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**AGENDA**

<b>MADRID</b>	
<b>January 17 – Saturday</b>	Flight to Madrid
<b>January 18 – Sunday</b>	<p><b>Morning arrival in Madrid and accommodation at: Hotel Vincci Centrum.</b></p> <p>C/ Cedaceros, 4..Tel: +34 91 360 47 20. <a href="http://www.vinccihoteles.com/centrum">www.vinccihoteles.com/centrum</a></p> <p>4.00 pm <b>Meet and greet Iciar Bilbao-Goyoaga at the hotel lobby (casual attire).</b></p> <p>4.30 pm <b>Guided bus/walking tour through Madrid.</b> Guide: Mauricio Macarrón.</p> <p>6.30 pm <b>Back at the hotel. Free evening (dinner on your own).</b></p>

**January 19 - Monday**

9.00 am

**Welcome breakfast by Ambassador Fidel Sendagorta, Secretary General of the Fundación Consejo España – EE.UU. Hotel Vincci Centrum. Room on the ground floor.**

C/ Cedaceros, 4. Tel: +34 91 360 47 20.

**Fidel Sendagorta** is Secretary General of the Fundación Consejo España - Estados Unidos. He was Spanish Ambassador to Egypt from October 2010 to May 2014. Previously, he was Director General of Foreign Affairs for the Mediterranean, Maghreb and the Middle East (2008-2010), Spanish Ambassador on Special Mission for Mediterranean Affairs (2007-2008) and Deputy Director General of Analysis and Forecasting Office.

As a Diplomat since 1984, he has served in several diplomatic posts in Spanish Embassies in Tokyo, Havana and Rabat, as well as at the Permanent Representation of Spain to the European Union in Brussels. At the Ministry of Foreign Affairs he was Advisor to the Secretary of State for International Cooperation and Iberoamerica from 1991 to 1993 and from 1993 until 1996 he was also Deputy Director General to the Office of the Minister.

Mr. Sendagorta holds a Law Degree from the University Complutense of Madrid and an International Studies Diploma from the Diplomatic School of the Spanish Ministry of Foreign Affairs. He is also Second Lieutenant of the Infantry.

From 2003 until 2008 he was Professor at the Diplomatic School and he published the essay "Europa entre dos luces: declive o resurgimiento" (Biblioteca Nueva, Madrid 2007). Besides that, he is a member of the Scientific Council of the Elcano Royal Institute for International and Strategic Studies.

10.00 am

**Departure time for next visit. Walking.**

10.30 am

**Meeting with Members of the Parliament.**

Carrera de San Jerónimo, s/n. [www.congreso.es](http://www.congreso.es)

**Meeting with MPs:**

**Juan Moscoso del Prado**, member of the PSOE (Socialist Party). In his second legislative period, 2004-2008 and re-elected in 2008.

Spokesman of the European Union Committee.

Member of the Foreign Affairs Committee.

Member of the Development Committee.

Member of the Inter-Parliamentary Union.

Ph.D. in Economic Sciences. Universidad Autónoma de Madrid (Spain). Master in Economic Sciences, College of Europe, Brugges (Belgium). Bachelor in Economics. Kent University (UK).

Fellow of the German-Marshall Fund of the United States (2001).

