s)

Chair, Senate Intelligence Committee;
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 Democrat - Florida

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Member of Joint Committee;
 Senator, Democrat - California
 Member of Joint Committee;
 Senator, Democrat - West Virginia
 Member of Joint Committee; Rep. Democrat - Calif.; Sponsor, "Violent Radicalization & Homegrown Terrorism Prevention Act of 2007"

Member of Joint Committee;
 Senator, Democrat - Indiana
 Member of Joint Committee;
 Senator, Republican - Tennessee

Other Notables

George H. W. Bush
CFR director 1977-79

Bill Clinton

Tom Daschle
member by 2006

Richard Gebhardt**Samuel Berger**

Katherine Harris
member in 2001

Sandra Day O'Connor**David Boren**

. . . Had breakfast
with CIA Director,
George Tenet, on the
morning of 9/11.

George P. Shultz

CFR director 1980-1982

Samuel P. Huntington**Judith Miller****Position(s)**

U.S. President 1989-1993; Former CIA
Director; Father of G. W. Bush

U.S. President 1993-2001; Husband of
Hillary, proposed Sec. of State, 2008
Senate Majority Leader; Helped select
Democratic appointees to 9/11 Com-
mission

Minority Leader, US House of Rep.;
Helped select Democratic appointees
to 9/11 Commission

Clinton's National Security Advisor; Stole
documents from National Archive
related to his testimony to the 9/11
Commission.

Secretary of State, Florida; 2000 election
scams for Bush

Supreme Court Justice; Her swing vote
gave Bush-Cheney the White House.
Former Chair, Senate Intelligence
Committee; Appointed CIA official,

David Edger, who had had the Ham-
burg "cell" under surveillance prior to
9/11, to a position at the Univ. of Okla-
homa; . . .

Former Secretary of State; Received
State Department travel advisory prior
to 9/11

Author, "The Clash of Civilizations" (first
published in the CFR's "Foreign Affairs");
Co-author of the Trilateral Commission's
"Crisis of Democracy"

NY Times reporter (of false intelligence
prior to 2003 Iraq war); Aspen Strategy
Group participant with P. Zelikow 2002

Other Notables**Zbigniew Brzezinski**

CFR director 1972-77

Kenneth Duberstein

CFR director 2001-present

Robert Oakley

John S. McCain, III

member in 2001

Michael A. Sheehan

member in 2001

Peter L. Bergen

member in 2001

John Deutch

CFR director 1999-????

Alan Greenspan

CFR director 1982-88

Michael Bloomberg

member in 2001

Position(s)

Former National Security Advisor;
Author, "The Grand Chessboard"
Continuity of Government, Participant;
Chief of Staff to Pres. Reagan 1988-89
[His wife produces the Charlie Rose
Show; C. Rose, CFR member in 2001]

Delivered pre-9/11 warning to Taliban;
Former Ambassador to Pakistan;
[Fawn Hall was once his secretary]

Senator, Republican - Arizona;
Presidential candidate 2008; Wrote
preface to Popular Mechanics'
book on 9/11

Co-ordinator for Counterterrorism,
State Dept., 1998; Ambassador-at-
Large for Counterterrorism, 1999-
2000; Asst. Sec. General of Mission
Support, United Nations, 2001 [Bush];
[Secret CIA office in WTC 7 relocated
to US Mission at UN after WTC 7 col-
lapsed on 9/11]

Author, "Holy War Inc.: Inside the
Secret World of Osama bin Laden"
(2001); Fellow, Brookings Institution;
CNN terrorism analyst

Former Director, Central Intelligence
Agency; Co-author (with P. Zelikow),
"Catastrophic Terrorism" in the CFR's
"Foreign Affairs" (Nov-Dec 1998)

Chair, Federal Reserve Board

Mayor of New York City, 2002-
present

Secretaries of State (since 1961)**Began****Dean Rusk**

1961

William Rogers

CFR director 1980-1990

Henry Kissinger

CFR director 1977-1981

1969

1973

Cyrus Vance

CFR director 1968-76, 1981-87;
Vice Chair, CFR Board of directors 1973-76,
1985-87; Member, Studies committee [1991*]

1977

Edmund Muskie

1980

Alexander Haig

1981

George Shultz

CFR director 1980-1982

1982

James Baker, III

CFR member by 2001

1989

Lawrence Eagleburger

1992

Warren Christopher

CFR director 1982-91;
Vice chair, CFR Board of directors 1987-. . . [91];
Vice chair, Executive committee [1991*];
Member, Development committee [1991*];
Chair, Nominating committee [1991*]

1993

Madeleine Albright

CFR director [presently]

1997

Colin Powell

CFR director [presently]

2001

Condoleezza Rice

Member, Nominating committee [1991*]

2005

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Secretaries of Defense (since 1961)**Began****Robert McNamara**

1961

Clark Clifford (died in 1998)

1968

Melvin Laird

1969

Elliot Richardson

CFR director 1974-75

1973

James Schlesinger

1973

Donald Rumsfeld

1975

Harold Brown

CFR director 1983-. . . [91];
Member, Executive committee [1991*];
Chair, Studies committee [1991*]

1977

Caspar Weinberger

1981

Frank Carlucci

1987

Richard Cheney

CFR director 1987-1989

1989

Les Aspin

CFR director 1995

William Perry
CFR member by 2001

1993

1994

William S. Cohen

CFR director 1989-. . . [91];
Member, Executive committee [1991*]

1997

Donald Rumsfeld

2001

Robert Gates

2006

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