The ten-year anniversary of the horrific events of September 11th, 2001, provide West Chester University with an excellent opportunity to reflect on the often radical impacts of 9/11 on a wide variety of topics. For political scientists, the impact of 9/11 on presidential power, constitutional law, national security and foreign policy, among many other areas, is very clear.

Many additional lessons from a wide variety of disciplines and approaches can also be drawn from these changes. More importantly, the perspectives we have gained over the last ten years can provide the laboratory for faculty, staff, and students to explore this challenging and difficult topic as well as an opportunity to reflect and remember.

**The Ten Year Anniversary of 9/11: Lessons Learned and Perspectives Gained**

Friday, September 9th, 2011
8:30 AM to 1:00 PM
Sykes Ballrooms A and B
West Chester University

**Candlelight Ceremony**

Please join West Chester University, Student Services Inc., and the Sykes Union Advisory Board for a candlelight ceremony honoring the 10th anniversary of 9/11

**Sunday, September 11th, 2011**
6:30 PM
Sykes Front Lawn

In memory of all those tragically impacted by the events of that day
**Opening Remarks**
8:30 AM, Sykes Ballroom A
- Dr. Greg Weisenstein, President of West Chester University
- Dr. Peter Loedel, Chair, Department of Political Science

**Presentation Schedule**
(All Presentations are in either Sykes Ballroom A or B)

**9:00-9:50 AM**
“Serving with the Red Cross in Lower Manhattan after 9/11/2001: A Transformative Experience”
- Dr. Nadine Bean and Liz White
- Sykes B

“Post 9/11 Syndrome and the United States Foreign Policy: Implications for International Education”
- Dr. Francis Atuahene
- Sykes B

**10:00-10:50 AM**
“The Impact of 9/11 on Professional and Career Development”
- West Chester University Alumni, including Chip Smith, Daniel Blomquist, and Dr. Robert McCreight
- Sykes A

“We are all Americans: A French and European Perspective”
- Dr. Michel Sage
- Sykes B

**11:00-11:50 AM**
“U.S. Foreign Policy As Background To The 9/11 Attacks”
- Dr. Lawrence Davidson
- Sykes A

“Remember 9/11: Personal Reflections”
- Dr. Joyce Munro, Associate Dean for Partnerships, Grants, and Faculty Development College of Education
- Sykes B

**12:00-12:50 PM**
“Media in Crisis: Lessons Learned on 9/11”
- Dr. Edward Lordan, Dr. Michael Boyle, and Joanna Armandi, Department of Communication
- Sykes A

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- Dr. Chris Stangl
- Sykes B