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#### "Projecting and Sustaining an Expeditionary Force"

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- NOTE: All participants/speakers are on an invited basis only and subject to change
- 0700-1600 REGISTRATION
- 0700 0800 COFFEE SERVICE
- 0800 0805 SYMPOSIUM ADMINISTRATION, SAFETY, SECURITY **Michael M. Scanlan** Director, Industry Affairs Association of the United States Army
- 0805 0810 INTRODUCTION **GEN Carter F. Ham** United States Army Retired Vice President Association of the United States Army
- 0810 0825 OPENING REMARKS LTG Gustave F. Perna Deputy Chief of Staff, G-4 United States Army
- 0825 0930 PANEL DISCUSSION "Developing Logistics Leaders to Project and Sustain an Expeditionary Army"

Panel Moderator: **LTG Mitchell H. Stevenson** United States Army Retired Senior Vice President, Logistics Solutions Leidos

Panel Chair: **MG Darrell K. Williams** Commanding General United States Army Combined Arms Support Command/ Sustainment Center of Excellence and Fort Lee Panel Members: **Ken White, Ph.D.** Associate Dean for MBA & Executive Programs Raymond A. Mason School of Business College of William & Mary

#### SGM Rodger W. Mansker

United States Army, G-4

#### **CW5 David Williams**

Army Staff Senior Warrant Officer Department of the Army

#### BG John F. Haley

Commanding General 593<sup>rd</sup> Expeditionary Sustainment Command

#### Joshua Wilson

Program Manager Logistics Management Institute

- 0930 0945 REFRESHMENT BREAK
- 0945 1045 PANEL DISCUSSION "Can we get to the Fight? Maximizing Operational Reach and Endurance in a Globally Distributed, Anti-Access/Area-Denial Environment"

Panel Moderator: **LTG Robert Dail** United States Army Retired President Supreme Group, LLC

Panel Chair: **MG Aundre F. Piggee** Director for Logistics and Engineering United States Central Command

Panel Members: **Mark Signorelli** Vice President, General Manager Combat Vehicles BAE Systems

LTG Kathy Gainey United States Army Retired Senior Vice President, Logistics Cypress International

**MG Paul C. Hurley** Commanding General 1<sup>st</sup> Theater Sustainment Command **RADM Vincent L. Griffith** Director, DLA Logistics Operations (J3) Defense Logistics Agency

- 1045 1100 REFRESHMENT BREAK
- 1100 1200 PANEL DISCUSSION "Setting the Theater through Regionally Aligned Forces and Joint & Multi-National Training"

Panel Moderator: **LTG Raymond Mason** United States Army Retired Chief Operating Officer Vision Technology Systems

Panel Chair: **MG Duane A. Gamble** Commanding General 21<sup>st</sup> Theater Sustainment Command

Panel Members: **Kevin P. O'Keefe** Director, Office of Security Assistance Bureau of Politics-Military Affairs United States Department of State

Jay T. Carr Executive Director Acquisition Integration and Management United States Army Sustainment Command

**Jennifer Zakriski** Deputy Director Defense Security Cooperation Agency

MG Paul E. Funk II Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff G-3/5/7

- 1200 1300 LUNCH (On Own, Concessions available in the area)
- 1300 1400 PANEL DISCUSSION "Enabling Expeditionary Logistics in a Joint and Multi-National Environment"

Panel Moderator: **LTG Kathy Gainey** United States Army Retired Senior Vice President, Logistics Cypress International Panel Chair: VADM William Brown Director for Logistics, J4

The Joint Staff

#### Panel Members:

**MG Aundre F. Piggee** Director for Logistics and Engineering United States Central Command

#### Melissa Benkert

Director – Planning, Programs and Analysis Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Logistics and Technology

#### Cdre Andy Kyte Royal Navy

Head of Defence Logistic Operations and Capability UK Ministry of Defence

#### RADM William S. Truelove, CMM, CD

Defence Attaché and Commander CDLS(W) Canadian Armed Forces

- 1400 1415 REFRESHMENT BREAK
- 1415 1445 KEYNOTE SPEAKER GEN Robert B. Abrams Commanding General United States Army Forces Command

