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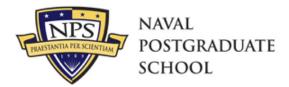
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## FINAL: 23 March 2014

## NPS Littoral Operations Center Inaugural WARGAME PLANNING SESSION

Date:	25 March 2014
Location:	NPS / Reed Hall 101-102 and vicinity (VIP Lounge @ Ingersoll 278)
Primary audience:	NPS Faculty & Students, Invited Speakers & Observers
Purpose: Classification: Dress:	Develop focus, data and issues for NPS Operational Wargaming of Joint and Combined Expeditionary and Security Operations in Littoral Scenarios; prepare NPS for inclusion in NWC Wargames, and At-Sea Exercises & Experimentation; consider LCS and "LCS-Next" employment and flotilla design for wargaming. UNCLAS / Not for Attribution Business Casual ("as for class")

## **AGENDA**

### 24 MARCH 2014

1800-2000:Reception / IcebreakerHost:Surface Navy Association, NPS Chapter / Herrmann Hall Tower Room

### 25 MARCH 2014

0700-0800: Registration [Coffee & snacks available at Del Monte Café, Knox Library Starbucks] 0800-0815: **Opening, Introductions, Administrative Notes:** Dr. Kalev I. Sepp 0815-0820: Welcome: Vice Admiral Ronald Route, USN (ret.), President of NPS **Keynote address:** 0820-0845: "A Multi-Faceted Problem" Captain Wayne Hughes, USN (ret.), Dean Emeritus, NPS 0845-0900: **The NPS Littoral Operations Center:** Dr. Kalev I. Sepp Part One: THE LITTORALS: WHY WE CARE 0900-1015: Moderator: Dr. Henrik Friman Speakers: • Prof. John Arquilla, Chair of NPS Defense Analysis Dept. RAdm. Goran Larsbrink, Royal Swedish Navy (ret.) 1015-1030: Break

#### 1030-1145: Part Two: OPERATIONAL CHALLENGES IN THE LITTORALS

Moderator: Mr. Dakota Wood, Heritage Foundation Speakers:

- Captain Wayne Hughes (USN, ret.), Dean Emeritus
- Lt. Cmdr. Bagus Jatmiko, Indonesian Navy (NPS student)
- Col. Joe Marello, USMC / MARSOC Deputy Commander
- RAdm. Goran Larsbrink, Royal Swedish Navy (ret.)

### 1145-1150: **Participants' Group Photo**

#### 1150-1230: Lunch

[Food & drink available at Del Monte Café, Knox Library Starbucks, El Prado Cafeteria]

1230-1300: Address: "Expeditionary Force 21 Capstone Concept" LtCol Ford Phillips & Mr. George Pointon, USMC Ellis Group

#### 1300-1415: Part Three: TECHNOLOGICAL CHALLENGES IN THE LITTORALS

Moderator: Prof. Geraldo Ferrer, NPS GSBPP, Logistics Speakers:

- Dr. Stan Pendergrass, DUSN PPO&I
- Dr. Mike Harper, ONR-Global
- Prof. Don Brutzman, NPS Undersea Warfare & MOVES (video)
- Lieut. Michael Chesnut, USS *Fort Worth* (LCS-3)
- Capt. Bo Wallander, Royal Swedish Navy (ret.)
- 1415-1430: Break
- 1430-1500: **Part Four: NPS WARGAMING & RESEARCH** Speaker: Prof. Jeff Kline
- 1500-1615:Review & Discussion of Wargame Planning Session:<br/>Capt. Bo Wallander (RSwN, ret.) Rapporteur & Ringmaster
- 1615-1630: Closing Remarks & Announcement of LCS Innovation Workshop: Captain Michael Smith, RANR, & Dr. Kalev I. Sepp