## **2009 Great Decisions Lecture Series**

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Next: Feb 6, Energy & the U.S. Economy, presented by Col. Michael Moon

Jan. 30, 2009 -- Two speakers have explored topics important to American citizens for the Great Decisions program held at Carlisle Barracks with Army War College speakers. The next will take on the topic of Energy and the U.S. Economy, Feb. 6.

Col. Jim Helis, recently returned from a six-month deployment in Afghanistan, discussed the challenges between Afghanistan and Pakistan along with his own personal experiences as the Chief of Plans, International Security Assistance Force in Kabul, Afghanistan. View the video here.

Amb. Cynthia Efird, Deputy Commandant for International Affairs, spoke Jan. 30 about the global food crisis.

NEXT: Feb 6 at 1 p.m. in the Post Chapel Assembly Room. The nation faces a skyrocketing price of oil, the American automakers efforts to restructure factories, Americans changing travel habits, and rising energy demands of developing countries. Col. Michael Moon, USAWC faculty member, will explore the question:

What steps should the Obama Administration take to align the US economy with new energy realities?

The Great Decisions lecture series is sponsored by the Carlisle Barracks Spouses' Club. This well-attended program has been a source of information for more than 40 years. Great Decisions is a nationwide program to promote citizens' knowledge and debate of significant national issues.