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Bio of **Dr. Larry Wortzel**

Dr. Wortzel is a retired U.S. Army colonel who spent 12 of his 32-year military career in the Asia-Pacific region, including two tours of duty as a military attaché at the American Embassy in China, 1988-1990 and 1995-1997. He served as professor of Asian Studies and director of the Strategic Studies Institute at the U.S. Army War College from 1997-1999, and Asian studies director and then vice president for foreign policy and defense studies at The Heritage Foundation. At present he is one of 12 commissioners appointed by the leadership of Congress to the U.S.–China Economic and Security Review Commission, where he served as chairman of the Commission for the 2008 reporting year. He has written or edited ten books about China as well as numerous policy papers and journal articles. A graduate of the Armed Forces Staff College and the U.S. Army War College, Wortzel is a graduate of Infantry Candidate School as well as both Airborne and Ranger schools. He earned his B.A. from Columbus College, Georgia, and his M.A. and Ph.D. from the University of Hawaii.



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