

To All Faculty & Staff

Dear Colleagues,

The Provost's Lecture Series with the Templeton Research Lecture Series will host a talk by Dr. Les Paldy.

Dr. Paldy is a Distinguished Service Professor of Technology and Science at Stony Brook and began teaching here in 1967. He has won the Distinguished Service Citation of the American Association of Physics Teachers and Stony Brook's Distinguished Alumnus Award.

Professor Paldy's current research focuses on East Asian nuclear issues, an interest sparked by his service as a Marine Corps officer in Korea. He will discuss how lessons learned during difficult Cold War exchanges with the Soviet Union might help solve the seemingly intractable issues over North Korea's recent nuclear weapons test. This talk is presented in conjunction with the Templeton Lecture Series (<http://www.stonybrook.edu/trust/schedule.shtml>).

Dr. Paldy will give a lecture entitled: "Trust–But Verify: Negotiating A Cold War Nuclear Agreement" this Thursday, November 30, 2006 at 4:00 p.m. in Harriman Hall, Room 137.

Please pass along this information to any students or community members you feel may be interested in attending.

- Robert McGrath
Provost & Executive Vice President of Academic Affairs