#### 1445 - 1500 **LTG Guy C. Swan** United States Army Retired Vice President, Education Association of the United States Army

1500 DEPARTURE

#### BIOGRAPHY

#### General Carter F. Ham, U.S. Army, Retired

General Ham is the executive vice president of the Association of the United States Army. He is an experienced leader who has led at every level from platoon to geographic combatant command. He is also a member of a very small group of Army senior leaders who have risen from private to four-star general.

General Ham served as an enlisted infantryman in the 82nd Airborne Division before attending John Carroll University in Cleveland, Ohio. Graduating in 1976 as a distinguished military graduate, his service has taken him to Italy, Germany, Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, Macedonia, Qatar, Iraq and, uniquely among Army leaders, to over 40 African countries in addition to a number of diverse assignments within the United States.



He commanded the First Infantry Division, the legendary Big Red One, before assuming duties as director for operations on the Joint Staff at the Pentagon where he oversaw all global operations. His first four-star command was as commanding general, U.S. Army Europe. Then in 2011, he became just the second commander of United States Africa Command where he led all U.S. military activities on the African continent ranging from combat operations in Libya to hostage rescue operations in Somalia as well as training and security assistance activities across 54 complex and diverse African nations.

General Ham retired in June of 2013 after nearly 38 years of service. Immediately prior to joining the staff at AUSA, he served as the chairman of the National Commission on the Future of the Army, an eight-member panel tasked by the Congress with making recommendations on the size, force structure and capabilities of the Total Army.

He resides with his wife, Christi, in Arlington, Virginia.



#### Lieutenant General Gustave F. Perna

U.S. Army, Deputy Chief of Staff, G-4



Lieutenant General Gustave F. Perna assumed duties as the U.S. Army's Deputy Chief of Staff, G-4, on 18 September 2014. He oversees policies and procedures used by 270,000 Army logisticians throughout the world. Prior to joining the Army staff he served for two years as Deputy Chief of Staff, G-3/4, U.S. Army Materiel Command, one of the Army's largest commands with 70,000 employees impacting all 50 states and 155 countries.

LTG Perna's other command assignments include: Commander, Joint Munitions Command and Joint Munitions and Lethality Lifecycle Management Command, responsible for the lifecycle management of \$40 billion of conventional ammunition; Commander, Defense Supply Center Philadelphia, Defense Logistics Agency, responsible for the procurement of more than \$14.5 billion worth of food, clothing, textiles, medicines, medical supplies, construction and equipment items for America's Warfighters and other customers worldwide; Commander, 4th Sustainment Brigade, where he deployed the brigade to combat operations during OIF 05-07; Commander, 64th Forward Support Battalion, 3rd Brigade, 4th Infantry Division, Fort Carson, Colorado, where he deployed the battalion to combat operations during OIF I; Deputy Commanding Officer, 64th Corps Support Group, 13th Corps Support Command, Fort Hood, Texas; and Commander, B Company, 143rd Ordnance Battalion, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland.

LTG Perna's key staff assignments include: Director of Logistics, J4, U.S. Forces-Iraq, responsible for sustainment plans and policies for strategic and operational logistics to sustain coalition and joint forces; Executive Officer to the Director of the Defense Logistics Agency, supporting the Director's mission of providing Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps and other federal agencies with logistics, acquisitions and technical services support; Ordnance Branch Chief, Human Resources Command; DISCOM Executive Officer and G4, 1st Cavalry Division, where he deployed to Bosnia; 544th Maintenance Battalion Support Operations Officer and Battalion Executive Officer, 13th COSCOM; and G4 Maintenance Officer, 13th COSCOM, where he deployed to Somalia as a member of Joint Task Force Support Command.

