

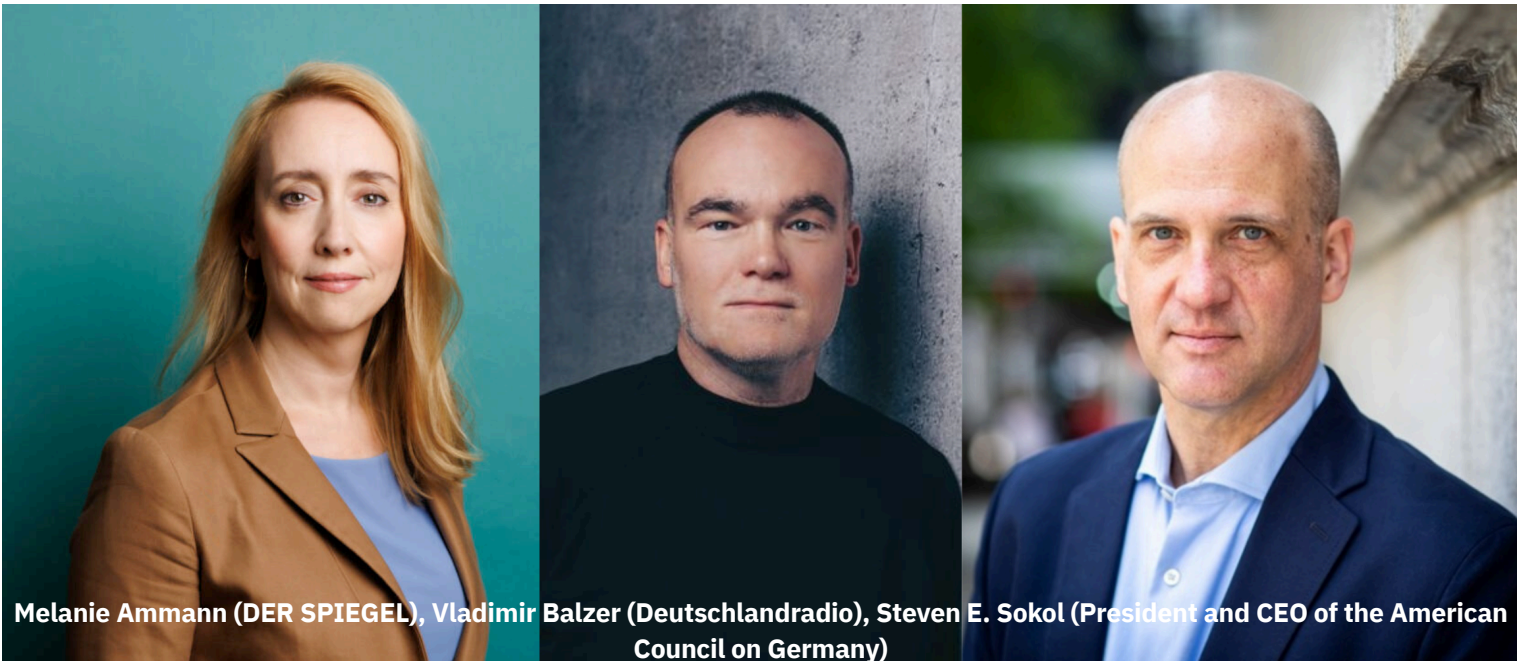
Foreign Correspondent Unplugged: Democracy under Pressure

Panel Discussion with Melanie Amann
and Vladimir Balzer | Moderator: Steven E. Sokol

Tuesday, October 7, 2025, 6:30 PM

Goethe-Institut Boston, 170 Beacon Street

In English | Doors open at 6:00 PM



Melanie Ammann (DER SPIEGEL), Vladimir Balzer (Deutschlandradio), Steven E. Sokol (President and CEO of the American Council on Germany)

Democracy in both Germany and the United States faces mounting challenges, from rising political polarization to declining trust in institutions and practices. This event will explore how these pressures are reshaping politics and public life on both sides of the Atlantic. Join us for a timely discussion with award-winning journalists Vladimir Balzer (Deutschlandradio) and Dr. Melanie Amann (DER SPIEGEL) about political trends in Germany and challenges to democracy 35 years after German unity. The event will be moderated by the President of the American Council on Germany, Dr. Steven E. Sokol.



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