

2011 LUND CRITICAL DEBATE

Obama in the World: Success or Failure? A Mid-Term Assessment (2010-2011)



On October 18, 2010, over 250 members of the extended Cornell community gathered in Call Auditorium to hear Max Boot and Fred Kaplan debate the success and failure of President Obama's foreign policy. The discussion was part of the Einaudi Center's Lund Critical Debate Series, and was moderated by Professor Peter Katzenstein.

Fred Kaplan is the national-security columnist for Slate and a Schwartz Senior Fellow with the New America Foundation.

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Peter Katzenstein is the Walter S. Carpenter, Jr. Professor of International Studies at Cornell University. His research and teaching lie at the intersection of the fields of international relations and comparative politics.

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