



*11th Annual*  
PRINCIPLED LEADERSHIP SYMPOSIUM

MARCH  
*22 & 23*  
2018



CELEBRATING 175 YEARS *of* PRINCIPLED LEADERSHIP

*From the*  
**PRESIDENT**  
LIEUTENANT GENERAL JOHN W. ROSA, USAF (RET.), '73



Welcome to The Citadel and our 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Principled Leadership Symposium. Over the next two days, you will hear from a variety of distinguished speakers and panelists on our theme: 175 Years of Principled Leadership.

This year's symposium culminates a major milestone in Citadel history – the founding of The Citadel. Since 1842, The Citadel has produced distinguished alumni for military service, the academy, business, medicine and politics. Citadel graduates have excelled in every endeavor, and led in our communities at the local, state and national level.

There is much to celebrate and participate in during the symposium. Panels and discussions on student scholarship and achievement in student research, internships, international education, service learning and civic engagement are at the heart of the symposium, along with project poster presentations and other hands-on activities. On Friday, Citadel cadets, along with

evening undergraduate and graduate students, will share their perspectives on research and experiential learning activities. Editors of our literary magazine *The Gold Star Journal* will examine the cross-disciplinary papers from this year's volume. You can also join a walking tour of historic Hampton Park or participate in an ancient Greek battle demonstration – complete with spears and shields – on Summerall Field, at the center of campus.

I also call your attention to a presentation by members of the Class of 1971 remembering their classmate Joe Shine, the second African-American graduate of The Citadel. Joe's classmates discuss the challenge of being cadets during the turbulent era of racial desegregation. It's a powerful examination of The Citadel's complex history.

We are delighted you are here to participate in our special anniversary celebration and hope you take time to enjoy all Charleston offers. Thank you for attending our 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Principled Leadership Symposium.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John W. Rosa". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

# *Special* THANKS

*Gay & Bill Krause '63 • Jan & Ed Newton '63 • Rita & Steve McManus '64*

*Debbie & Kevin Elmore '74 • Gwendolyn & Bobby Chestnut '89*

## THE PRINCIPLED LEADERSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE CLASS OF 1969

*Ginger & Andy Anderson • Jeanette & Steve Bloss • Jean & Furman Brodie*

*Sarah & Greg Dyson • Lynette & John Fairlamb • Hollis & Bob Fullerton*

*Harriet & Jim Gettys • Christa & David Hornbaker • Teresa & Al Jacobs*

*Dorothy & Don Johnson • Paula & Dennis McConnell*

*Sandra & Robert Nettles • Linda & Russ Olson • Joe Owens*

*Charles Small • Carmela & Joe Trez • Sharon & Richard Vernon*

## *In* MEMORY *of*

THE MEMBERS OF THE CLASS OF 1969 WHO DIED SERVING OUR COUNTRY

*Chris Clearwaters ★ Joe Eubanks ★ Rick Repole*

## *Thank you to our* SPONSORS



*Thursday*  
**SCHEDULE**  
MARCH 22, 2018

8:00 – 9:00

**REGISTRATION AND BREAKFAST** (*Buyer Auditorium*)

9:00 – 9:15

**WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS** (*Buyer Auditorium*)

**Lieutenant General John W. Rosa**, '73, USAF, Ret., President of The Citadel

9:15 – 10:00

**PRESENTATION** (*Buyer Auditorium*)

**Mr. Sean Naylor**, Journalist and Author of *Relentless Strike: The Secret History of Joint Special Operations Command*

Introduction by **Dr. Bo Moore**, Dean of the School of Humanities and Social Sciences

10:00 – 10:45

**ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSIONS** (*Buyer Auditorium*)

11:15 – 11:30

**KRAUSE CENTER AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE, LEADERSHIP & ETHICS** (*McAlister Field House*)

**Lieutenant General Mike Steele**, '67, USA, Ret.

Introduction by **Mr. Bill Krause**, '63, President, LWK Ventures

11:30 – 12:10

**GREATER ISSUES ADDRESS KEYNOTE SPEAKER**

(*McAlister Field House*)

