



EMC Chair Symposium: Sea Control and Foreign Policy
April 4-7, 2017

This fifth maritime-centric EMC Chair symposium builds on the 2016 release of *Design for Maintaining Maritime Superiority*, which noted the “U.S. Navy has been a cornerstone of American security and prosperity.” The symposium will consider future directions of U.S. foreign policy and reflect on demands the country places on the Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard to advance and defend national interests. Participants will consider the impact of technology, contested seas, and maritime partnerships on sea control.

Wednesday, April 5 in Mahan Reading Room

0830: Registration and Coffee

0900-0905: Derek Reveron, EMC Chair, U.S. Naval War College

0905-0915: Rear Admiral Jeffrey A. Harley, President, U.S. Naval War College

0915-1000: Keynote Address: Derek Chollet, German Marshall Fund of the US

1000-1030: Break

1030-1200: Panel 1: “The Future of U.S. Foreign Policy”

1200-1300: Lunch

1300-1430: Panel 2: “Seapower and Great Power Dynamics”

1430-1500: Break

1500-1630: Panel 3: “Echoes of the First World War in the Twenty-First Century”

Thursday, April 6 in Mahan Reading Room

0830: Coffee and Refreshments

0900-1000: Vice Admiral James G. Foggo, III, Director, Navy Staff

1000: Break

1030-1200: Panel 4: “Geo-Economics and Maritime Security”

1200-1245 Lunch

1300-1430: Panel 5: “Technology, Innovation, and Force Structure”

1530-1700: Battle of Jutland war game, Naval War College Museum (optional)

Friday, April 7 In Spruance Auditorium

0830: “Welcome,” Rear Admiral Jeffrey A. Harley, President, U.S. Naval War College

0845-0930: Keynote III: “Sea Power and National Strategy,” Rep. Forbes

0945-1100: Panel 6: Sea Control

1100-1130: Break

1130-1215: Keynote IV: “Future of Maneuver Warfare at Sea,” VADM Rowden

1215-1300: Lunch

1300-1600: ILC students, “Sea Control and Distributed Lethality Table Top” (in seminar)

1300-1600: SLC students, “Sea Power and Sea Control Discussion” (in seminar)