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Pacific Land Forces Convene at LANPAC25 to Address Indo-Pacific Security

Fort Shafter, Hawaii— Land Forces Pacific (LANPAC) Symposium and Exposition, the premier forum for land power discussions in the Indo-Pacific region, will take place May 13-15, 2025, at the Sheraton Waikiki in Honolulu, Hawaii. Hosted by the Association of the United States Army (AUSA) and supported by U.S. Army Pacific (USARPAC), LANPAC 2025 will bring together representatives from a record 32 Indo-Pacific nations, including 16 Chiefs of Armies, to address critical security challenges.

Under the theme "Prevailing Through LandPower," this year's symposium will focus on deterrence and the preservation of a free and open Indo-Pacific through a robust network of allied and partner land forces. Distinguished speakers, including Admiral Samuel Paparo, Commander of U.S. Indo-Pacific Command, and Hawaii Governor Josh Green will deliver keynote addresses. USARPAC Commander Gen. Ronald Clark says of LANPAC:

"The Strategic Landpower Network has never been stronger, and the upcoming Land Forces of the Pacific (LANPAC) seminar provides us yet another opportunity to strengthen our network. LANPAC 2025 builds upon our successful campaigning over the past year with activities on key terrain as we operate within the reality of a fiscally constrained environment. "

The discussions taking place over three days will explore the organizing, generating, and applying of land power within the complex geopolitical landscape of the Indo-Pacific.

Key Highlights:

- **High-Level Participation:** Attendance by senior military leaders from across the Indo-Pacific region, including numerous Chiefs of Armies.
- Focus on Deterrence: Discussions centered on land power's role in maintaining a free and open Indo-Pacific.
- **Strategic Vision:** Insights into USARPAC's strategic priorities and their alignment with USINDOPACOM and Department of the Army.
- **Media Opportunities:** In-person attendees will have a front row seat for discussions of key regional leaders. Off-Island media can view LIVE streaming of panels.

Media Availability:

Gen. Ronald Clark will hold a media roundtable at 7:30 a.m. HST (1:30pm EST) on Tuesday, May 13th. Location details provided upon registration. Off-island media will participate via an invitation from the Office of the Chief of Public Affairs. All in-person media must register in advance via the AUSA website: <u>https://meetings.ausa.org/lanpac/2025/Registered_media.cfm</u>

Further Information:

A detailed schedule, participant list, and discussion topics can be found on the LANPAC 2025 conference website: <u>https://meetings.ausa.org/lanpac/2025/conference_schedule_advanced.cfm</u>

Live Steaming Link: https://www.dvidshub.net/feature/LANPAC25

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