He graduated from Valley Forge Military Academy with an Associate's degree in Business Administration. Graduating as a Distinguished Military Graduate, he was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant, Infantry Officer. He earned a Bachelor's degree in Business Management from the University of Maryland and a Master's degree in Logistics Management from Florida Institute of Technology. His military education includes: Infantry Officer Basic Course, Ordnance Officer Advance Course, Logistics Executive Development Course, Support Operations Course, Command and General Staff College and Senior Service College.

His awards and decorations include: Distinguished Service Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, Defense Superior Service Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, Legion of Merit, Bronze Star Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal with four Oak Leaf Clusters, and the Parachutist and Air Assault Badges.

LTG Perna is married to the former Susan L. Pollack. They have two sons, Cody (married to Ashley) and Ryan; and two granddaughters, Adryiana and Priscilla.





#### LTG Mitch Stevenson (Ret) Senior Vice President and Operations Manager Logistics Solutions Operation (LSO)

LTG (Ret) Mitch Stevenson joined Leidos (formerly SAIC), in March 2012, and is currently Senior Vice President and Operations Manager, Logistics Solutions Operation.

Prior to joining Leidos, he served for over 37 years in the United States Army, culminating his career as the Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics (G-4) at Headquarters Department of the Army. Previous General Officer assignments include Commanding General, US Army Combined Arms Support Command at Fort Lee, Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations (G-3) at Headquarters, Army Materiel Command, Chief of Ordnance and Commandant of the US Army Ordnance Center and Schools at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics (G-4) at Headquarters, US Army Europe, and Director, Logistics Plans, Logistics Operations and Logistics Automation at Headquarters, Department of the Army.

LTG (Ret) Stevenson received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology from West Virginia University in 1974, a Masters of Science from the Florida Institute of Technology in Logistics Management in 1983, and graduated from the US Army War College in 1993. His awards include the Distinguished Service Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters, Legion of Merit with four Oak Leaf Clusters, and Bronze Star. He is an active member of the Association of the United States Army (AUSA), and the National Defense Industrial Association (NDIA). He was inducted into the Ordnance Corps Hall of Fame in 2013 for his significant contributions to the Ordnance Corps and the nation's security.



#### Major General Darrell K. Williams



Major General Darrell K. Williams assumed command of the Combined Arms Support Command, Fort Lee, VA on 7 August 2015. CASCOM, as a major subordinate command of the Training and Doctrine Command, enables the Army's Sustainment Warfighting Function through the development and integration of concepts, doctrine, capabilities and training.

MG Williams previously commanded the 1st Sustainment Command (Theater) where he was responsible for providing theater sustainment to Army forces and elements of the Joint Force throughout the U.S. Central Command (USCENTCOM) Area of Responsibility, to include Afghanistan and Iraq, under the mission command of U.S. Army Central (USARCENT).

Major General Williams is a native of West Palm Beach, Florida. He is a Distinguished Military Graduate of the Hampton Institute ROTC Program and was commissioned into the Army Quartermaster Corps in 1983. Major General Williams is a graduate of the Army Command and General Staff College (CGSC), the School of Advanced Military Studies (SAMS) and a Distinguished Graduate of the National War (NWC) College. He earned a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Psychology from Hampton Institute, Hampton, Virginia and Master's degrees in Military Arts and Sciences, National Security and Strategic Studies, and Business Management (Logistics).

Major General Williams' prior assignments include: Deputy Chief of Staff, U.S. Army Materiel Command (AMC), Redstone Arsenal, Alabama; Commander, Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) Land and Maritime in Columbus, Ohio; Director of Logistics, Engineering and Security Assistance, J-4, Headquarters, United States Pacific Command (USPACOM), Hawaii; Executive Officer to the Army Deputy Chief of Staff, G-4 (Army G-4); Brigade Commander, 3d Sustainment Brigade, Fort Stewart, Georgia; and Deputy C-4, Coalition Forces Land Component Command (CFLCC), Camp Arifjan, Kuwait during Operations Enduring (OEF), Iraqi Freedom (OIF).

