







LEADERSHIP 2015



The **Oklahoma Business Ethics Consortium** is a statewide non-profit geared to business and academic leaders as well as professionals who desire to promote integrity in their workplaces. Realizing the need for consistent reinforcement and inspiration, the group began hosting monthly forums in chapters established in Oklahoma City and Tulsa. Since its inception in 2003, the group has grown to over 1000 individual members representing more than 200 companies across the state. They also sponsor annual awards supporting best ethical practices in business, education and the nonprofit community.

Their sister organization, the OK Ethics Foundation, is specifically geared to promoting ethics on various campuses in the state. So far, nearly a dozen Oklahoma universities and schools are actively involved in these initiatives and many participate in state, regional and national ethics bowls.



Oklahoma Christian University is a powerful force making an impact in the Oklahoma City metro and around the world. Led by President John deSteiguer, Oklahoma Christian is recognized as one of the best universities in the western United States by U.S. News and World Report and The Princeton Review.

OC attracts students from all 50 states and from almost 50 countries to pursue degrees in more than 60 undergraduate fields of study and an undergraduate Honors Program, plus graduate programs in accountancy, business administration, computer science, engineering, Christian ministry, divinity, and theological studies.

The last 10 years have featured the 10 largest enrollments in school history, including a record 2,479 students in 2014-15. OC boasts a unique college atmosphere, with 80 percent of undergraduate students living on campus. As they come to feel at home here, many OC students stay in Oklahoma after graduation to make a difference as servant-leaders in all walks of life.



The General Tommy Franks Leadership Institute and Museum

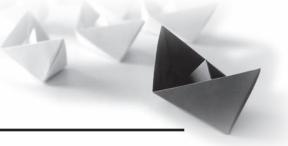
was created by General Tommy Franks and his wife, Cathryn Carley Franks, as a historical foundation dedicated to telling the story of the United States military and education. The General Tommy Franks Leadership Institute and Museum invests in the nation's future leaders through several education and outreach programs including the Mobile Classroom + Road Show, the Inspired Leadership Challenge and the Four Star Leadership with General Tommy Franks program.

The world-class Museum is housed in a remodeled, 9,500-square-foot building in downtown Hobart, Oklahoma. The facility includes a gift shop, galleries with memorabilia and artifacts from General Frank's personal collections, a traveling exhibit area and meeting facilities.

Exhibitions are ordered chronologically, following General Tommy Franks life and career, while also showcasing the changes in the American military from WWII to the present, as told through the lives of soldiers.

Leadership. Patriotism. Service. It's not just our motto; it's our passion. Investing in the next generation of leaders is also our legacy - YOUR legacy.

LEADERSHIP 2015 PROGRAM AGENDA JULY 17, 2015



- I. Pledge and National Anthem—Garrett Marshall, Intern, Oklahoma Christian University
- II. **Invocation**—Mike O'Neal, President Emeritus, Oklahoma Christian University
- III. **Welcome & Acknowledgements**—Todd Lisle, President of the State Council of the Oklahoma Business Ethics Consortium; Managing Partner of BKD, LLP
- IV. Four Star Leadership Video—highlighting the week's activities
- V. Student Presentations—Warren Martin, Four Star Leadership Program
- VI. **Introduction of General Franks**—Warren Martin
- **VII. General Tommy Franks**
- VIII. Presentation of Student Awards—Warren Martin
- IX. **Keynote Presentation**—Dermot Ahern
- X. **Concluding Remarks**—Shannon Warren, Founder, Oklahoma Business Ethics Consortium & Foundation



Since 2008, "**Four Star**" has welcomed 304 American high school students from all 50 states and 43 international students. Kings, Governors, Senators, Olympic Gold medalists and top business leaders have mentored students in developing and demonstrating the core leadership principles of the program: common vision, character, communication, and caring. Each session follows curriculum designed to develop leadership skills and challenge students through teambuilding exercises, collaboration, spontaneous problem solving and competition. Excursions during the week provide participant's opportunities to further develop and employ those skills through cultural experiences and service projects.



LEADERSHIP 2015 APPRECIATION



Volunteer Appreciation: OK Ethics relies primarily on volunteers to achieve the organization's successful pursuit of Oklahoma's values of integrity at work. It takes leadership and teamwork to host these exciting events and we salute your dedication in achieving OK Ethics' mission! Listed below are today's volunteers who consistently provide service to our members:

Agendas: Many thanks to the volunteers from Metro Technology Centers who provide our monthly agendas.

Ambassador Team: These friendly people welcome our guests each month and assist in helping them locate seats. They also arrive early to help distribute agendas and assist with name tags.

