



**Luncheon:
The Business Case for Immigration Reform &
the Impact on the Global Economy.**

Tuesday, March 5th
From 12:00-1:30 PM
B-369 Rayburn House Office Building.



Remarks by:

Laura Maristany + *President, the Hispanic Leaders Association*
Jorge Romeu + *Political Attache, Embassy of Spain*

Moderated by:

Liz Lopez + *Of Counsel, Barnes & Thornburg LLP*

Ms. Lopez represents clients before the legislative and executive branches of the federal government. Her work on behalf of clients includes areas such as education, employment, energy, financial services, immigration, and trade. Ms. Lopez is a prominent political strategist and has been featured on national political shows, including CNN en Español, CNN, NBC, Telemundo and Univision. She earned her A.B. in political science from the University of Chicago and her J.D. from Boston College Law School.

Speakers:

Scott Corley + *Executive Director, Compete America*

Mr. Corley oversees Compete America's efforts to be the leading advocate for reform of U.S. immigration policy for highly educated foreign professionals. Coalition members include corporations, universities, research institutions and trade associations. Compete America has worked with the Administration and Congress on issues critical to immigration compliance, as well as the global mobility of talent.

Gonzalo Giménez Coloma + *Labor and Social Security Attache, Embassy of Spain*

Mr. Giménez Coloma oversees bilateral relations with counterparts in the U.S. government (U.S. Department of Labor, USCIS and Social Security) and also counsels Spanish citizens residing in the U.S. on labor related issues. He serves as Counselor to the OAS Spanish Mission on labor and migration policy issues. Mr. Giménez Coloma earned his J.D. from the Universidad Complutense, Madrid.

Adriana Kugler + *Professor, Georgetown Public Policy Institute*

Ms. Kugler's work includes contributions on the role of public policies, unemployment, and immigration. Her contributions on the impact of policies and regulations were recognized with the 2007 John T. Dunlop Outstanding Scholar Award. From 2011-2012, she served as Chief Economist of the U.S. Department of Labor. Ms. Kugler earned her Ph.D. from the University of California at Berkeley and her joint B.A. in Economics and Political Science from McGill University, Canada.

Joe Trauger + *Vice President of Human Resources Policy, National Association of Manufacturers*

Mr. Trauger serves as NAM's senior lobbyist before Congress and the Administration for a wide range of issues, including health care, immigration, education, training, workplace and safety, and labor management. He has more than 10 years of experience having worked in both the U.S. Senate and U.S. House and has also operated his own consulting practice, Joe Trauger (JT) Consulting. Mr. Trauger earned his B.A. in political science from Minnesota State University-Mankat

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