His assignments within the Continental U.S. and overseas duty locations include: Ft. Bragg, NC; Fort Lee, VA; Fort Stewart, GA; Fort Leavenworth, KS; the Pentagon, Washington D.C.; Korea; Germany and Hawaii. He has deployed to Kosovo, Kuwait, Iraq, and Afghanistan. Major General Williams' awards and decorations include the Distinguished Service Medal, Defense Superior Service Medal, Legion of Merit, Bronze Star Medal, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal, Combat Action Badge, Parachutist Badge, Parachute Rigger Badge and Army Staff Identification Badge.

MG Williams is married to Myra and they have two children.



Ken White Associate Dean, MBA & Executive Programs Biography

Ken White, Ph.D. is Associate Dean for MBA & Executive Programs at the Raymond A. Mason School of Business at the College of William & Mary. He brings over 20 years of successful leadership experience in higher education to the position, half that time at top business schools. White provides leadership to the School's Full-Time, Flex and Executive MBA programs; the Career Management Center; the MBA Admissions Office and the Center for Corporate Education.

Prior to joining the Mason School, White was Associate Dean for MBA & MS Programs at the University of Maryland's Robert H. Smith School of Business. Before that, he served as Vice President for Communication & Marketing at the University of Virginia's Darden School of Business.

An award-wining classroom teacher, White holds a doctorate in communication from the University of Missouri. He teaches executive communication to MBA students and numerous corporate teams and executives.

White serves as host of the Mason School's weekly podcast, *Leadership & Business*, http://mason.wm.edu/programs/cce/podcast/index.php .The podcast features conversations with today's business leaders from across the world.

He is active in the Public Relations Society of America's (PRSA) MBA Initiative that encourages MBA programs to teach strategic communication. He served two terms on the Graduate Management Admissions Council's (GMAC) Communication Advisory Committee. He shares tips, information and advice pertaining to communication on Twitter @kenwhitephd. Prior to working in higher education, White was an award-winning television sports anchor. He and his wife, a teacher, have three daughters---a junior at the College of William & Mary; a sophomore at the University of South Carolina; and a junior in high school.

#### Areas of Interest/Expertise

- Executive Communication
- Executive Presence
- Personal Branding
- Media Relations
- Public Speaking

#### Sergeant Major Rodger W. Mansker

#### Headquarters Department of the Army

#### **Deputy Chief of Staff G-4 SGM**



The Headquarters Department of the Army Deputy Chief of Staff G-4 Sergeant Major was raised in San Jose, California and later moved to Colorado. He graduated from Calhan High School in June 1985. He joined the United States Army on 27 December 1985 and went to Basic Training on 2 January 1986 at Fort Dix, NJ. After basic he went to Advanced Individual Training (AIT) at Fort Jackson, SC as a Heavy Wheeled Vehicle Mechanic (63S).

The Sergeant Major has held every type of Leadership position from Squad Leader to Command Sergeant Major. His first assignment was in the 602nd Maintenance Company located at Fort Hood, TX working as a heavy wheeled mechanic. His other assignments include B-7/159 Aviation Regiment, Nellingen, Germany as a mechanic with service in Saudi Arabia; 493rd Supply and Service Company, Fort Carson, CO, as a Motor Sergeant with service in Somalia; HHC, DISCOM, 1st Infantry Division, Kitzingen, Germany, as the Senior Maintenance Supervisor; HHB, DIVARTY, 101st Airborne Division, Fort Campbell, KY, as the Senior Maintenance Supervisor; C/801st MSB, 101st Airborne Division, Fort Campbell, KY, as a First Sergeant with service in Iraq; HHC, 64th CSG, Fort Hood, TX as the Operations Sergeant Major with service in Iraq; Regimental Support Squadron, 11 ACR, Fort Irwin, California as the Squadron Command Sergeant Major, 916th Support Brigade, Fort Irwin, California as the Brigade Command Sergeant Major, and the 402<sup>nd</sup> Army Field Support Brigade as the Brigade Command Sergeant Major with service in Iraq, 404<sup>th</sup> Army Field Support Brigade, Fort Lewis, Washington as the Brigade Command Sergeant Major, and United States Army Security Assistance Command (USASAC), Redstone Arsenal, Alabama as the USASAC Command Sergeant Major.