	<p>Board-Member of the Spain-USA Council. Assembly member of the Spanish Commission of Refugees Support. In both cases in representation of PSOE. Board-Member of the Spanish Atlantic Association.</p> <p>Member of the Scientific Committee of Fundación Alternativas (main Spanish progressive think tank).</p> <p>Member of the Regional Executive Committee of the Socialist Party of Navarra (PSN-PSOE), and Executive Secretary of Economy, Finance and Fiscal Policy.</p> <p><b>José María Beneyto</b>, member of the PP (Popular Party). Current position: Prof. Dr. Beneyto, elected Congressman in 2011, is the Popular Party's Spokesman on Foreign Affairs in the Spanish Parliament. He is also the Vice-President of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe, and is Director of Policy Review of the Popular Party as well as Member of its Executive Committee.</p> <p>Previous occupation: A former Managing Partner at the law firm Gómez Acebo &amp; Pombo, Prof. Beneyto was a lawyer in New York and Brussels. He is also a Board Member of various corporations and non-profit organizations.</p> <p>Studies: Prof. Dr. Beneyto received a Ph.D. in Law and a Ph.D. in Philosophy and History from the University of Münster (Germany). He graduated with a Master in Law and International Relations from Harvard University in 1990, where he has been Visiting Scholar and Fellow of the Fulbright Foundation at the Center of European Studies. He also has a Business Administration degree from IESE Business School, Madrid.</p> <p>Academic Position: Director of the Institute for European Studies at San Pablo CEU University, Professor in Public International Law and International Relations. He currently holds the Jean Monnet Chair, ad personam, of the European Union. Author and editor of books and articles on European and International Law, Economic Law, and International Relations.</p>
12.00 pm	<p><b>Departure time for next visit. Walking.</b></p>
12.30 pm	<p><b>Guided visit to the Casa de America (Palacio de Linares).</b></p> <p>Paseo de Recoletos, 2. Tel: 91 595 48 39.  <a href="http://www.casamerica.es">www.casamerica.es</a></p> <p><b>The Casa de América</b>, housed in the Linares Palace, is a Consortium formed by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Community of Madrid and the Capital City Hall. It has a high-level Board of Trustees chaired by H.M. the King. The Casa de América is the main Spanish institution focusing on the very intense flow of relations among the members of the American Community and Spain.</p>
1.45 pm	<p><b>Welcome lunch offered by the board members of the Fundación Consejo España – Estados Unidos at Casa de América</b></p> <p>Paseo de Recoletos, 2. Tel: 91 595 48 39.</p> <p>Further information about the Foundation: <a href="http://www.spainusa.org">www.spainusa.org</a></p>
4.00 pm	<p><b>Departure time for next visit. Bus.</b></p>



10.30 am	<b>Coffee break.</b>
10.45 am	<p><b>Meeting with Carlos Espinosa de los Monteros, High Commissioner of the Government for Brand Spain.</b></p> <p>C/ Serrano Galvache, 26.  <a href="http://www.marcaespana.es">www.marcaespana.es</a></p> <p><b>Carlos Espinosa de los Monteros</b> born in Madrid (1944) he is a Lawyer and Economist who has worked both for the public and the private sector. As a State Economist he joined the Ministry of Trade in 1969 and was appointed in 1972 Commercial Counsellor of Spain for the US Midwest based in Chicago until 1976. He returned to Madrid to take care as Commercial Director of Instituto Nacional de Industria (INI), the most important industrial group of Companies in Spain (including at that time firms like Endesa, Enagas, Iberia or Repsol). He served as Executive Vicepresident of INI between 1979 and 1982, when he was appointed President and CEO of Iberia Airlines until 1985. On that year, he founded a Consulting firm and was Adviser to the European Community and NATO on programs concerning the future of the Military and the Aeronautical Industry. In 1988, he became CEO of Mercedes Benz Spain with the target of setting up a competitive manufacturer and distributor, employing more than 6000 people. He retired from that position in 2009. For the last two decades he has served in different Boards including CASA (part of Airbus), Uralita (construction materials), González Byass (wines and brandies), Yell UK (Directories) and Arcadis (Dutch engineering). At present he is in the Board of Acciona (construction and energy), Inditex (Zara, fashion), Schindler España (elevators) and Fraternidad (labor accidents coverage). A Professor of International Trade at ICADE, Business School, for several years, he has published a number of books and papers on management, international relations and other subjects. In July 2012 Mr Rajoy, the Prime Minister of Spain, appointed Mr. Espinosa de los Monteros, as High Commissioner of the Government for Brand Spain with the main task of promoting the image of Spain abroad.</p>
11.30 am	<b>Departure time for next visit. Bus.</b>
12.00 pm	<p><b>Visit to the Elcano Royal Institute for International and Strategic Studies.</b></p> <p>Príncipe de Vergara, 51. Tel: 91 781 67 70.  <a href="http://www.realinstitutoelcano.org">www.realinstitutoelcano.org</a></p> <p><b>Meeting:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Charles Powell, Director.</b></li> <li>- <b>Federico Steinberg, Senior Researcher.</b></li> </ul> <p><b>The Elcano Royal Institute</b> is a private think-tank, independent of both the</p>

public administration and the companies which provide most of its funding. It was established in 2001 for the purpose of conducting an exhaustive study of the interests of Spain and of Spaniards in international affairs. Elcano considers itself a non-partisan -but not neutral- institution that seeks to promote the values by which it was inspired and which aims to establish a global strategy resulting in political proposals. The chief mission of the Elcano Royal Institute is to provide a centre of analysis and initiative of practical use to politicians, heads of relevant public and private entities, and to help promote an informed public opinion.

