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MEDIA ADVISORY: U.S. Army Infantry School to gain new leadership, Aug. 31

WHAT: The U.S. Army Infantry School will conduct a change of authority ceremony between the outgoing and incoming commandant. A tri-hatted position, the Infantry commandant also serves as the Chief of Infantry and director of the Soldier Lethality Cross Functional Team.

WHEN: Aug. 31 - 2:30 p.m. link up and media opportunity with outgoing and incoming generals; 3:00 p.m. ceremony.

WHERE: National Infantry Museum, 1775 Legacy Way, Columbus, GA 31903

WHO: The outgoing commandant is Brig. Gen. Larry Q. Burris, and the incoming commandant is Brig. Gen. Monte L. Rone. The reviewing officer for the ceremony will be Maj. Gen. Curtis A. Buzzard, Maneuver Center of Excellence and Fort Moore commanding general.

WHY: The U.S. Army Infantry School transforms civilians into disciplined Infantry Soldiers and Soldiers into skilled leaders through 22 programs of instruction. The Infantry School is the first training destination for civilians who've chosen to be all they can be through service to the nation as Infantry Soldiers. During One Station Unit Training, they don their first uniform, earn their first patch, and render their first salute as Soldiers.

HOW: Media seeking to cover this event are asked to RSVP to the public affairs by noon, Aug. 31. The link up location will be provided.

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