

STRATEGIC DETERRENT COALITION

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We are excited to announce the return of our SDC annual Symposium and look forward to your attendance on April 28, 2022, in Groton, Connecticut. As you may know, the Strategic Deterrent Coalition (SDC) is a nonprofit, nonpartisan, community-based organization formed to support the Nuclear Triad by providing educational information on the importance to our nation of maintaining a safe, secure, and effective nuclear deterrent. The SDC's purpose is to inform decision makers and thought leaders on how America's nuclear weapons contribute to our strategic position.

Our *Seventh* Annual Symposium will be on April 28, 2022 at the Mystic Marriott Resort in Groton, CT. Our theme for this conference is *Strategic Deterrence in the Face of Evolving Threats*. Our symposium agenda will also include a continued dialogue on the SDC's national conversation on recruiting and sustaining human talent in the Nuclear Enterprise.

The events will begin with a reception in the evening of April 27 at the US Navy Submarine Force Library & Museum in Groton. The Symposium will be held at the hotel all day ending with a reception and dinner. The agenda has not been finally set, so the order of speakers and panels has not been finalized.

Our list of invited speakers include Admiral Charles "Chas" A. Richard, Commander, United States Strategic Command; Admiral John C. Aquilino, Commander, U.S. Indo-Pacific Command; General Anthony J. Cotton, Commander, Air Force Global Strike Command; Vice Admiral Johnny R. Wolfe, Director, Navy Strategic Systems Programs; and Lieutenant General James C. Dawkins, Jr., Deputy Chief of Staff, Strategic Deterrence and Nuclear Integration, Headquarters U.S. Air Force. Other pending invitations include; Mr. Gary A. Ashworth, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense, Strategic, Space, and Intelligence Portfolio Management; and numerous senior Department of Defense, industry leaders and members of academia.

We look forward to your attendance and direct you to the link below for all the information necessary to register and join us for our seventh annual symposium SDC April 2022 Symposium Registration

Thank you, and best regards:

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