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| Peter Scaturro: | Thank you. It is my pleasure to present the Foreign Policy Association's Global Corporate Responsibility Award to an old friend, Dan Ryan. I must add however, that like Larry Fink, I have had the pleasure of working with two of the honorees this evening. Nettie and I worked together very closely when I was at Goldman Sachs and I was also pleased to see her receive this great honor this evening as well. She and Dan are among the up and coming stars of the next generation of leaders and I also believe they're the two youngest recipients of this particular award. |
|  | As a board member of the FPA I can't stress enough the importance we place, especially during geopolitically complex times like this, of the FPA maintaining a big tent, so that we can best ventilate many different perspectives. Not for profit institutions and for profit institutions alike need to ensure that they can accommodate diverse perspectives and views in this very competitive global environment. There is an opportunity cost to not being open to diverse opinions in fact, diversity is a competitive advantage. |
|  | Dan Ryan is an expert in global talent management and C-suite leadership. He is a regular guest speaker on industry panels. He's often on TV and is frequently quoted in leading publications including the Journal, the Dow Jones, and Bloomberg. Dan recognizes that corporate cultures happen either by design or by default. As we all know an organization's culture plays a significant role in its ability to successfully execute its strategic plan. |
|  | As the partner in charge of the New York office at Heidrick & Struggles, Dan has worked extensively with investment banks, retail banks, hedge funds, private equity firms, family offices, and insurance company and has completed more than 500 search and leadership consulting assignments since joining the firm. He has played a critical role in building the firm's relationship with many of the world's leading financial institutions and as head of Heidrick's global strategic accounts, he is tasked with guiding the firm to deliver its full suite of leadership and advisory solutions to clients in a holistic manner. One of the core values of Heidrick & Struggles is that they work as one firm and succeed through collaboration, inclusion, and by valuing diverse points of view. I can not think of anyone in his field that better exemplifies these values than Dan Ryan. It is my pleasure to present Dan with this award. |