



# THE CITADEL

THE MILITARY COLLEGE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

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The Honorable Nikki R. Haley  
Office of the Governor  
1205 Pendleton Street  
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Dear Governor Haley,

On behalf of The Citadel, I am formally inviting you to participate in the Ninth Annual Principled Leadership Symposium on 17-18 March 2016. The theme of this year's Symposium is "Principled Leadership: Character, Courage, Community".

We would like you to address the Corps of Cadets, student delegates, invited guests, faculty and staff as the *Greater Issues* Speaker on Thursday, 17 March 2016 at 11 AM with the theme of "*Courageous Leadership during Difficult Times*".

You are invited to be our guest for the remainder of the two-day Symposium, which will include distinguished speakers and panelists who have dealt with community tragedies head on.

The Leadership Symposium supports our mission to educate and develop our students to become principled leaders in all walks of life by instilling our Core Values of *Honor, Duty, and Respect*. This is an excellent opportunity to influence the ethical decision making skills of our future leaders, including those who will enter active duty upon graduation. In addition to The Citadel, we expect to have delegates from approximately 35 other colleges and universities to include the six Senior Military Colleges, Federal Academies, and civilian colleges and universities from across the Southeastern United States.

We look forward to hearing from you and seeing you on campus in March.

Sincerely,

John W. Rosa  
Lieutenant General, USAF (Retired)  
President

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