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LEADERSHIP & LEARNING: A LONG AND WINDING ROAD

By **Galen Ho**, President of Galen Enterprise/ex-President at BAE Systems

THE EVENT: The Center for Innovation, Excellence and Leadership ([IXL Center](#)) in partnership with the [Hult International Business School](#) are pleased to announce our next speaker **Stephen Shapiro**. His presentation title is “**Leadership & Learning – A Long and Winding Road**”. Please join us on **September 23th, 2009** from 6:30 to 7:30 PM at Room 563, at Hult International Business School, **1 Education Street, Cambridge, MA**. There will be an opportunity to network with other like-minded individuals after the presentation.

Mark your calendars and plan to attend and meet a thought leader and practitioner of innovation. Please sign up [here](#). If you have any questions, please email Milagros Masini at milagros.masini@ixl-center.com.

THE TOPIC: The presentation essentially follows the thought process of experiential learning in Leadership, Mentoring, Opportunity timing, and the creation of a value system as well as the challenges that can face Executive leaders personally. The speaker will also share the Teachable Point of View process developed by the University of New Hampshire.

THE SPEAKER:



Galen, retired from BAE Systems Inc. in 2007, is currently the sole proprietor of Galen Enterprise LLC, a management consultant company focused on areas such as Business Development, Project Performance, Strategic Thinking/Planning Risk Assessment Methodologies, Leadership/Mentoring Development, Systems Engineering, and Knowledge management processes. His company is located in Burlington, MA.

Most recently, Galen was Senior Vice President for Performance Excellence, responsible for program management; engineering and technology; strategic planning; mergers and acquisitions; internal audit; information technology and mission success for the company's U.S.-based operations. These operations collectively employed some 45,000 employees in the U.S., U.K., Sweden and South Africa and generated annual sales in excess of \$10 billion.

From 2000 through 2005, Galen was President of BAE Systems' Information and Electronic Systems Integration Sector, a \$5.0B business with over 9000 employees. Prior to that, he served as President of

the former Lockheed Martin Aerospace Electronics Systems (AES) business segment, acquired by BAE Systems in 2000.

With more than 35 years of defense and aerospace experience, Galen has served in a variety of other leadership positions. While at Loral Corporation, he was Chief Executive Officer of its European subsidiary, Loral Europe Limited. Prior to that, he served as Senior Vice President of Loral Federal Systems and President of Loral ASIC beginning in 1994. From 1997 to 1999, he was Chief Executive Officer of Lockheed Martin Tactical Systems, United Kingdom, and President, Helo Systems for Lockheed Martin Federal Systems, Owego, N.Y.

Galen received a bachelor's degree in electrical engineering from Oregon State University and did graduate study work at Ohio State University. While serving as an officer in the U.S. Air Force, from 1968 – 1973, he helped develop the Digital Fire Control System for the AC-130E Gunship Program and was awarded the Vietnam Combat Service and the Air Force Meritorious Service Medals. Galen was born in Hawaii and got his high school education at Maryknoll Schools. He is married to Patricia (Ching) Ho and has two children. His hobbies include golf, sailing and snow skiing and doing consulting is what interests him the most!



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