



COUNCIL OF AMERICAN AMBASSADORS AMBASSADORS ROUNDTABLE SUMMARY REPORT

The Council of American Ambassadors held its second **Ambassadors Roundtable luncheon** of 2012 on Tuesday, June 26 in the Anderson Room of The Metropolitan Club of Washington, DC.

The Ambassadors Roundtable program is a quarterly luncheon series that provides an opportunity for Council members to engage in off-the-record, meaningful dialogues with Chiefs of Foreign Missions currently accredited to the White House.



*H.E. Namik Tan and
Amb. Lloyd Hand and Gilbert Robinson*



*The Ambassador of Turkey
H.E. Namik Tan*

The Ambassador of Turkey, **His Excellency Namik Tan**, was the guest speaker at the June 26 event. Ambassador **Gilbert A. Robinson**, co-chair of the Ambassadors Roundtable program, welcomed attendees to the program and led a vigorous question and answer session. It was most appropriate to have with us Turkey's chief diplomat in the United States given the ongoing developments in the Middle East and the strategic importance of the United States-Turkey relationship. Ambassador **Lloyd N. Hand**, co-chair of the Ambassadors Roundtable program, offered concluding remarks.

The next **Ambassadors Roundtable** program is planned for **September 2012**. The guest speaker will be announced in due course. Members are reminded to register early for the Roundtable as space is limited.

PHOTO GALLERY



*First Row: Amb. Siebert, Amb. Robinson, Amb. Tan, Amb. Hand, Amb. Ourisman, Amb. Bernstein;
Amb. Gildenhorn, Valdez, and Chorba. Second Row: Ambs. Valdez and Chorba; Ambs. Ourisman, Russo
and Roosevelt; Ambs. Roosevelt, Hughes and Hartog Levin*