Women Leading From The Front Lines: Core Leadership Principles From The Army And West Point
August 8-11, 2017

What:
Open enrollment program designed and led by faculty, who reveal battle-tested principles of leadership lessons learned from West Point and the Army.

Where:
The Historic Thayer Hotel at West Point, New York

Audience:
Mid-to senior-level leaders, across all industries, who want proven, practical tools for what it means to be a more effective, inspiring leader.

Registration:
Limited to 33 participants on a first-come, first-served basis. Spaces are guaranteed once the deposit is received.

Cost:
$6,500 all inclusive for program materials, program-related meals, and guest room accommodations.

For Information:
registration@thayerleaderdevelopment.com OR (845) 446-4731 ext 7998

Future Dates:
May 9-12 - “Battle-Tested Leadership Strategies for Executives”
November 7-10 - “Battle-Tested Leadership Strategies for Executives”
November 14-17 - “Battle-Tested Leadership Strategies for Executives”

Program Overview
A unique opportunity to have a fully immersive, exclusive, and interactive experience with role models who have demonstrated superior leadership skills in highly challenging and ever-changing situations leading teams and individuals in extraordinary circumstances. The faculty, all inspirational leaders of character, will lead and facilitate discussions and provide mentorship and guidance in small, interactive experiential sessions, which reflect the leadership principles, values, and ethics from the Army and West Point. The faculty will bring theory to life and demonstrate meaningful connections between military leadership, and leadership in the corporate, governments, and non-profit sectors. Participants will actively hone these concepts and apply the skills through experiential activities, while simultaneously expanding their professional network.

Testimonials
“This was one of the most beneficial and illuminating courses on development I have attended. In addition to enjoying every moment of curriculum and time with the instructors, it left me with life lessons that will drive me in both a personal and professional capacity.”
Eileen Braden, V.P. of Political Affairs and Federation Relations, U.S. Chamber of Commerce

“I wish I had been to this program earlier in my career! It was so valuable & transformational to be with leaders and women outside of my own employer/organization. The faculty’s stories were completely applicable to everyday leadership in any industry or business.”
– Lynn Mulherin, District Vice President, University of Phoenix
**Women Leading From The Front Lines**  
**Agenda**

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**Check in at The Historic Thayer Hotel at West Point**

*Academy Kickoff and Dinner*

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**Breakfast**

*Enhancing Your Leadership Identity - BG (Ret.) Maureen LeBoeuf, Ed.D.*

*Commander’s Intent & Precise Communication – BG (Ret.) Becky Halstead*

*Lunch*

*West Point Staff Ride - COL (Ret.) Pilar Ryan, Ph.D.*

*- Dinner*

**Breakfast**

*Urban Orienteering - Carlys Lemler, Esquire*

*Keynote Address & Lunch - “Lessons From The Edge” - Alison Levine*

*Leader Resilience - COL (Ret.) Donna Brazil, Ph.D.*

*Battle Buddy Action Learning and Dinner*

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**Military-Style Physical Training - Kate Wender**

*Breakfast / Personal Time*

*Commander’s Call with Senior Advisors*

*BG (Ret.) Becky Halstead & BG (Ret.) Maureen LeBoeuf, Ed.D.*

*Action Planning & Academy Close - Karen Kuhla, Ph.D.*

*Lunch/Departure*

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**Logistics**

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**Registration:**

*Closes July 5, 2017*

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**Cancellation Policy:**

Deposits are non-refundable after June 27. Deposits may be transferred to another individual for the same program prior to July 11. If full payment has been received, but no replacement can attend this program, the deposit will be forfeited; and the balance can be applied to another open enrollment program during the same calendar year. In the unlikely event TLDG reschedules the program, participants will receive their deposit and/or their full payments.

**Accommodations:**

*The Historic Thayer Hotel at West Point, NY*

The Historic Thayer Hotel at West Point, located on the grounds of the U.S. Military Academy* and along the banks of the majestic Hudson River, has hosted distinguished patrons, including U.S. Presidents and heads of state. It offers a unique, inspiring venue—to experience leadership principles and applications where history has, and is, occurring. Each participant will stay in a luxurious room located on site of the conference. www.thethayerhotel.com

*Security information and a current government-issued photo ID is required for all visitors to access the U.S. Military Academy.

**Travel:** Attendees are responsible for the arrangement and payment of their travel.
Colonel (Ret.) Donna Brazil, Ph.D. retired from the United States Army as a Colonel with over 31 years of leadership experience. She served in leadership assignments both in the U.S. and abroad, to include Operations Officer for a 1300 person Logistics unit, Commander of a 210-person transportation unit and director of both the Leadership Course and Psychology Program at the United States Military Academy. She also served with the Office of Military Cooperation – Afghanistan as part of a team of advisors assisting the Afghan Ministry of Defense in establishing the Afghan Military Academy. In her final year of active duty, she served as the Deputy Head of the Department of Behavioral Sciences and Leadership at the United States Military Academy. Dedicated to improving the wellbeing of Soldiers and their families, Dr. Brazil continues to serve as a facilitator for the US Army’s Master Resilience Trainer Course. Dr. Brazil’s research interests center on leadership and leader development in varied settings. She has authored or co-authored numerous scholarly works published across an array of academic publications.

