



**News Release**

## **“Command Culture” Author to Speak on November 6**

**WHEATON, IL, October 28, 2013** — The First Division Museum at Cantigny Park announces a free presentation by author Jörg Muth on Wednesday, November 6, at 7:30 pm.

Muth will discuss his book, *Command Culture: Officer Education in the U.S. Army and the German Armed Forces, 1901-1940, and the Consequences for World War II*. Published in 2011, the book examines the different paths taken by the United States and Germany in selecting, educating and promoting their officers during the decades leading up to World War II. With *Command Culture*, Muth is recharging an ongoing debate in our country about officer training and military education in general.

Doors open at 6:45 pm on November 6. A book signing will follow the presentation and copies of *Command Culture* will be available for purchase.

Admission and parking are complimentary. For more information, please call 630.260.8227.

The event is part of the First Division Museum’s popular series, *A Date with History*. The monthly programs feature an evening of lively discussion with authors, panelists, historians and special speakers. Information about upcoming programs is online at [FirstDivisionMuseum.org](http://FirstDivisionMuseum.org).

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### **About the First Division Museum**

The First Division Museum at Cantigny Park, part of the nonprofit Chicago-based Robert R. McCormick Foundations, promotes public learning about America’s military heritage and affairs through the history of the “Big Red One”—the famed 1<sup>st</sup> Infantry Division of the U.S. Army. It stands in tribute to all who have served our country in the armed forces. The museum’s main exhibit hall transports visitors to the trenches of World War I, the beaches of World War II and the jungles of Vietnam. Outside, tanks are displayed from every era, along with personnel carriers and artillery. The Robert R. McCormick Research Center, open to the public, houses the museum’s library, archival and photo collections. Visit the First Division Museum at Cantigny Park online at [FirstDivisionMuseum.org](http://FirstDivisionMuseum.org).

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