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**Tommy G. Thompson Center on Public Leadership to Host Free Talk on Leadership by Former Packer Dr. George E. Koonce, Jr.**

MADISON—On May 3, 2018 the Tommy G. Thompson Center on Public Leadership will host a free public talk on leadership by former Green Bay Packer, Dr. George E. Koonce, Jr.

The “Doctor of Defense” will deliver a presentation entitled: “Leadership On and Off the Field” at the Memorial Union from 4:00-5:30 pm. The presentation will be free and open to the public.

“Nothing brings Wisconsinites together like the Green Bay Packers,” said Thompson Center Director Ryan Owens. “Dr. Koonce’s experiences and education make him an excellent person to discuss leadership—and to help further the Thompson Center’s goal of fostering collegial public leadership.”

For more information, and to **register for free**, go to <https://thompsoncenter.wisc.edu/> and click on “events.”

In addition to the George Koonce presentation, the Center is also hosting a major conference on criminal justice reform on April 26-27 at the Monona Terrace in Madison. More information is available at the Center’s website.

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