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CBS NEWS/60 MINUTES' MIKE WALLACE CHALLENGES THE WORLD'S GREATEST MINDS TO PREDICT THE FUTURE IN THE NEW BOOK: Years From Today

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- Abdulla Salem El-Badri, Secretary General of OPEC
- Craig Newmark, Craigslist founder and Internet pioneer
- **Steven Beckwith**, Astronomer and Director of the Space Telescope Science Institute at John Hopkins University, which runs the science operations for the Hubble Telescope
- Richard Dawkins, Professor and Evolutionary Biologist at Oxford University.

"Predicting the future with any certainty isn't easy," says Wallace. "When I asked some of the most ingenious people on the planet, the answers I received were as unexpected as they were visionary. It is my hope that *The Way We'll Be 50 Years From Today* will long be a template for debate and discussion on the pressing issues and discoveries that lie ahead,"

ABOUT MIKE WALLACE

Mike Wallace has been a CBS NEWS/60 Minutes Correspondent and Co-editor and now Correspondent Emeritus, since its premiere on Sept. 24, 1968. Among his recent journalistic triumphs was his headlinemaking sit-down with Mahmoud Ahmadinejad, the president of Iran, in Aug. '06, which won him his 21st Emmy award. His awards and honors include a Lifetime Achievement Emmy, three Alfred I. duPont-Columbia University Awards, three George Foster Peabody Awards and a Robert F. Kennedy Journalism Award in the international broadcast category. In June '91, he was inducted into the Television Academy Hall of Fame and, in Sept. 1991, and was named Broadcaster of the Year by the International Radio and Television Society in 1993. Wallace was born May 9, 1918, in Brookline, Mass. He graduated from the University of Michigan in 1939 with a B.A. degree. He has a son, Chris, a journalist with FOX News, a daughter, Pauline, and lives in New York with his wife, Mary.

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