

End Torture by the United States

Protest U.S. military intelligence training that fosters humiliation, intimidation and torture.

Sunday, November 19, 2006

Headquarters for Army Intelligence Training

Fort Huachuca, Arizona - 2:30 to 4:00 PM

Northeast Corner of Fry Avenue and Buffalo Soldier Trail in Sierra Vista, Arizona.

Survivors of torture by the U.S. will share their stories at this protest. A country that leads the world in torture can not be a free and democratic country.

Torture must stop if we hope to build a free and sustainable future.



The Army Intelligence Training Center at Fort Huachuca educates military personnel in torture and these students go on to train people in torture in countries all across the globe. The United States is responsible for using torture and training other governments in the most modern methods of torture. The *“Human Resource Exploitation Training Manual”* was published by Army Intelligence Training Center at Fort Huachuca. It is used to train U.S. soldiers in torture. Abu Ghraib is only one of many places where the U.S. regularly tortures opponents of U.S. policy. The U.S. has tortured civilians at a number of prisons in Iraq; at Guantanamo Bay; the Bagram Control Point in Afghanistan; in secret prisons in Eastern Europe and Central Asia. Activists in the United States are also tortured by people trained at Fort Huachuca.

Maj. Gen. Barbara Fast, the highest-ranking intelligence officer tied to the Abu Ghraib prison scandal is in charge of the U.S. Army's main interrogation training facility at Fort Huachuca, Arizona. Maj. Gen. Geoffrey Miller, formerly in charge of interrogations at Guantanamo Bay and credited in Maj. Gen. George Fay's investigation with instituting the use of dogs at Abu Ghraib, is now the senior commander in charge of detention operations in Iraq.

Two soldiers with ties to Arizona's Fort Huachuca are among 28 military personnel facing possible criminal charges in the beating death of a pair of suspects at a U.S. air base in Afghanistan two years ago. Army investigators said some of the same officers and soldiers stationed at the Bagram Control Point in Afghanistan at the time of the detainee deaths were sent to Abu Ghraib and were at the Iraq prison when the abuses occurred there.

This protest is coordinated with the actions at The United States Army School of the Americas, now called the Western Hemisphere Institute for Security Cooperation, located at Fort Benning, adjacent to Columbus, Georgia. The United States Army School of the Americas trains commissioned and non-commissioned officers from Latin American militaries.

Everyone is welcome to join the protest at the entrance to Fort Huachuca in Sierra Vista, Arizona

Gather at vacant lot on northeast Corner of Fry Ave. and Buffalo Soldier Trail. Bring signs protesting links between training at the fort and torture at Abu Gharib, Afghanistan, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. If you can't participate in the main School of Americas Watch protest in Georgia join us in Arizona. We will also provide housing in Tucson and a place to camp near Fort Huachuca.

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