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MEDIA ADVISORY

Deputy Defense Secretary to Speak at NPS

Date/Time:
Friday, Feb. 22 4:00 p.m.

Location:
King Hall, NPS

Dr. Paul Wolfowitz, Deputy Secretary of Defense, will speak to students and faculty at the Naval Postgraduate School on Friday, February 22, at 4 p.m. Wolfowitz's talk -- which will focus on the war on terror, defense budget, and defense transformation -- will be open to media.

Wolfowitz was Dean of the The Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies prior to his appointment last year as the Deputy Secretary of Defense. He has served in previous administrations as Under Secretary of Defense for Policy, U.S. Ambassador to Indonesia, and Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs. Additional biographical details are available at http://www.defenselink.mil/bios/depsecdef_bio.html.

The mission of the Naval Postgraduate School is to enhance U.S. national security through graduate and executive education programs focusing on the unique needs of military leaders, with research and advanced studies directed towards the needs of the Navy and DOD. "Our goals are to increase the combat effectiveness of the armed forces of the U.S. and its allies, and to contribute to fundamental scientific, engineering, policy, and operational advances that support the Navy, DOD, and other national security establishments," says NPS Superintendent Rear Adm. David R. Ellison. NPS students come from all U.S. services and the services of nearly 45 countries. For additional information, see <http://www.nps.navy.mil>.

Media who wish to cover the event should:

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Allow time for security screening and parking – arrive NLT 3:30 p.m.

Provide press credentials and photo identification

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