

2021 Cyber Law Symposium

The Changing Character of War

The Symposium will take place Thursday 13 May on ZoomGov

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Event Organizers

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Event Schedule (all times are CST)

0745-0800: Opening Remarks

Commandant and Course Director

0800-1000: Lawfare Panel

Moderated by: Lt Col Jeffrey Garber, Chief of the AFJAGS Operations and International Law Division

Speakers: Maj Gen (Ret.) and Prof Charles Dunlap, Prof Orde Kittrie, and Col (Ret.) and Prof Adam Oler

1015-1215: AI and the Law of War Panel

Moderated by: Maj Skylar Streetman, Instructor in the AFJAGS Operations and International Law Division

Speakers: The Honorable James Baker, Col Walter "Frank" Coppersmith, and LtCol Alan Schuller

1345-1545: Cyber Proxies Panel

Moderated by: Col Anthony Bell, Chief of the U.S. Air Force Cyberspace and Information Law Division

Speakers: Prof Laurie Blank, Prof Eric Talbot Jensen, and Ms. Erin Wirtanen

1545-1600: Closing Remarks

Commandant and Course Director

For questions related to the Symposium, please contact:

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Event Participants



The Honorable James Baker

Professor of Law at Syracuse University's College of Law and Director of the Institute for Security Policy and Law, former Chief Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Armed Forces, and author of "The Centaur's Dilemma: National Security law for the Coming AI Revolution".



Professor Laurie Blank

Professor of Law and director of the International Humanitarian Law Clinic at Emory University and co-author of "International Law and Armed Conflict: Fundamental Principles and Contemporary Challenges in the Law of War".



Colonel Walter "Frank" Coppersmith

Air Force Reservist attached to the U.S. Air Force Operations and International Law Directorate in the Office of the Judge Advocate General, formerly assigned to U.S. Cyber Command, and currently the Chief Executive Officer of Smarter Reality, Inc.



Major General (Ret.) and Professor Charles Dunlap, Jr.

Former Deputy Judge Advocate General of the United States Air Force JAG Corps and current Professor of Law and Executive Director of the Center on Law, Ethics, and National Security at Duke University's Law School.



Lieutenant Colonel (Ret.) and Professor Eric Talbot Jensen

Professor of Law at Brigham Young University, faculty at the Global Cyber Institute, and former member of the United States Army Judge Advocate General's Corps.



Professor Orde Kittrie

Senior Fellow at the Foundation for the Defense of Democracies, Professor of Law at Arizona State University and the Director of The College of Law's Washington Legal Externship Program, and author of "Lawfare: Law as a Weapon of War".



Colonel (Ret.) and Professor Adam Oler

Former Legal Advisor to the Commander, U.S. Air Forces Central Command, co-author of National Defense University's "National Security Primer", and current Associate Professor and Department Chair at the National War College.



Lieutenant Colonel Alan Schuller

Staff Judge Advocate for U.S. Marine Corps Training Command, fellow at the Georgetown Center on National Security and the Law, and former Associate Director of the Stockton Center for the Study of International Law at the U.S. Naval War College.



Ms. Erin Wirtanen

Chief Counsel for the Center for Cyber Intelligence for the Central Intelligence Agency, Professor at the George Mason University International Security Studies Master's Program, and former member of the United States Air Force Judge Advocate General's Corps.

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