Daniel Yunker	Kimray Inc.	Senior Team Leader & OK Ethics Board Member
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OKLAHOMA BUSINESS ETHICS FOUNDATION STUDENT ETHICS CHALLENGE

Many thanks to the OK Ethics volunteers who contributed time to ensure the success of the Student Ethics Challenge:

Shannon Hiebert President of the OK Ethics Foundation; Regional Vice President of Enterprise Holdings (OKC) Colin Schoonover

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Ethics Challenge Director; Manager,
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Shannon Warren Founder of OK Ethics Consortium & Foundation; CEO, Warren Consulting LLC Chris Caldwell, CPA Scorekeeper for Student Ethics Challenge

Judges for Student Ethics Challenge:

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- Kerri Cunningham
- Amy Gower
- Lauren Olson and the OC dining staff

General Franks' Team Members (see next page for list)

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In addition to the aforementioned:

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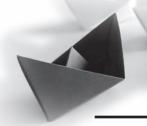
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ABOUT OUR PRESENTE

TODD LISLE

President State Council of the Oklahoma Business Ethics Consortium; Managing Partner of BKD, LLP

Todd serves as managing partner of BKD's Oklahoma offices and is a member of the firm's Governing Board. He merged the local firm he founded into BKD in 2006. In addition to his management responsibilities, Todd provides audit, litigation consulting, business valuation and fraud investigation services to clients.

Todd was born and raised in Enid, Oklahoma. He is a 1984 graduate with distinction from OU, with a B.S. in accounting.

Todd is president of the Oklahoma Business Ethics Consortium. He is chairman of the John T. Steed School of Accounting Board of Advisors at OU. Todd is also a member of Rotary Club 29, on the board of the OKC YMCA, Vice-Chair of the Greater OKC Chamber's TRDC, and president of the Beta Theta Pi Foundation of Oklahoma,

Todd is Accredited in Business Valuation (ABV) and a Certified Internal Auditor® (CIA®). He is a member of the American Institute of CPAs (AICPA) and received AICPA's Volunteer of the Year Award. The Journal Record has honored Todd as a Most Admired CEO the past two years.

In his spare time, Todd enjoys playing tennis, skiing and snowboarding, and bike riding. He has been married to Donna for over 30 years and is the proud father of sons Jackson, 23, and Connor, 21.

OK ETHICS UPCOMING EVENTS

NEW GENERATION ETHICS: NAVAL LEADERSHIP LESSONS

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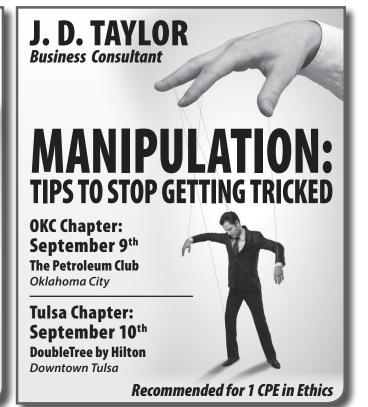
August 19th

11:30AM-1:00PM

The Petroleum Club Oklahoma City

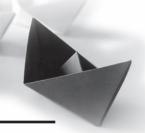
August 20th 11:30AM-1:00PM

DoubleTree by Hilton Downtown Tulsa



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GENERAL TOMMY R. FRANKS

General Tommy R. Franks, US Army Retired Tommy Franks was born in Wynnewood, Oklahoma, and grew up in Midland, Texas, where he graduated from Robert E. Lee High School one year ahead of First Lady Laura Bush. After two years at the University of Texas, he joined the United States Army, and in 1967, as a distinguished graduate of the Artillery Officer Candidate School, he was commissioned a Second Lieutenant and sent to Vietnam.

His service in Vietnam earned him six awards for Valor and three Purple Hearts. That assignment was the start of a long and distinguished career that would take him from one world hot spot to another – from West Germany at the height of the Cold War to the Demilitarized Zone in Korea, to the deserts of Arabia—where he gained the knowledge and experience that would prepare him for the leadership role that would mark his place in the annals of American history.

Along the way, General Franks attended the University of Texas, Arlington, where he graduated with a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration, and Shippensburg University where he graduated with a Master's Degree in Public Administration. He is also a graduate of the Armed Forces Staff College and the Army War College.

In June 2000, he was promoted to four-star General and assigned as Commander-in-Chief, United States Central Command. It's in this position that the world knows Tommy Franks best – the culmination of an almost four-decade military career that saw him lead American and Coalition troops in two strategically unprecedented campaigns in two years – Operation Enduring Freedom in Afghanistan and Operation Iraqi Freedom in Iraq.