The Sergeant Major's military education includes Primary Leadership Development Course, Basic Non-Commissioned Officers Course (63B), Advanced Non-Commissioned Officers Course (63B), First Sergeants Course, Master Fitness Training Course, Battle Staff Non-Commissioned Officer Course, and United States Army Sergeants Major Academy (Class 55). His civilian education includes a Bachelors Degree in Resource and Technology Management from Troy University, and is pursuing a Masters Degree in Strategic Leadership.

His awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit (3), Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (3), Army Commendation Medals (5), Army Achievement Medals (5), Army Good Conduct Medals (8), and the National Defense Medal w/ Bronze Star device. He is also the recipient of The Ordnance Order of Samuel Sharpe and The Field Artillery Order of Saint Barbara.



## Chief Warrant Officer Five David Williams

## Army Staff Senior Warrant Officer Headquarters, Department of the Army Washington, DC

Appointed on 14 March 2014 by the Chief of Staff of the Army (CSA), CW5 Williams serves as the first Army Staff Senior Warrant Officer (ARSTAF SWO). As the ARSTAF SWO, he provides the CSA with subject matter expertise on all aspects of warrant officer training and development.



Prior to his selection as the ARSTAF SWO, CW5 Williams served in multiple broadening positions to include: Officer Education Branch Chief, HQDA G-3/5/7, Pentagon, Washington, D.C; Program Manager, Warrant Officer Training Programs and Chief, Army Training Requirements and Resources System, Leader Development Division, Human Resources Command, Alexandria, VA; Commander, 1<sup>st</sup> Warrant Officer Company; Small Group Instructor, Advanced Studies Branch, Warrant Officer Career College; and as the Senior Training, Advising, and Counseling (TAC) Officer at Fort Rucker, AL.

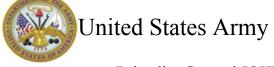
He completed the Warrant Officer Candidate School and Army Flight Training in 1987. As an Army Aviator, CW5 Williams served with the 237<sup>th</sup> Medical Detachment (Air Ambulance), Fort Ord, California; 17<sup>th</sup> Aviation Brigade, Korea; Commandant, Military District of Washington Air Assault School, 12<sup>th</sup> Aviation Battalion, Fort Belvoir, Virginia; Executive Officer, C/159<sup>th</sup> Aviation Regiment, Fort Bragg, North Carolina; and Operations & Executive Officer, Fort Belvoir Regional Flight Center, Fort Belvoir, Virginia.

His combat tours include serving as the Senior Warrant Officer and Warrant Officer Advisor to the Multi-National Force-Iraq Commanding General; Multi-National Corps-Iraq Tactical Operations Officer, and Aviation Tactical Operations Officer for the Operational Support Airlift Command.

CW5 Williams is a graduate of the Fixed-Wing Qualification Course, CH-47D Aircraft Qualification Course, Rotary Wing Instrument Flight Examiner Course, Tactical Operations Course, Naval Post-Graduate School Safety Officer Course, UH-1 Instructor Pilot Course, Warrant Officer Staff Course, Warrant Officer Senior Staff Course, and holds a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration from the University of Maryland.

CW5 Williams entered active duty with the United States Army in July 1977. During his tenure as an enlisted Soldier, he served as a Personnel Administrative Specialist, Medical Specialist, and Counterintelligence Special Agent.

His awards include the Bronze Star Medal; Meritorious Service Medal (3 OLCs); Air Medal; Army Commendation Medal (6 OLCs); Joint Service Achievement Medal; Army Achievement Medal (4 OLCs); Army Good Conduct Medal, Third Award; National Defense Service Medal, Second Award; Noncommissioned Officer Professional Development Service Ribbon with Numeral Two; Army Service Ribbon, and Overseas Ribbon with Numeral Three. He is also authorized to wear the Department of the Army Staff Identification Badge, Expert Field Medical Badge, Parachutist Badge, Master Army Aviator Badge, Path Finder Badge, and the Air Assault Badge.