**Charles Powell** read History and Modern Languages at Oxford University, where he later wrote a D. Phil. thesis on Spain's transition to democracy. He was subsequently a Lecturer in History at Corpus Christi College, Oxford, the J. A. Pye Research Fellow at University College, Oxford, and a Junior Research Fellow at St. Antony's College, Oxford, where he is currently a Member of the Senior Common Room.

From 1997 to 2000 he was deputy director of the European Studies programme of the Ortega y Gasset University Institute, and was later appointed deputy director of the Ortega y Gasset Foundation's Spanish Centre for International Relations (CERI). In 2001 he joined the Elcano Royal Institute as Senior Analyst for Europe, and in 2004 he was appointed Deputy Director for Research and Analysis. Since 2001, he is also a Professor in Contemporary History at the CEU San Pablo University (Madrid). Since 2011, he is a member of the council of the European Council on Foreign Relations (ECFR).

**Federico Steinberg** is Senior Analyst at the Elcano Royal Institute and Professor of Political Economy at Madrid's Universidad Autónoma. He holds a Ph.D. in Economics from the Universidad Autónoma, an MSc in Politics of the World Economy from the London School of Economics and a Master in International Affairs from Columbia University. Between 2002 and 2004 he was involved in a variety of development projects for the World Bank as a consultant in Washington DC, Ghana and Bolivia, as well as at the Executive Office of the Secretary General at the United Nations headquarters in New York. He also teaches regularly at a number of Master's degrees, including IE business school and ICADE. He is also a frequent contributor to Spanish media, and has been invited to deliver speeches in more than ten countries.

Research areas: expert in international political economy with a strong background and interest in international trade, finance, development and European economic and monetary union. He has widely researched and published in English and Spanish on topics such as the emergence of new economic powers, the dynamics of world trade, issues related with the global financial crisis and global economic governance (IMF reform, G-8, G-20 etc), the euro zone crisis, and the geopolitics of international currencies.

1.30 pm

**Departure time for next visit. Bus.**

2.00 pm	<p><b>Working lunch with Antonio Garrigues Walker on “Spain: 37 years of democracy. The Constitution of 1978 and the Spanish political-administrative system” at “La Ancha” restaurant.</b></p> <p>C/Zorrilla, 7. Tel: 91 429 81 86.  <a href="http://www.lanacha.com">www.lanacha.com</a></p> <p><b>Antonio Garrigues Walker</b>, Spanish jurist and Chairman of the law firm Garrigues. In 1954 he joined the Firm founded by his father Antonio Garrigues Díaz-Cañabate, alongside his cousin, Joaquín Garrigues Díaz-Cañabate. He has been Chairman of Garrigues since 1961, when he was 27 years of age. He also presides over Fundación Garrigues and the Garrigues Chair in Global Law at Universidad de Navarra.</p> <p>He is a renowned jurist on the international scene. Particularly worthy of note is his work as a legal adviser on foreign investments in Spain. He has advised major multinationals, as well as the Spanish government on financial legislation, above all in the field of foreign investment. He also offers his legal advice and know-how to governments such as the US and Japanese executives in their relations with Spain. Consequently, he is a trustee of the Spain-US, Spain-Japan, Spain-China, Spain-India, Spain-Russia, Spain-Mexico and Spain-Australia Foundations (Fundaciones Consejo). His interest in the phenomenon of globalization has led him to break new ground in cooperation with other international law firms and, by way of example; he is currently the Chairman of the World Association of Lawyers.</p> <p>Alongside his work as a jurist, he has always played a highly active role in the country’s social, business and economic life, as borne out by his sojourn into politics. He set up the Partido Demócrata Liberal (PDL) back in 1982 and was named party chairman. In 1984, this political outfit was integrated within the Partido Reformista Democrático, a joint initiative with Miquel Roca in a bid to take up the political center ground.</p>
4.00 pm	<p><b>Departure time for next visit. Bus.</b></p>
4.30 pm	<p><b>Meeting with José Ignacio Torreblanca, Director of the Spanish Office for the European Council on Foreign Relations on “Spain, the US and the EU: Intersections of a critical triangular relationship”</b></p> <p>C/ Felipe IV 9, 1º izq. Tel: 91 523 48 18 <a href="http://www.ecfr.eu">www.ecfr.eu</a></p> <p><b>José Ignacio Torreblanca</b> is the head of the Reinvention of Europe programme at ECFR, the head of ECFR’s Madrid Office, and a senior policy fellow at ECFR. He is a professor of political science at the National University of Distance Education (UNED) in Madrid, where he teaches “The Political System of the European Union”. He has also been a Fulbright Scholar, a lecturer at the George Washington University in Washington, D.C., and a researcher at the European University Institute in Florence.</p> <p>Since 2008 he has written a weekly column on international affairs in the printed edition of El País, Spain’s most highly circulated daily newspaper. He is also the author of El País’s Café Steiner blog. In May 2014 he joined El País’s Editorial Council.</p>