Brigadier General (Ret.) Becky Halstead is a 1981 graduate of the U.S. Military Academy and was the first female graduate of West Point to be promoted to General Officer. She was the senior Commanding General for logistics in Iraq and was the first female in U.S. history to command in combat at the strategic level. She served 27 years with the U.S. Army and retired as a General Officer in 2008. She culminated her career as the first female Chief of Ordnance and Commanding General of the Army’s Ordnance Center and Schools (equivalent to President of a University). She has over 15 years of executive-level leadership experience developing and training high-performing, complex and diverse teams capable of strategic planning and execution. She specializes in inspirational and motivational speaking, developing leader training programs, leader coaching, and mentoring; she recently published her first book, 24/7: The First Person You Must Lead Is You. She is on the Board of Directors for the West Point Association of Graduates, a lifetime member of the Association of the United States Army, and President of the Ordnance Corps Association. General Halstead is also an active spokesperson for the Foundation for Chiropractic Progress. General Halstead is a recipient of the 2007 National Women’s History Project award for “Generations of Women Moving History Forward.

Brigadier General (Ret.) Maureen LeBoeuf, Ed.D. graduated from St. Bonaventure University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Education in 1976 and received a direct commission as a Second Lieutenant in the United States Army. During her 28 year career in the Army, she held various staff and leadership positions as well as flying UH-1 helicopters in the continental United States and Europe. Most noteworthy was her assignment as the Professor and Head of the Department of Physical Education from 1997 until her retirement in 2004. She was the first woman department head at the United States Military Academy since it was founded in 1802. Maureen was the first woman inducted into the Seneca Battalion Affinity Group, St. Bonaventure University Reserve Officer Training Corps Hall of Fame. Maureen holds a Masters and Doctorate of Education, Curriculum and Instruction from the University of Georgia as well as an Executive Diploma in Strategic Leadership, U.S. Army War College and an Executive Diploma in Management and Leadership, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College.

Ms. Alison Levine is an adventurer, explorer, and mountaineer. She has climbed peaks on every continent, served as the team captain of the first American Women’s Everest Expedition, and skied across the Arctic Circle to the geographic North Pole. In January 2008, she made history as the first American to complete a 600-mile traverse from west Antarctica to the South Pole. Levine’s expeditions have been documented by more than 450 media outlets. She is the subject of the PBS documentary Living Courageously (2007) and has made numerous appearances on The Today Show, Good Morning America, and other national programs. In addition to having tackled some of the most extreme environments in the outdoors, Levine has also spent more than two decades in the business world. Her professional career has encompassed healthcare, technology, and finance. After earning her MBA from Duke University she moved to New York to work for investment banking firm Goldman Sachs. In 2003, she left Wall Street to serve as deputy finance director for Arnold Schwarzenegger in his successful bid to become Governor of California. Levine currently serves on the board of directors of TLDG; as an adjunct instructor at the United States Military Academy at West Point, where she teaches in the Department of Behavioral Sciences & Leadership; and is also the founder of consulting firm DareDevil Strategies™.

Colonel (Ret.) Pilar Ryan, Ph.D. research interests center on leadership development, the formation of organizational identity and culture, and the history of cross-cultural relations. She is the author of a number of publications, and has published essays on history and teaching history in the United States and Spain. She is a soldier-scholar who served in a variety of command and staff positions, stateside and overseas, during her 27-year Army career, including command of Bravo Battery, 1st Battalion, 30th Field Artillery Regiment, the largest artillery battery in the Army at the time. Some of her other assignments include service in a tactical Military Intelligence battalion in Germany, as executive officer of 1/30th Field Artillery Battalion, as Deputy G2 (Intelligence) of III Corps Artillery, both at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, as a political-military planner and counter-proliferation strategist for United States Forces Korea, and as the executive officer to the Assistant Chief of Staff, Strategy and Policy, United States Forces Korea/Commanding General, Marine Corps Forces-Korea. She retired from active military duty on July 1, 2013 as a Professor of History and Chief, International Division, Department of History, United States Military Academy. Upon her retirement, the Women's Leadership Exchange named Colonel Ryan as one of its two 2013 Compass Award recipients.
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Cashier’s or corporate check enclosed payable to: Thayer Leader Development Group

Mail to: Thayer Leader Development Group, 674 Thayer Road, West Point, NY 10996

For Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) Payment:
Please call 845-446-4731 ext. 7998

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