

Morton to give third talk in Mandeville Lectures

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Louis Morton, Professor of History at Dartmouth College, Hanover, New Hampshire, is scheduled to give the third talk in the Mandeville Lecture series currently underway at the University of California, San Diego.

Professor Morton will speak at 4:15 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, February 23. His afternoon lecture will be in the main cafeteria of the Central Facilities Building on the UCSD campus and his evening lecture will be in Sherwood Hall, La Jolla. Both are free and open to the public.

Professor Morton, a member of the faculty at Dartmouth since 1960, will speak on "National Policy and Military Strategy." He was born in 1913 in New York and is a graduate of New York University where he received a Master's degree in 1936, and Duke University where he received a Ph.D. in 1938. He also holds an honorary degree from Dartmouth College.

He has served as an Instructor at City College of New York, as a Research Associate for the Rockefeller Fund project for the Williamsburg Restoration, and as a military historian for the United States Department of the Army. With the military he served as Chief of the Pacific Section for the Office of Military History and later as Deputy Chief Historian.

Professor Morton has received numerous fellowships and grants for his work in public service and national security. He currently served as a member of the board of directors of the Social Science Research Council and the Mississippi Valley Historical Association. He is the author of several publications dealing with the war in the Pacific and United States colonial history. Among them are: Robert Carter of Nomini Hall, Fall of the Philippines, and War in the Pacific: strategy and command.

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