**Colonel Randy Bresnik**, '89, NASA Astronaut and U.S. Marine Corps Aviator

Introduction by **Lieutenant General John W. Rosa**

12:15 – 1:00

**SYMPOSIUM GUESTS LUNCHEON** (*Buyer Auditorium*)

1:00 – 2:45

**DISTINGUISHED LEADER PANELS**

**INNOVATION AT THE INTERSECTION OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY**

**School of Science and Mathematics Panel** (*Bond Hall 165*)

**Dr. John Weinstein**, Interim Dean of the School of Science and Mathematics

**Dr. Daniel Bornstein**, Assistant Professor of Department of Health, Exercise and Sport Science, Moderator, The Citadel

**Dr. Dena P. Garner**, Director, Undergraduate Research Office, The Citadel

**Dr. D. Michael Johns**, '72, Windward Environmental LLC

**Mr. Luther "Luke" C. Kissam**, '86, Chairman, President & Chief Executive Officer, Albemarle Corporation

**Dr. Willie E. May**, Former Director and Under Secretary of the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST)

**Mr. Brian Roach**, Managing Director, U.S. Regulated Industries, SAP North America

**175 YEARS OF PRINCIPLED ENGINEERING LEADERSHIP**

**School of Engineering Panel** (*Jenkins Hall Auditorium*)

**Dr. Ron Welch**, P.E., Dean of the School of Engineering, Moderator

**Major General Carroll LeTellier**, '49, USA, Ret., P.E., Former Vice President, Sverdrup Corporation

**Brigadier General M.L. Love**, '62, USAR, Ret., President, Civil Engineering BOD, Loring K. Himelright Scholarship Fund

**Mr. Larry Melton**, '84, Principal Vice President, Bechtel Corporation

**Mr. Marc R. Tye**, '82, P.E., Executive Vice President & Chief Operating Officer, Santee Cooper

**Ms. Maria Urrechaga**, '95 Evening, President, Today's Global Partners

# Thursday SCHEDULE

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3:00 – 4:45

## SO, YOU WANT TO BE A SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT? LEADERSHIP LESSONS LEARNED ON THE JOB BY CITADEL ALUMNI AND COMMUNITY PARTNERS

**Zucker Family School of Education Panel** (*Grimsley Hall, Copeland Auditorium*)

**Dr. Larry Daniel**, Dean of the Zucker Family School of Education

**Dr. R. Kent Murray**, Professor of Educational Leadership, Moderator

**Dr. Sean Alford**, Superintendent of Education, Aiken County Public School District

**Mr. Joseph Pye**, Superintendent of Education, Dorchester School District Two

**Dr. Morris Ravenell**, Superintendent of Education, Dorchester School District Four

## CHANGE THROUGH INNOVATION

**Tommy and Victoria Baker School of Business Panel** (*Bond Hall 165*)

**Dr. Ron Green**, Interim Dean of the Tommy and Victoria Baker School of Business

**Dr. James Bezjian**, Assistant Professor of Entrepreneurship and Director, Business Innovation Lab, The Citadel, Moderator

**Dr. Jacob Mintzer**, Executive Director and Chief Research and Innovation Officer, Roper St. Francis Research and Innovation

**Mr. James Phelan**, Chief Financial Officer, The Ratkovich Company

**Dr. Harvey W. Schiller**, USAF, Ret., '60, Chairman, Schiller Management Group (SMG) and Renew Merchandise, Vice Chairman, Diversified Search

# Friday SCHEDULE

MARCH 23, 2018

7:00 – 7:50

**BREAKFAST** (*Buyer Auditorium*)

8:00 – 12:15

## CELEBRATION OF STUDENT EXCELLENCE

### Student Excellence Panel And Poster Sessions

In Research, Internships, International Education, STEM, Humanities and Social Sciences, Service Learning & Civic Engagement

8:00 – 9:15

**PANEL / POSTER SESSION A** (*see insert for locations*)

9:30 – 10:45

**PANEL / POSTER SESSION B** (*see insert for locations*)

11:00 – 12:15

**PANEL / POSTER SESSION C** (*see insert for locations*)

12:30 – 1:30

## CADET FORMATION AND LUNCH

(*Coward Hall*)

12:30 – 2:00

## STUDENT EXCELLENCE AWARDS & GUEST LUNCHEON

(*McAlister Field House*)



# Guest Speakers

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**MR. SEAN NAYLOR** is the author of *Relentless Strike: The Secret History of Joint Special Operations Command* and *Not a Good Day to Die: The Untold Story of Operation Anaconda*, both of which were *New York Times* bestsellers. Sean was



a reporter for *Army Times* (1990 to 2013), covering special operations forces, combat operations, exercises, training, readiness, force modernization and the Army's senior leadership. He spent time as an embedded reporter in Somalia, Haiti, Bosnia, Albania, Macedonia, Kosovo, Afghanistan and Iraq. He was the intelligence and counterterrorism correspondent for *Foreign Policy* from January to August 2015. Since 2014, he has also been a contributing reporter for the *New York Times*, including work on an in-depth investigation of SEAL Team 6 that won the 2015 George Polk award for military reporting. He is now a contributing writer for *Newsweek*.