<p>6.00 pm</p> <p>6.30 pm</p> <p>8.30 pm</p> <p>11.00 pm</p>	<p>His latest books in Spanish are <i>The Fragmentation of European Power</i> (2011) and <i>Who Runs Europe? Reconstructing Democracy, Bringing Citizens Back In</i> (2014). In English, he recently co-authored "The Eurosceptic surge and how to respond to it" (with Mark Leonard, ECFR 2014) and "What is political union?" (with Sebastian Dullien, ECFR 2012).</p> <p>A frequent radio, TV, and press contributor, his articles and views have appeared in BBC.com, Bloomberg, CNN.com, <i>Le Courier International</i>, <i>La Croix</i>, <i>European Voice</i>, <i>EurActiv</i>, <i>Financial Times</i>, <i>The Guardian</i>, <i>Internationale</i>, <i>The New York Times</i>, <i>OpenDemocracy</i>, <i>Gazeta Wyborcza</i>, <i>Politiken</i>, <i>PressEurop</i>, <i>Reuters</i>, <i>Der Spiegel</i> and <i>La Stampa</i>.</p> <p>In May 2011 <i>Foreign Policy en español</i> ranked him amongst the ten most influential new intellectuals in Spain and Latin-America.</p> <p><b>Departure time. Bus.</b></p> <p><b>Back at the hotel. Free time.</b></p> <p><b>Meet María Luque at the hotel lobby for leisure dinner at San Anton Market. Bus.</b></p> <p><b>Back at the hotel.</b></p>
<p>January 21-Wednesday</p> <p>8.15 am</p> <p>9.00 am</p> <p>10.30 am</p>	<p><b>Meet Icíar Bilbao-Goyoaga at the hotel lobby to start visits by bus.</b> (business attire / passport required).</p> <p><b>Visit to the Ministry of Defence.</b></p> <p>Paseo de la Castellana, 109. <a href="http://www.defensa.gob.es">www.defensa.gob.es</a></p> <p><b>Meeting with Alejandro Alvargonzález, Secretary General for Defence Policy.</b></p> <p><b>Alejandro Alvargonzález</b> is a graduate in Political Sciences and entered the Diplomatic Service in 1986. He has served in Spanish diplomatic representations in Honduras, Egypt and Cuba. He has held the posts of Spanish consul in Geneva, Cabinet director for the State Secretary for Security, deputy director-general of Asian Political Affairs, Consul General of Spain in Shanghai and deputy director of International Economic Relations with Developing Countries. From January 2009, he was Spanish Ambassador to Bosnia-Herzegovina.</p> <p><b>Departure time for next visit. Bus.</b></p>



<p>11.00 am</p>	<p><b>Visit and briefing at the U.S. Embassy in Madrid</b></p> <p>c/ Serrano, 75. Tel: 91 587 25 08.  <a href="http://www.embusa.es">www.embusa.es</a></p> <p><b>Meeting with:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Emilia Puma, Counselor for Public Diplomacy.</li> <li>- Keith Silver, Commercial Attaché US Commercial Service.</li> <li>- Christopher Harris, Political-Military Officer.</li> <li>- Angela Colyvas-McGinnis, Consul General.</li> <li>- Capt. Douglas J. TenHoopen, Defense &amp; Naval Attaché.</li> <li>- Meghan Mercier. Economic Officer.</li> </ul> <p><b>And welcome words by the US Ambassador to Spain Mr. James Costos.</b></p>
<p>1.30 pm</p>	<p><b>Departure time for next visit. Bus.</b></p>
<p>2.00 pm</p>	<p><b>Lunch with some representatives of the Political Leadership Program of the Aspen Institute at “La Cesta” restaurant.</b></p> <p>C/Recoletos 10. Tel: 91 140 06 96.  <a href="http://lacesta.eu/">http://lacesta.eu/</a></p> <p><b>Meeting with:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>José María de Areilza, Secretary General Aspen Institute. Spain.</b></li> <li>- <b>Manuel de la Rocha: Secretary of Economy in the Federal Executive Committee of the Socialist Party.</b></li> <li>- <b>Valentina Martínez Ferro: Member of the Spanish Parliament for Madrid. Popular Party.</b></li> </ul> <p><b>Aspen Institute</b> España’s vision is to contribute to the strengthening of civil society by fostering a culture of dialogue and creating a network of people willing to promote debate as the backbone of civil society.</p> <p>The mission of Aspen Institute España is to promote leadership based on the values which define an open society, and provide a neutral and balanced forum in which to debate over critical issues of general interest. This mission is carried out through conferences and public policy and leadership seminars.</p> <p><b>José M. de Areilza</b>, Secretary General, Aspen Institute España; Professor of Law and Jean Monnet Chair at ESADE. José M. de Areilza is an expert in European constitutional law and European politics. He holds a Master of Laws (LL.M.) from Harvard University, a Master of Arts in International Relations from the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy and a Doctorate in Juridical Sciences (S.J.D.) from Harvard University. Between 1996 and 2000 he served as advisor</p>

