



## 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Ambassador's Public Forum Thursday, March 10, 2022 at 5:30 PM

International Cultural Center, 601 Indiana Ave.

This event is FREE and open to the public.

## "The Future of Global Diplomacy: Actors and Factors"

Presented by Texas Tech Office of International Affairs and the American Academy of Diplomacy

This year's panel of four distinguished, high-ranking former U.S. diplomats will lead our discussion and address your questions and concerns about the U.S. and changes in the international arena.



**Ambassador Ronald E. Neumann** serves as the American Academy of Diplomacy Board president and was former deputy assistant secretary in the Bureau of Near Eastern Affairs. He served three terms as ambassador: to Algeria, Bahrain, and finally to Afghanistan.



Ambassador Deborah McCarthy is an expert on U.S. foreign and national security policy with more than 30 years of diplomatic experience. McCarthy was the U.S. ambassador to Lithuania and served as the deputy ambassador at the U.S. Embassy in Greece as well as the U.S. Embassy in Nicaragua.



Ambassador Molly Williamson is a retired U.S. Foreign Service officer, having served under six presidents and achieving the rank of career minister. She is a scholar with the Middle East Institute and the National Council on U.S.-Arab Relations, a consultant, and frequent guest lecturer at Johns Hopkins University, the Defense Institute of Security Cooperation, and the National Joint Staff College.



Ambassador Kenneth C. Brill was the president of The Fund for Peace (2010-2011) after completing a 35-year career in the U.S. Foreign Service. Brill's overseas assignments with the Department of State included serving as ambassador to the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA), the U.N. Office in Vienna, ambassador to the Republic of Cyprus, acting-ambassador and deputy chief of mission at the U.S. Embassy in New Delhi, India, and political counselor at the U.S. Embassy in Amman, Jordan.