

**The Maldonado Institute for International Security and Global Leadership** sponsors a symposium on global and regional leadership from the perspective of power transitions theory. Dr. Doug Lemke of Pennsylvania State University, who is visiting CGU, joins the International Studies faculty in this symposium. *Power transitions theory* is one of the two major theories in international relations, and CGU's Department of International Studies is the intellectual home to the theory. The theory is an anchor for teaching and research in the department and has fostered numerous PhD dissertations in the department as well as across the United States. At this symposium, Dr. Lemke and the IS faculty shares the most up-to-date developments and applications of the theory. Over forty graduate students of GCG's International Studies Department participate in the symposium.

*4-5:30 pm October 4<sup>th</sup> 2019* **Roundtable Symposium on Global Leadership**

*Coordinator*

**Yi Feng, Director of The Maldonado Institute.**

*Opening Remarks*

**Dr. Ernest Maldonado, Founder, the Maldonado Institute**

*Global Leadership from the View of Power Transition Theory: History and Innovations*

**Dr. Jacek Kugler**

*Regional Leadership Transitions from the View of Power Transition Theory*

**Dr. Doug Lemke**

*Regional Leadership and Transitions in the Middle East: Dr. and Ambassador*

**Sallama Shaker**

*Computer Visualization and Strategic Modeling in the Studies of International Security*

**Dr. Mark Abdollahian**