	<p>to the Spanish Prime Minister on European and North American affairs. In 2007 he was appointed Member of the Board of Governors of the Madrid Bar Association. Between 2008 and 2012 he was Dean of IE Law School. He writes a weekly column on international affairs in the newspaper ABC and is a Member of its Board of Directors. In 2013 he became a Member of the European Council on Foreign Relations and was appointed Senior Research Fellow at Elcano Royal Institute. He has recently published a book entitled "Law and Power in the European Union" (Civitas).</p> <p><b>Valentina Martinez</b> is currently a Member of the Spanish Parliament for the center-right party, Partido Popular (PP). She takes part on the Foreign Affairs Committee. She has worked as Head of Staff to the President's Chief of Staff in Presidency of the Spanish Government. Previously she spent nine years working as Coordinator for the International Relations Office at the People's Party and has also been Coordinator for Global Affairs at FAES Foundation. She studied Political Sciences at the Santiago de Compostela University and has a Master's Degree in European Studies from Louvain University. In addition she has a Diploma D'Etudes Politiques from IEP. She likes combining politics and learning and she is doing her PhD in the "Freedom of the Press in the Spanish Constitutions of the XIX Century" at Universidad Complutense. In 2007 she also attended Georgetown University for a Leadership Program for Global Competitiveness. In July 2014 she left her responsibilities in the Presidency of the Government to do the Mid-Career Master in Public Policy at SAIS in Washington DC. In October 2014 she was appointed Member of the Spanish Parliament where she works now. She is interested in international relations and the role of political parties in democracy. Aside from fulfilling her professional duties at the Spanish Congress, Valentina loves travelling, food tastings and spending time with her dog. And of course, being a Galician, she also enjoys being by the sea and in nature.</p> <p><b>Manuel de la Rocha</b> was Member of the Spanish Parliament for the Socialist Party from 2008 to 2011 and took part on the Justice Commission and in the Constitutional Commission of the Parliament. He was also Major of Fuenlabrada, Member of the Parliament of the Region of Madrid and Counselor of Education and Youth of the Madrid Government. He is a lawyer and currently holds the position of Secretary of Economy in the Federal Executive Committee of the Socialist Party.</p>
3.30 pm	<p><b>Departure time. Walking.</b></p>
4.00 pm	<p><b>Guided visit to El Prado Museum.</b>  Paseo del Prado, s/n. Madrid. Tel: 913 302 800  <a href="http://www.elprado.es">www.elprado.es</a></p> <p><b>El Prado Museum</b> is one of the most important museums in Europe, housing masterpieces of Spanish, European and World Painting. The Prado Museum is a treasure for understanding Spanish artists Greco, Velazquez and Goya, among others.</p> <p>Guide: Mauricio Macarrón</p>
6.30 pm	<p><b>Back at the hotel by bus. Free evening (dinner on your own).</b></p>

## SEVILLE

Capital of the Autonomous Community (region) of Andalusia

### January 22 – Thursday

7.40 am

**Meet Belén López-Laguna at the lobby, after doing the check out, to start visits by bus.**

There is a concierge service (luggage room) if you need it.  
(business attire / passport required).

8.00 am

**Visit to the Train Control Center in Madrid Atocha (central) Station.**

9.00 am

**AVE - High speed train to Seville (on board presentation), arriving at 11.35 am.**

12.00 pm

**Guided bus/walking tour through Seville**

Guide: Virginia Vargas.

