At the same time, the differences in the cultures, economies, technologies and educational structures of our three countries must be taken into account. They can be sources of enrichment and enhancement.

The Task Force offers its recommendations for serious consideration by the Symposium, and invites critiques and alternative proposals for actions that participants may wish to bring forward. By significantly enlarging the number of participants in the dialogue begun at Wingspread, the Vancouver Symposium takes one step further in the development of a North American consciousness open to the world. The actions to emerge from the Symposium will translate that consciousness into concrete terms.