The General's awards include five Distinguished Service Medals, four Legions of Merit, four Bronze Stars and three Purple Hearts in addition to numerous foreign awards. He was appointed Knight Commander of the Order of the British Empire (KBE) by order of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II on May 25, 2004. And President George W. Bush awarded him the Nation's highest civilian award, the Presidential Medal of Freedom, on December 14, 2004.

General Franks has received honorary degrees from a number of universities including his alma mater, Shippensburg University, and his wife's alma mater, Oklahoma State University.

Since his retirement from the military in 2003, General Franks has traveled the world, speaking on leadership, character and the value of Democracy. His autobiography, American Soldier debuted as No. 1 on the New York Times Best Sellers list in August 2004.

General Franks serves on the boards of the University of Texas, Arlington and William Penn University. He is Co-Chair of the Flight 93 memorial foundation and serves as an Advisor to the Military Child Education Coalition, Operation Homefront Oklahoma and the Southeastern Guide Dog Organization.

General Franks and his wife, Cathryn Carley Franks, have one daughter, who is married to a military officer, and three grandchildren. The Franks live at their ranch in Roosevelt, Oklahoma, with longhorns, buffalo, Angus cattle, horses and their cat, Bailey.

President George W. Bush calls Franks "a down-to-earth, no-nonsense guy." His troops call him "a Soldier's General" and his associates call him "an astute businessman." His grandkids call him, "Pooh".

LEADERSHIP 2015 KEYNOTE PRESENTATION



RECOMMENDED FOR 1 CPE IN ETHICSPlease collect certificate at end of the program.

Program is designed at the basic level for professionals who may face conflict in the workplace and who desire to use a principled approach to resolving issues.

It is up to the individual attendee to demonstrate relevance to his/her own area of practice, OK Ethics makes no guarantees.

DERMOT AHERN

Dermot Ahern, Irish statesman and UN Special Negotiator, knows a lot about conflict. During his term, "The Troubles" in neighboring Northern Ireland marked a brutal era of violent riots, kidnappings, torture and bombings.

Ahern helped facilitate the peace process known as The Good Friday agreement that ended decades of bloodshed. Because of that involvement, Mr. Ahern was appointed as a special negotiator by the Secretary-General of the United Nations in relation to UN reform. As foreign minister, he was involved in resolving conflicts on an international level, including the Middle East.

Dermot Ahern held many key roles in Ireland including:

- Former Minister for Justice and Law Reform
- Former Minister for Foreign Affairs
- Former Minister for Communications, Marine & Natural
- Former Minister for Social Community & Family Affairs

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LEADERSHIP 2015 PRESENTATION



SUCCESSFUL CONFLICT RESOLUTION

Hosted by the Oklahoma Business Ethics Consortium on the campus of Oklahoma Christian University; Edmond, Oklahoma July 17, 2015; 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

1. Background: Lawyer/politician living close to the Border between Southern Ireland and Northern Ireland.

- Learned art of Negotiation/Compromise.
- Futility of Confrontational Politics.
- Ultimately, disputes had to be solved, one way or another.

2. Irish Peace Process; Background:

- Troubles in Northern Ireland spilled over to others, particularly into my home town, Dundalk.
- No prosperity till peace prevailed
- Driving motivation throughout my 32 years in Irish politics.

3. Assessing Risks:

- 1988: Asked by Irish Prime Minister to take part in secret talks with Republican paramilitaries.
- Huge dilemma, huge risks, both personal and political. "Taking risks for peace", common mantra.
- After atrocity, normal reaction to walk away.
- Over 20 years, painstaking negotiations, mainly between British and Irish government.
- Many roadblocks and disappointments on the way.
- US involvement critical, Clinton and Bush and especially Sen George Mitchell.
- International Fund for Ireland.

4. Good Friday agreement/St Andrews agreement:

- Critical job was to get community/political buy in.
- Implementation, and monitoring vital.
- 50% plus one formula, simplistic.

5. Lessons learned

- Don't leave issues hanging over, try as best to tie up all loose ends.
- For instance, policing was a toxic issue. Hence, the St Andrews agreement which tried to get the parties and community to accept the Patten Commission recommendations.

6. Uneasy Peace Reigns in Ireland

- Greatest Political moment of my life, Clinton in Dundalk 2006, Dundalk is "Boom Town".
- No more killing and maiming, though communities still as polarized as before.
- Huge time and investment needed in order to heal wounds.
- Merely scratch the surface, and old sores appear.
- Flags and Emblems.

7. Successful Approach

- Irish Peace Process is probably the most successful peace process in living memory.
- While other areas of conflict have distinct local issues, the concepts are the same:
 - ♦ Respect for each other.
 - ♦ Listen to what the other has to say.
 - ♦ No megaphone diplomacy.
 - ♦ "Put yourself in the shoes of the other side".



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