2.00 pm

**Tapas lunch. Restaurante Enrique Becerra (Becerrita).**

[www.enriquebecerra.com/](http://www.enriquebecerra.com/)

C/ Gamazo nº2. Tel: 95 421 30 49.

3.30 pm

**Departure time to the hotel. Walking.**

3.45 pm

**Accommodation and check in at Hotel Petit Palace Marqués de Santa Ana.**

C/ Jimíos, 9-11. Tel: 95 422 18 12.

[www.petitpalacemarquessantaana.com](http://www.petitpalacemarquessantaana.com)

5.00 pm

**Departure time to the Town Hall. Walking.**

<p>5.30 pm</p> <p>7.00 pm</p> <p>8.15 pm</p> <p>9.00 pm</p> <p>10.00 pm</p> <p>11,00 pm</p>	<p><b>Welcome reception at Seville City Hall by its Mayor, Mr. Juan Ignacio Zoido.</b></p> <p><b>Juan Ignacio Zoido Álvarez</b> was born in Montellano, Seville, on January 21st 1957. Married with 3 children. He becomes part of the judiciary system in 1982, practising at the courts of Arrecife (Lanzarote) and Utrera. In 1987 he was promoted to the category of Magistrate, being assigned to La Laguna (Tenerife).</p> <p>In 1992 he was appointed Judge Dean of Seville Courts. He became a member of the Government Board of Andalusia High Court and member of its. From 1996 to 2000 he was the General Manager of Relations with the Justice Administration in the Ministry of Justice.</p> <p>In 2000 he was appointed Government Delegate in Castilla-La Mancha. From 2002 to 2004 he was the Government Delegate in Andalusia. In April 2004 he was appointed General Secretary of the Popular Party in Andalusia. From 2008 to 2010, he was the Head of the Justice Commission in Andalusia Parliament.</p> <p>Nowadays: Mayor of Seville, Regional Representative and Head of the Culture Commission in Andalusia Parliament. Elected member of the National Executive Committee of Popular Party.</p> <p><b>Free Time.</b></p> <p><b>Meet Belén López-Laguna at the hotel lobby for going to dinner and flamenco show. Walking.</b></p> <p>(casual attire)</p> <p><b>Flamenco show at “Centro Cultural Flamenco - Casa de la Memoria”.</b></p> <p>C/ Cuna, 6.  <a href="http://www.casadelamemoria.es">www.casadelamemoria.es</a></p> <p><b>Dinner at “La Casa de la Memoria”.</b></p> <p><b>Back at the hotel. Walking.</b></p>
<p><b>January 23 – Friday</b></p> <p>10.00 am</p>	<p><b>Meet at the hotel lobby to start visits (<u>after doing the check out</u>).</b>  <b>Bus.</b>  (business attire / passport required).</p>

<p>11.00 am</p>	<p><b>Visit to Abengoa Solar Plant.</b></p> <p>Campus Palmas Altas - Sevilla  C/ Energía Solar nº 1, Palmas Altas. Tel: 95 493 52 54.  <a href="http://www.abengoa.com">www.abengoa.com</a></p> <p><b>Meeting with Margarita Soucase- Communications Department. Abengoa Solar.</b></p> <p><b>Abengoa</b> is an international company that applies innovative technology solutions for sustainability in the energy and environment sectors, generating energy from the sun, producing biofuels, desalinating sea water and recycling industrial waste.</p>
<p>1.00 pm</p>	<p><b>Lunch offered by Abengoa</b></p>
<p>2.00 pm</p>	<p><b>Departure time. Bus.</b></p>
<p>3.00 pm</p>	<p><b>Free time around Seville.</b></p>
<p>4.00 pm</p>	<p><b>Departure time to the train station. Bus.</b></p>
<p>4.45 pm</p>	<p><b>AVE - High speed train to Madrid, arriving at 7 pm.</b></p>
<p>7.30 pm</p>	<p><b>Check in and accommodation at Hotel Vincci Centrum</b></p> <p>C/Cedaceros, 4. Madrid Tel: +34 913 604 720  <a href="http://www.vinccihoteles.com/centrum">www.vinccihoteles.com/centrum</a></p> <p><b>Free evening. Dinner on your own.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">- END OF PROGRAM -</p>
<p><b>January 24 – Saturday</b></p>	
<p>7.30 am</p>	<p><b><u>After doing the check-out at the hotel</u>, meet at the lobby with your luggage to transfer to the airport (casual attire).</b></p>
<p>10.35 am</p>	<p><b>First scheduled flight to the U.S.</b></p>

