

General Colin L Powell to Visit Kutztown

General Colin L. Powell (Ret.), USA will be the featured speaker for the 17th Annual Kutztown University Decision Makers Forum on March 30, 2006. Gen. Powell previously spoke to the Decision Makers Forum in 1996. Before becoming Secretary of State in 2001, General Powell served as a key aide to the Secretary of Defense and as National Security Advisor to President Reagan. He also served 35 years in the United States Army, rising to the rank of Four-Star General and serving as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff (1989 – 1993). General Powell was the founding Chairman of America's Promise-The Alliance for Youth, a national crusade to improve the lives of our nation's youth. General Powell recently joined the venture capital firm Kleiner Perkins Caufield & Byers to work with young executives on leadership and expand global business growth.

The Kutztown University Decision Makers Forum offers an opportunity to the regional business community to hear a presentation from exceptional leaders of achievement. Past speakers include George H. W. Bush, Margaret Thatcher, Rudy Giuliani, Madeleine Albright, Tim Russert and George Tenet. Each corporate sponsor enjoys major networking opportunities while participating in the Sponsors' Buffet. Sponsorship includes preferred parking, the buffet and reserved seating for the address.

Individual tickets to Gen. Powell's address can also be purchased. For additional information, contact Ronald Lewis, Kutztown University Development Director, at 610-683-1394, or visit www.kutztown.edu/foundation/business_decision.shtml.