



National Museum of American Diplomacy

Dear Friends,

A few months ago we were the United States Diplomacy Center, and today, we are now the National Museum of American Diplomacy. The new name not only signals our evolution over the past few years, but all the promise the museum will embody in the future.

This has been an exciting year! In the past twelve months, we held 26 public programs, engaged 2,200 students in diplomacy simulations, added 559 new artifacts to the permanent collection, and welcomed approximately 3,000 visitors to explore our exhibits. Through programs we investigated the impact of diplomacy on mapping, sports, and space exploration. Museum exhibits told the histories of consular affairs, the 230 year-old State Department, and individual diplomats around the world in *Diplomacy Is Our Mission*. We have also expanded our digital outreach, established partnerships, initiated public hours on Fridays, and finalized 35% design of the full museum to come.

2019 has been an incredible journey that would not have been possible without your support. I look forward to welcoming you to the National Museum of American Diplomacy in 2020.

Thank you,
Mary D. Kane
Director
National Museum of American Diplomacy

**National Museum of American Diplomacy:
A Year In Photos**



From landmark events to our preview exhibit opening, 2019 was a monumental year. [Take a look!](#)

Signup for Friday tours

Discover how our nation's diplomats protect the American people and advance security, prosperity, democracy, and development to benefit our country. *Diplomacy is Our Mission* will be open to the public for scheduled tours on Fridays at 10 am and 1 pm. Free timed passes are required. [Get yours.](#)

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