AWARDS BANQUET

The annual Awards Banquet will be held on Wednesday evening, February 11, 2009 from 6:00pm - 9:00pm. The following awards will be presented this year:

RYLANDER AWARD

The Rylander Award, our most prestigious award, is presented annually to an individual who has made distinctive contributions in the areas of Special Operations or Low Intensity Conflict. Selection criteria include not only singular achievements but career and lifetime contributions in support of Special Operations and Low Intensity Conflict. In the spirit of R. Lynn Rylander's service, contributions must have been of the highest impact – significant and lasting – to the SO/LIC community and in consonance with the goals and objectives of NDIA and the SO/LIC Division.

DEPROSPERO LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

This award is presented annually to an individual who has made distinctive contributions in the areas of Special Operations or Low Intensity Conflict over a period of many years, i.e., over a "lifetime." This award is a level below the Rylander, but senior to Achievement Awards and recognizes sustained, distinguished service.

ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

These awards are intended to recognize individuals who have made significant and lasting contributions (singular acts or cumulative service) in the areas of Special Operations or Low Intensity Conflict, which are distinctive, but at a level below the Rylander or DeProspero Awards. Service in any capacity – combat, support or otherwise – is considered without deference to a particular category and nominations will be reviewed accordingly.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2009

7:00am – 6:30pm Registration Open

7:00am – 8:00am Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall

8:00am – 8:15am Welcome and Opening Remarks

▶ MG Kenneth Bowra, USA (Ret), Chairman, NDIA SO/LIC Division

MG Barry Bates, USA (Ret), Vice President, Operations, NDIA

8:15am – 9:00am Keynote Address

▶ ADM Eric Olson, USN, Commander, USSOCOM

9:00am – 9:30am Break in Exhibit Hall

9:30am - 11:30am PANEL 1: REGIONAL VIEWS OF PERSISTENT CONFLICT

Moderator: COL Chris Haas, USA, Director, USSOCOM Legislative Affairs Panelists:

► LTC Charles Miller, Jr., USSOCCENT

▶ LTC Brian Petit, USA, Commander of 2-1 SFG(A), USSOCPAC

▶ USSOCSOUTH Representative

► USEUCOM Representative

11:30am - 1:00pm Lunch in Exhibit Hall

1:00pm – 2:30pm PANEL 2: TECHNOLOGY AND PERSISTENT CONFLICT

Moderator: Dr. Maren Leed, Policy Analyst, RAND Corporation Panelists:

Col Hondo Gertz, USAF, USSOCOM SOAL

Mr. William Shepherd, Science Advisor, USSOCOM

 Mr. Richard Higgins, Program Manager, Technical Support Working Group, CTTSO/IWSP

Mr. Bill Natter, Professional Staff Member, House Armed Services Committee

White Paper Presenter: Dr. Miles A. Libbey, III, Director of the Advanced Solutions Team, New Venture Group, Lockheed Martin MS2

2:30pm - 3:00pm Break in Exhibit Hall

3:00pm – 5:00pm PANEL 3: VIEWS FROM THE PRACTITIONERS

Moderator: COL Kevin McDonnell, USA, Director, USSOCOM Washington Office Panelists:

► HQ AFSOC/CC Representative

► MARSOC Representative

NAVSPECWARCOM Representative

► USASOC Representative

5:00pm - 6:30pm Reception in Exhibit Hall

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2009

7:00am – 6:00pm Registration Open

7:00am – 8:00am Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall

8:00am – 8:05am Welcome and Administrative Remarks

MG Kenneth Bowra, USA (Ret), Chairman, NDIA SO/LIC Division

8:05am – 9:30am PANEL 4: PERSISTENT CONFLICT AND THE HUMAN DIMENSION

Moderator: Ms. Sally Downelly, Special Assistant, Office of the City

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- ► Honorable Jeff Miller (R, FL), 1st District
- COL Craig Vest, USA, J1, USSOCOM
- COL Rocky Farr, USA, Command Surgeon, USSOCOM
- Mr. Jim Lorraine, Director of Care Coalition, USSOCOM
- White Paper Presenter: Mr. Sam Miess, Principal Staff, Concurrent Technologies Corp.

