

## **Attention Editors & Reporters**

**The Economic Club of Washington, D.C. welcomes**

**Laurence D. Fink**  
**Chairman and CEO, BlackRock, Inc.**

Described as one of the most powerful in global finance, Mr. Fink leads a firm that manages more money than any other investment firm in the world, with more than \$5 trillion in assets under management. Mr. Fink will participate in a conversation-style interview with David Rubenstein, President of the Economic Club of Washington, D.C. They are expected to discuss, among other things, the state of the U.S. and Global economies, the stock market, and corporate tax reform.

**When: Wednesday, April 12, 2017**

Reception 6:00 p.m.  
Dinner 7:00 p.m.  
Program 7:45 p.m.

**All Television Cameras Must Be Set Up By 7:00 p.m.**

**Where:** JW Marriott Washington, DC  
Grand Ballroom  
1331 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC

### **MEDIA MUST PRE-REGISTER, CONTACT:**

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