



Lifelong Scholar Society

Foreign Policy Association Great Decisions

Cuba and the United States

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After decades of isolation, America has begun taking major steps to normalize relations with Cuba. The move marks a dramatic shift away from a policy that has its roots in one of the darkest moments of the Cold War - the Cuban Missile Crisis. Although the U.S. trade embargo is unlikely to end any time soon, American and Cuban leaders today are trying to bring a relationship once defined by antithetical ideologies into the 21st century.

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The Lifelong Scholar Society has joined the Foreign Policy Association's Great Decisions discussion group. Great Decisions is America's largest grassroots discussion program on world affairs. It was launched in 1954 in Portland, Oregon, by the Foreign Policy Association to provide a venue for discussion and debate on the most critical issues facing America.

On the first Wednesday of each month, the Lifelong Scholar Society meets at Tradewinds Restaurant at Duran Golf Club in Viera at 5:30 p.m. (no seating after 6:30) to eat dinner and watch a 30 minute DVD produced by the Foreign Policy Association on the topic of the month, followed by discussion facilitated by a Florida Tech professor or community expert in the field.



Attendees are now expected to purchase the \$15 buffet provided by the restaurant. Unlimited coffee, tea and soda included in the price of the buffet. Reservations are required for the event.

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