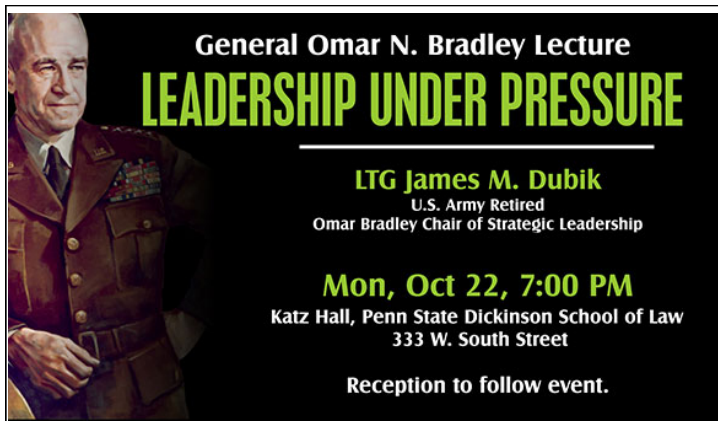


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Retired Gen. James M. Dubik, the current General Omar N. Bradley Chair in Strategic Leadership, will discuss the strategic mistakes made in Iraq during a lecture Oct. 22 at 7 p.m. at the Dickinson College Lewis Katz Hall, 333 W. South Street in Carlisle.

During his talk, Dubik will also discuss the myths that are partly responsible for these mistakes, the transformation that turned Iraq from a strategic failure to a strategic opportunity, and how the U.S. should incorporate its experience in Iraq in addressing current ongoing events in the Middle East and North Africa.

Dickinson College, Penn State University and U.S. Army War College are co-sponsors of this event.

The General Omar N. Bradley Chair in Strategic Leadership is a joint faculty appointment among the United States Army War College, Dickinson College, and Penn State University Dickinson School of Law and School of International Affairs.

As the Bradley Chair, Dubik participates in academic life at all three schools. Through classes, lectures, and participation in exercises and studies, he is expected to deepen each school's curriculum, stimulate thinking and exchange with faculty, and enrich student experiences at each institution.

The three schools select the Bradley Chair to represent a range of communities, including business, military, politics and academia. Each field plays a critical role in guiding students' understanding of leadership, from the perspective of liberal arts and sciences at Dickinson, law and international affairs at Penn State, and in the environment of international security studies at the Army War College.

Dubik is currently teaching an Army War College elective, "Contemporary Challenges to Modern War

Theory.”

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Dubik was commissioned an Infantry officer following graduation from Gannon University in 1971. He held leadership and command positions around the world. He commanded U.S. and Multinatioinal forces in northern Haiti during Operation Uphold Democracy, was deputy commanding general for Task Force Eagle and Multinational Division North in Bosnia-Herzegovina during Operation Joint Forge, and commanded the 25th Infantry Division in Hawaii. Dubik also was an associate professor of Philosophy at the U.S. Military Academy at West Point.



He holds a bachelor’s degree in Philosophy from Gannon University and a master’s degree in Philosophy from Johns Hopkins University. Dubik completed the Advanced Operations Studies Fellowship at Ft. Leavenworth, Kan., and attended both Harvard University’s John F. Kennedy School of Government executive program for national and international security and the National Security Leadership Course at The Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs at Syracuse University.

Dubik said that relationships like the one between the War College and Dickinson and the PSU Law School are very important.

“In an era where a very small percentage of the U.S. population serves in our military services, these kinds of program create a window into military serves for those less familiar with it.”