Sean received his bachelor's degree in journalism from Boston University in 1988 and a Master of Arts in international relations from the same institution in 1990.

Born in Canada, and raised in England and Ireland, Sean became a U.S. citizen in 2000.

## **COL RANDY JAMES "KOMRADE" BRESNIK**

Randy "Komrade" Bresnik is a NASA astronaut and a former U.S. Marine Corps Colonel. He was born in Ft. Knox, Kentucky, but considers Santa Monica, California, where he graduated from high school, to be his hometown. Bresnik received a Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics from The Citadel in 1989. A U.S. Marine Corps scholarship recipient, he was a Dean's List and Gold Star student, and received several Citadel and President's scholarships. He graduated in 1989, and was commissioned as an officer into the Marine Corps. While a Marine, Bresnik earned a Master of Science in Aviation Systems from the University of Tennessee in 2002, and graduated from the Air War College in 2008. In May of 2004, Bresnik was among the elite few to be selected out of approximately 4,000 applicants to become one of the 11 members of NASA's Astronaut Class 9. He completed his astronaut candidate training in February 2006, becoming the first graduate of The Citadel to fly in space. His first space flight was aboard the Space Shuttle on STS-129. He has also trained as a Cave-a-naut with the European Space Agency to test living deep beneath the Earth's surface as well as an Aquanaut for NASA's Extreme Environment Mission Operation (NEEMO) 19. Bresnik most recently served as the Commander of the International Space Station for Expedition 53 and as Flight Engineer for Expedition 52.



## **LTG MIKE STEELE**

graduated from The Citadel in 1967. He served in numerous operational commands throughout his career. He served as Commanding General of the 82nd Airborne Division at Fort Bragg, and led the Division during Operation Uphold Democracy, which toppled Haiti's military regime in 1994. Beginning in 1996, he served as Commanding General, U. S. Army Pacific. His final assignment was Commanding General, U. S. Army Combined Arms Center. Following retirement in 2001, he served in the domestic and international defense industry, leading programs for leader development, military training, and advanced technology weapon systems. He is a past Chairman of The Citadel BOV and currently serves on The Citadel Foundation Board of Directors. He and his wife Pam live on Seabrook Island, SC.





## *Student Excellence* **PROGRAMMING** FRIDAY 8:00 – 12:15 (SEE INSERT)

Across the eleven-year evolution of The Citadel's Principled Leadership Symposium, one of the highlights has been the opportunity to share ideas and leadership development strategies across disciplines, campuses, and academic-corporate-military-community boundaries. Conference delegates, alumni, community guests, faculty, and staff are invited to attend sessions to enrich our conversations about best practices in life-long leadership development and community engagement. Join The Citadel as we celebrate our future world-changers and be inspired by their determination to make a difference. On Friday morning you can choose from dozens of seventy-five minute panels, presentations, and demonstrations selected to showcase high impact practices that engage students in deeper levels of growth, communication, exploration, innovation, and cross-cultural exchange.

### **STUDENT EXCELLENCE PANELS AND POSTER SESSIONS**

All poster sessions will be held in Deas Hall. Panel sessions will be located throughout campus. Please see insert for specific locations.

### **DIRECTORS AND COORDINATORS FOR STUDENT EXCELLENCE PROGRAMMING**

- **Ms. Gervais Hagerty Del Porto**, *Director, Public Speaking Lab*
- **Dr. Dena Garner**, *Director, Undergraduate Research*
- **Dr. Julie A. Lipovsky**, *ABPP, Assistant Provost for Diversity Initiatives*
- **Dr. Suzanne Mabrouk**, *Advisor and Founder, The Gold Star Journal*
- **Dr. Conway Saylor**, *Director, Service Learning and Civic Engagement*
- **Dr. Zane Segle**, *Director, Office of Study Abroad, International, and Domestic Programs*
- **Ms. Page Tisdale**, *Director, The Citadel Career Center*
- **Dr. Ron Welch**, *Dean of the School of Engineering*

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