#### Brigadier General JOHN F. HALEY

Commanding General 593d Sustainment Command (Expeditionary) Building 12235, 24th Street Joint Base Lewis-McChord, Washington 98433 Since: June 2015

#### SOURCE OF COMMISSIONED SERVICE ROTC

EDUCATIONAL DEGREES St. Lawrence University – BS – Chemistry Naval War College – MA – National Security and Strategic Studies

MILITARY SCHOOLS ATTENDED Ordnance Officer Basic Course Combined Logistics Officer Advanced Course United States Army Command and General Staff College United States Naval War College

#### FOREIGN LANGUAGE(S) None recorded

PROMOTIONS	DATE OF APPOINTMENT
2LT	2 Sep 87
1LT	2 Sep 89
CPT	1 Feb 92
MAJ	1 Jan 98
LTC	1 Sep 02
COL	1 Feb 07
BG	2 Dec 13

FROM TO ASSIGNMENT

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Jun 15	Present	Commanding General, 593d Sustainment Command (Expeditionary), Joint Base Lewis-
		McChord, Washington
May 13	Jun 15	Commandant, United States Army Ordnance School, Fort Lee, Virginia
Jul 11	May 13	Special Assistant to the Commanding General, United States Army Materiel Command,
	-	Alexandria, Virginia
Jun 10	Jun 11	Executive Officer to the Commanding General, Army Materiel Command, Redstone Arsenal,
		Alabama
Aug 08	Aug 10	Commander, 405th Army Field Support Brigade, Army Materiel Command, Germany
Jul 07	Jul 08	Chief, Maintenance Division, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-4, United States Army,
		Washington, DC
Aug 06	Jun 07	Student, United States Naval War College, Newport, Rhode Island
Jun 03	Jun 06	Commander, 703d Forward Support Battalion, 3d Infantry Division (Mechanized), Fort
		Stewart, Georgia and OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, Iraq
Mar 01	Apr 03	Military Aide to the Vice President, later Senior Military Aide to the Vice President,
	-	Presidential Support Detachment, The White House, Washington, DC
Jul 99	Feb 01	Operations Officer, later Executive Officer, 701st Main Support Battalion, 1st Infantry
		Division, United States Army Europe and Seventh Army, Germany

Jul	98	Jul	99	Operations, Training and Intelligence Officer, Division Support Command, 1st Infantry Division, V Corps, United States Army Europe and Seventh Army, Germany		
Jun	97	Jun	98	Student, United States Army Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas		
Apr		Jun		Force Management Officer, later Logistics Proponer		
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				Alexandria, Virginia		
Sen	94	Apr	95	Training Officer, 593d Corps Support Group, I Corps, Fort Lewis, Washington		
-		Nov		Commander, 85th Maintenance Company, 80th Ordnance Battalion, 593d Corps Support		
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Nov	92	Sep	93	Maintenance Officer, G-4, I Corps, Fort Lewis, Washington		
		Nov		Student, Combined Logistics Officer Advanced Cou		Army Logistics
	-		-	Management College, Fort Lee, Virginia		<i>j</i>
Jan	91	May	92	Aide-de-Camp, 21st Theater Army Area Command,	United States Army	Europe and Seventh
		5		Army, Germany	,	1
Aug	89	Jan	91	Platoon Leader, later Maintenance Control Officer,	546th Maintenance	Company, 66th
U				Maintenance Battalion, 21th Theater Army Area Co		
				Seventh Army, Germany		
Mar	88	Jul	89	Adjutant, S-2/3, General Support Center, 29th Area	Support Group, 21s	t Theater Army Area
				Command, United States Army Europe and Seventh	n Army, Germany	
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				esidential Support Detachment, The White House,		Colonel
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				PERATIONAL ASSIGNMENTS	DATE	<u>GRADE</u>
Com	man	der, 7	703d	Forward Support Battalion, OPERATION IRAQI	Jun 03 - Sep 03	Lieutenant Colonel
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Com	man	der, 7	703d	Forward Support Battalion, OPERATION IRAQI	Jan 05 - Jan 06	Lieutenant Colonel
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Legion of Merit (with 2 Oak Leaf Clusters)						
Bronze Star Medal (with Oak Leaf Cluster)						
Meritorious Service Medal (with 4 Oak Leaf Clusters)						
Army Commendation Medal						
Joint Service Achievement Medal						
Army Achievement Medal (with 2 Oak Leaf Clusters)						
Combat Action Badge						
Parachutist Badge						
Vice	Vice-Presidential Service Badge					

