

# Gen Henry "HAP" Arnold



The lecture series is named in honor of General Henry H. "Hap" Arnold, a pioneer airman who was taught to fly by the Wright brothers. The general commanded the Army Air Forces to victory over Germany and Japan in World War II. Three years after retiring in 1946, General Arnold was appointed the first "general of the Air Force," five-star rank, by the U.S. Congress.

**"We must think in terms of tomorrow."**

- H.H. Arnold, Global Mission



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### PERSPECTIVES ON NATIONAL GRAND STRATEGY



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Encouraging dialogue on national security strategy between personnel and students of the Air War College and the public.



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**Lieutenant Colonel Brian Anderson**  
**Panel Member, US Air Force Reserve**

Lt Col Anderson holds a bachelor's in Military History from the U.S. Air Force Academy, a Master of Human Relations from the University of Oklahoma, and a Master of Military Operational Art and Science from the Air Command and Staff College. He served as a security forces officer in Korea and Germany and as a force support officer on the Air Staff. He was also Assistant Professor of Military Strategic Studies at the U.S. Air Force Academy. His military awards include the Meritorious Service Medal and Air Force Commendation Medal.



**Colonel Christopher M. Bado**  
**Panel Member, US Army**

COL Bado holds a Bachelor's in Mathematics and Economics from the University of California, Santa Barbara, a Masters in National Security Studies from the Naval Postgraduate School and a Graduate Certificate in National Security Policy from the University of Maryland's School of Public Policy. His military experience includes more than 23 years in a wide variety of strategic and operational assignments including duty as a professor at West Point and two combat tours in Iraq. His military awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Ranger Tab and Advanced Parachutist Badge.



**Colonel J. Jay Updegraff**  
**Panel Member, US Air Force**

Colonel Jay Updegraff is a graduate of the U.S. Air Force Academy and earned a Master's Degree in Engineering Mechanics from the Ohio State University. He is a Distinguished Graduate from the Air Command and Staff College and also a graduate of the U.S. Army School of Advanced Military Studies at Ft. Leavenworth, KS. A Command Pilot with 3,700 flight hours in the KC-10 Extender air refueling aircraft and C-5 Galaxy cargo aircraft, Colonel Updegraff served as the Commander of the 817th Global Mobility Squadron and also served on the staff at U.S. Northern Command.

## Schedule of Events

**Format: Panel Members Present National Security Perspectives:**

- 1) An assertive grand strategy
- 2) A liberal internationalist grand strategy
- 3) A grand strategy of restraint

**Q&A following presentations**



**Colonel Jeffrey J. Smith**  
**Panel Faculty Advisor, USAF**

Colonel Smith is the Chair of the International Security Studies Department at the US Air Force Air War College. He joined the Air War College faculty in August 2010 following completion of his doctorate degree at Washington State University. While completing his doctorate, he studied International Relations, Global Security, and Comparative Politics and his dissertation research focused on future USAF organizational change. He is a pilot with over 2,500 flying hours and has served in numerous command and staff positions to include three squadron commands, USAF mathematics professor, and Deputy Director of Concepts Strategy and Wargaming Division (Skunk Works), Headquarters USAF. He has operational experience in the Middle East and Africa and has earned three masters degrees and a PhD. Col Smith attended Air Command and Staff College in 2001 and the School of Advanced Air and Space Studies in 2002. His professional and academic interests are in USAF organizational change, international relations, US foreign policy, global security challenges, and terrorism.

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