

Congress of the United States
Washington, DC 20515

March 1, 2013

Dear Colleague,

It is our honor to invite you to a Congressional Gold Medal Ceremony honoring Professor Muhammad Yunus in the Rotunda of the United States Capitol.

Congressional Gold Medal Ceremony
honoring
Professor Muhammad Yunus
Wednesday, April 17, 2013
11:00 a.m.
Rotunda
United States Capitol

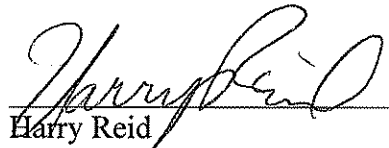
Professor Yunus is recognized internationally for his contributions to the fight against global poverty. As the founder of the Grameen Bank, he developed the concept of microcredit to create economic and social development. His work, for which he was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize, created a model of lending that has been emulated across the globe.

We invite all Members of Congress to join us for this historic ceremony. This is a ticketed event; however, Members of Congress will not need a ticket to attend. The event is for Members and invited guests only. We ask all Members to please respond to your respective Chambers to ensure reserved seating. House Members may respond to BoehnerRSVP@mail.house.gov; Senate Members may respond to (202) 224-2341.

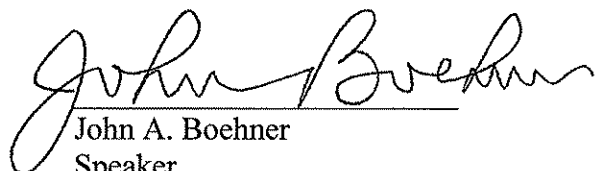
Should you have questions or require additional information, feel free to contact Ramsey Ratcliffe, Office of the Speaker, at (202) 225-0500 or Becky Daugherty, Senate Sergeant at Arms, (202) 224-2341.

We sincerely hope you are able to attend as we honor Professor Yunus.

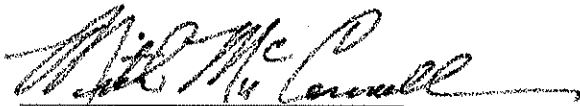
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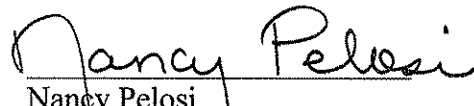
Harry Reid
Majority Leader
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John A. Boehner
Speaker
U.S. House of Representatives



Mitch McConnell
Republican Leader
U.S. Senate



Nancy Pelosi
Democratic Leader
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