<u>Press Releases: Under Secretary</u> Shannon Travels to Vietnam

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Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs Thomas A. Shannon will travel to Danang, Vietnam, November 7-9. Under Secretary Shannon will lead the Department of State delegation to the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) Ministerial Meeting and engage in discussions with other member economies on APEC's work to promote free and fair trade; encourage inclusive growth; strengthen the competitiveness of micro, small, and medium enterprises; and enhance food security. He will also meet with women entrepreneurs and business leaders to highlight U.S. efforts to advance women's economic participation in the region.

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