Event Information

Title: Deadline for Abstracts: US Army Peacekeeping and Stability Operations Institute publication "Addressing Fragile States: Institution Building"

Time: All Day Monday December 28, 2015

Contact: Nikka Lemons

Description: The US Army Peacekeeping and Stability Operations Institute (PKSOI) promotes the collaborative development and integration of Peace and Stability capabilities across the US government and the international community. PKSOI achieves its mission by facilitating information sharing, coordination, and integration among the US military, USG civilian agencies, IOs, multinational partners, and NBOs in 5 broad areas:

- Collect, evaluate, and disseminate lessons learned
- Inform/support stability and peace operations policy development
- Develop and review stability and peace operations concepts and doctrine
- Develop and review civilian and military training and education programs
- Advise civilian/military in developing requirements and capabilities to plan, prepare, and execute Peace & Stability Operations

Working title: PKSOI proposes a publication with the working title "Addressing Fragile States: Institution Building".

Audience & Preliminary Identified Content:

The primary audience is the policy development, impact assessment and practitioner community. The publication will consist of ten chapters, PKSOI completing six of the ten. The following are proposed entries to be written by PKSOI:

- US Civil Capacity to Build Institutions: The Fate of the Civilian Surge (Afghanistan)
- Developing Measures of Success
- Evaluation of Task Force Business in Afghanistan
- Institution Building by Countering Corruption in Mexico
- Dealing with Transitional Public Security

Call for papers: Nikka Lemons is coordinating the call for papers for the remaining four chapters, to be authored by contributors external of PKSOI.

There are two forms of collaboration available: 1) chapter in line with the overall theme -"Addressing Fragile States: Institution Building" and 2) complementing or countering the content written by PKSOI.

Deadlines & Submissions:

- Paper abstracts, of not more than 300 words, are to be sent by December 28th, 2015 (at the latest) regarding publication of a
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<td>▪ Accepted submissions will be notified by January 10th, 2016</td>
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<td>▪ The draft of PKSOI papers will be shared with countering/complementing authors March 1st</td>
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