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WEST POINT RANKED IN TOP 10 BY U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT – Sept. 9, 2014

WEST POINT, N.Y. – A report released today by U.S. News & World Report’s 2015 edition of Best Colleges ranked the U.S. Military Academy in five categories from Civil and Mechanical Engineering, Undergraduate Engineering and High School Counselors Top College Picks.

“This recognition belongs to all of those who make the educational experience at West Point what it is: the nation, the families and friends who entrust us with their loved ones, the students who came here to serve our nation as commissioned leaders of character, and our tremendously talented and dedicated faculty and staff,” said Dean of the Academic Board, Brig. Gen. Timothy Trainor. “Each is a vital component of our success. We are pleased that U.S. News & World Report recognizes the unique and valuable experience provided at West Point to the nation.”

In the Best Undergraduate Engineering Programs category (at engineering schools whose highest degree is a bachelor’s or master’s, West Point ranked No. 3 overall, with our Civil Engineering Program ranked No. 2, and Mechanical Engineering ranked No. 3. In the High School Counselor picks for National Liberal Arts Colleges, the U.S. Military Academy ranked No. 1.

The U.S. Military Academy ranked No. 2 for Top 10 Public Colleges.

Out of 249 liberal arts colleges that U.S. News categorized as awarding more than half of their degrees in the arts and sciences, West Point was listed as No. 24-Best Liberal Arts College overall, when combining both private and public colleges.

About West Point:
The U.S. Military Academy at West Point is a four-year, co-educational, federal, liberal arts college located 50 miles north of New York City. It was founded in 1802 as America’s first college of engineering and continues today as one of our nation’s premier leader-development institutions, consistently ranked among top colleges in the country. Its mission remains constant—to educate, train, and inspire the Corps of Cadets so that each graduate is a commissioned leader of character committed to the values of Duty, Honor, Country and prepared for a career of professional excellence and service to the nation as an officer in the U.S. Army. For more information, go to www.westpoint.edu.