



What they said about Interstate 2009

Some Comments from Participants

- “A real pleasure...and one of the best moments of my MBA.”
- “An immeasurable opportunity to learn from and connect with those involved in international policy and global issues.”
- “A unique and very enjoyable programme. John Wyles was an excellent moderator. The level and breadth of speakers made the programme very worthwhile to attend.”
- “I thought the programme as a whole was fantastic. The speakers had real experience, and spoke to us on a very “hands-on” level. I have learnt a great deal in these few days.”
- “Overall I think the programme was a very valuable experience, combining and connecting many different topics and people. It was very well organized and moderated.”
- “A great programme....very carefully and beautifully planned.”
- “Interstate is a unique initiative, offering a refreshing change from the regular academic lectures of an MBA programme.”
- “I was truly surprised at the level of speakers who were accessible during the event.”
- “One of the most enriching experiences within the MBA programme - a unique experience.”
- “Fantastic speakers, and a great and complete range of topics.”
- “Excellent set of speakers, very diverse in terms of background, culture, areas of expertise and professions.”
- “The programme has been fantastic. John Wyles, in his role as organiser and moderator, has been exceptional. He expertly leads the conversation and panel discussions, and his journalistic impulses and curiosity are leveraged to great effect. He is not afraid to ask tough questions, and he draws the best from the impressive list of speakers he has recruited to the event. I will definitely recommend for my school to attend this programme in the future, and I encourage any MBA programme with international objectives to do the same.”
- “I am pleased and privileged to have attended the Interstate Programme. It’s not just a programme, but an enriching personal experience.”
- “Excellent. Perhaps one of the best experiences of my MBA, putting all my academic and professional training into its international political context.”