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## **US Army Women's Foundation**

2015 Hall of Fame Induction Reception:

Honoring Service & Preserving History *In conjunction with the* 

2015 Army Women's Foundation Summit: Army Women: Leadership & Political Engagement

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## **Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony**

When/Where: March 17, 2015, 5:00 p.m., Rayburn House Office Building Foyer

South Capitol Street (between Independence Avenue & C Streets)

**Keynote Speaker** LTG Karen Dyson, USA Military Deputy to the Assistant Secretary of the Army

Who: 2015 Honorees are:

• Command Sergeant Major Mary Sutherland (Ret) \*Deceased

WAC Served 35 years

Presented by: Sergeant Major Toni Ross USA (Ret.)

• Colonel Sally Murphy USA (Ret), First Woman Helicopter Pilot

Presented by: General Richard Cody USA (Ret.)

• Army Women Distinguished Flying Cross Recipients.

Accepted by: SSG Julia Stalker, USA

• Colonel Jill Chambers USA (Ret), Founder, This Able Vet, LLC

Presented by: CSM Cindy Pritchett USA (Ret.)

#### **Special Recognition Champions Awards:**

• V-WISE Program at Syracuse University-Army Women Entrepreneurship and Research

• Ron Howard and Frank Martin – *Unsung Heroes* documentary

### 7th Annual Summit and Luncheon

When/Where: March 18, 2015, 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., The Women in Military Service for America

Memorial, Memorial Drive at Arlington National Cemetery

**Master of Ceremonies:** Leon Harris, Anchor ABC/WJLA-TV Panel Moderator: SMA Kenneth Preston, USA (Ret.)

Who: Morning Panel: Army Women: Leading the Workforce Today & Tomorrow

**Invited Speakers:** 

Dr. J. Michael Haynie, Vice Chancellor Syracuse University Director, Institute for Veterans and Military Families

Kevin Preston, Director, Human Resources-Veterans Initiative, ESPN

Chief Warrant Officer 05 Phyllis Wilson, Command Chief Warrant Officer, U.S. Army Reserve

Captain Cathy Christian, USAF (Ret), Vice President, Enterprise Services and

Financial Systems, Prudential Financial, Inc.

#### **Luncheon Kevnote**

The 2015 Summit features a luncheon keynote address and provides the opportunity for AWF and its partners to award \$75,000 in scholarships under the auspices of the Army Women's Foundation Legacy Scholarships.

#### Afternoon Panel: Army Women: Political Empowerment & Engagement

- Captain Lori Manning, USN (Ret), Senior Fellow, Women's Research and Education Institute
- Captain Seth Lynn, USMCR, Veteran's Campaign, Executive Director
- Sergeant Major Tonia Walker ,USA, U.S. Army Legislative Liaison
- LTC Michelle Greene, USA (Ret), Vice President, Cassidy & Associates

#### About the US Army Women's Foundation:

The U.S. Army Women's Foundation (AWF) is the premier center for educational excellence, the national network for today's Army women, and a dynamic advocate for preserving and sharing the history of Army women. The mission of the U.S. Army Women's Foundation is to honor and preserve the service of women in the Army. For additional information please contact barb.witten@datocwitten.com