

# **THE GEOPOLITICS OF OIL IN A NEW ENERGY ERA**

- **Is there enough oil to meet expanding demands?**
- **Will increased demand lead to resource wars?**
- **Can new technologies meet the increased demand?**
- **Will OPEC's power grow or fade in coming decades?**
- **How will the global economic crisis affect oil-exporting countries?**
- **Can Obama's energy policies alter global oil politics?**

Join three experts for a discussion of these questions:

**Dr. Karin Kneissl,  
Dr. Daniel Hellinger, and  
Dr. Bernard Mommer**

Dr. Kneissl specializes in the Middle Eastern aspects of the global market of oil and natural gas. Her book, *The Energy poker*, has been well received, and a second revised edition was published in Munich last year.

Dr. Hellinger has published several books on Venezuela and authored several papers on the evolving relationship between Third World nations with rich natural resources and transnational mining and oil companies.

Dr. Mommer is the Venezuelan governor to OPEC.

Dr. Eric Frey will moderate the discussion, which will take place in his IPE class.

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