9:30am - 10:00am Break in Exhibit Hall

10:00am – 12:00pm PANEL 5: STRATEGIES FOR PERSISTENT CONFLICT

Moderator: COL Joe Osborne, USA, Director, Irregular Warfare J10, USSOCOM SOKF

Panelists

Mr. William J. Miller, J5, Director, Strategy, Plans and Policy, USSOCOM
 Ms. Linda Robinson, Author, Masters of Chaos and Tell Me How This Ends

Mr. Vikram Singh, Director, Center for a New American Security

White Paper Presenter: Mr. Sean Naylor, Senior Correspondent, Army Times; Author, Not A Good Day to Die

12:00pm – 1:30pm Lunch in Exhibit Hall

1:30pm – 2:15pm Keynote Address

Gen Norton Schwartz, USAF, Chief of Staff, U.S. Air Force

2:15pm – 2:45pm Break in Exhibit Hall

2:45pm – 4:45pm PANEL 6: MEETING THE CHALLENGE OF PERSISTENT CONFLICT THROUGH EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Moderator: Dr. Brian Maher, President, Joint Special Operations University

Panelists:

MG Thomas Csrnko, USA, Commander, USASOC/SWC

CAPT Chuck Lockett, USN, Senior Education Programs, Joint Special Operations University

▶ BG David Grange, Jr., USA (Ret), President & CEO, McCormick Foundation

White Paper Presenter: Ambassador (Ret) David C. Litt, Executive Director, Center for Stabilization and Economic

Reconstruction, Institute for Defense and Business

5:00pm - 6:00pm Reception in Exhibit Hall

6:00pm – 9:00pm Awards Banquet with Guest Speaker

ADM Michael Mullen, USN, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2009

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7:00am – 8:00am Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall

8:00am – 8:05am Welcome and Administrative Remarks

MG Kenneth Bowra, USA (Ret), Chairman, NDIA SO/LIC Division

8:05am – 8:50am Keynote Address

 Honorable Michael Vickers, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Special Operations, Low Intensity Conflict and Interdependent Capabilities

8:50am – 10:50am PANEL 7: INTERAGENCY PERSPECTIVES

Moderator: LTG Frank Kearney, USA, Deputy Commander, USSOCOM

Panelists:

LTG Ronald Burgess, Jr., USA, Director of Intelligence Staff, Office of the Director of National Intelligence

Honorable James Locher, III, former ASD SO/LIC; Executive Director, Project on National Security Reform

Ambassador Dell Dailey, Coordinator for Counterterrorism, Department of State

BG Scott Miller, USA, J3, Deputy Director, Special Operations, The Joint Staff

10:50am - 11:20am Break in Exhibit Hall

Last Chance to View Exhibits

11:20am – 12:20pm Lunch with Keynote Speaker

▶ GEN Barry McCaffrey, USA (Ret), President, BR McCaffrey Associates, LLC

12:20pm – 12:30pm Closing Remarks

MG Kenneth Bowra, USA (Ret), Chairman, NDIA SO/LIC Division

12:30pm Symposium Adjourned

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Monday, February 9 1:00pm - 7:00pm

Exhibit Hours

Tuesday, February 10 7:00am - 6:30pm

Wednesday, February 11 7:00am - 6:00pm

Thursday, February 12 7:00am - 11:20am

VEO Hours

*Sessions and meal functions excluded. Thursday, February 12 8:00am - 11:20am

Move Out

Thursday, February 12 11:20am - 7:00pm

NOTE

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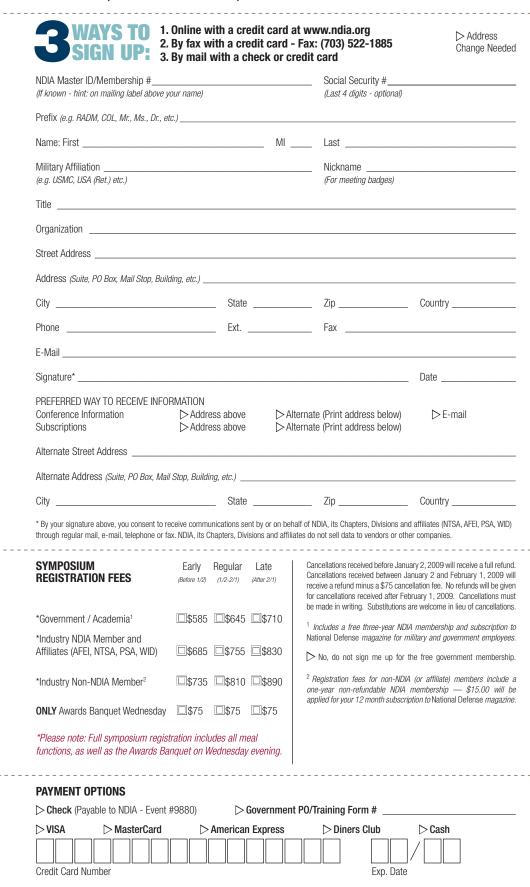
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