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Robot University comes to Fort Leonard Wood

Who: 1st Engineer Brigade and the Robotic Systems Project Office (RSJPO)

What: Media opportunity to attend the ribbon cutting ceremony for the new Robotic University, recently completed here at Fort Leonard Wood.

When: 10 a.m., April 3

Where: Fort Leonard Wood training range TA 211.

Significance: As we move further into the future the Army, robots have and will become a major player on the battlefield. The establishment of the Robotic University at Fort Leonard Wood will assist in meeting these increased demands for training and maintaining robotic systems. Soldiers will receive this critical training at a "top-notch" facility that supports home-station training and real-world deployments.

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Reporters interested in covering this event should contact the Fort Leonard Wood Public Affairs Office at 573-563-4145, no later than April 2 at 4:30 p.m.

About Fort Leonard Wood

Fort Leonard Wood is a thriving and prosperous installation that has evolved from a small basic training post 70 years ago to a premier Army Center of Excellence that trains 80-90,000 military and civilians each year.

Home to the Maneuver Support Center of Excellence, Fort Leonard Wood now trains and educates service members and develops doctrine and capabilities for the Training and Doctrine Command's U.S. Army Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear School, U.S. Army Engineer School, and U.S. Army Military Police School, three gender integrated Initial

Military Training brigades, one of only five reception stations in the Army, and the Army's largest Noncommissioned Officers Academy.

Over the past several years, Fort Leonard Wood has received numerous additional responsibilities to include supporting the 4th Maneuver Enhancement Brigade, a large Forces Command unit that is responsible for all deployable capabilities at Fort Leonard Wood. A colonel-commanded Marine Corps Detachment and an Air Force Detachment, which are both the largest on any Army installation, are located on Fort Leonard Wood; a large Navy Seabee Detachment and elements of the Coast Guard train here as well.