#### Joshua A. Wilson

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The DoD lead for LMI's Organizational Improvement and Human Capital Group, Mr. Wilson has more than 15 years of experience within the Department of Defense and management consulting industry. His experience ranges from implementing strategies to improving operational and staffing performance, workforce planning for organizational transformation, to strengthening the alignment between priorities, structure, processes, and culture. He has worked with both Public sector and Commerical clients. Josh focuses on helping senior leaders develop the necessary

analytics to make strategic choices.

Josh currently serves top-management clients in the DoD community as they address complex strategy and policy issues with a specific focus on organizing and structuring positions within the DoD strategic resource and policy decision making forums. This expertise has been leveraged for various requirements identification and validation efforts with the primary focus being organizational capability assessments.

In 2009-2010 Josh was responsible for over 200 Million USD in United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) reconstruction projects in Iraq. During that time, Josh was also a liaison to the Provincial Reconstruction Team (State Department) with responsibilities of coordinating reconstruction efforts between USACE, local government officials, and Multi-National Security Transition Command-Iraq (MNSTC-I).

After departing the U.S. Military, Josh worked as an emerging market consultant helping U.S. companies develop market entry strategies for the Middle East. During that time he supported mid-cap as well as fortune 1000 companies in strategy development, joint venture partnerships, and security coordination. Josh has experience as a panel speaker at both the U.S. Chamber of Commerce and the Department of Commerce on project finance and successful market entry strategies with a specific focus on the Middle East.

Josh graduated from the United States Military Academy at West Point, where he was a member of the Varsity Basketball Team for four years, and possesses a Bachelor of Science degree in Systems Engineering. Josh also maintains a Master's of Science in Engineering Management from the University of Missouri at Rolla.



Lieutenant General ROBERT T. DAIL

Retired Jan 01, 2009



#### SOURCE OF COMMISSIONED SERVICE ROTC

<u>EDUCATIONAL DEGREES</u> University of Richmond – BS – Business Administration Boston University – MBA – Business Administration United States Army Command and General Staff College – MMAS – Military Art and Science National Defense University – MS – National Resource Management

MILITARY SCHOOLS ATTENDED Transportation Officer Basic and Advanced Courses United States Army Command and General Staff College School of Advanced Military Studies Industrial College of the Armed Forces

FOREIGN LANGUAGE(S) None recorded

PROMOTIONS	DATE OF APPOINTMENT
2LT	26 Aug 75
1LT	26 Aug 77
CPT	21 Jan 80
MAJ	1 Jan 86
LTC	1 Apr 91
COL	1 Sep 95
BG	1 Jan 00
MG	1 Feb 03
LTG	1 Jan 05
<u>FROM</u> <u>TO</u>	ASSIGNMENT
Nov 75 Feb 77	Assistant Movement Officer, later Platoon Leader, Headquarters and Headquarters Company,
	79th Transportation Battalion, Fort Story, Virginia
Feb 77 Feb 78	Control Center Officer, 331st Transportation Company, 79th Transportation Battalion, Fort
	Story, Virginia
Feb 78 Dec 78	Operations Officer, later S-1 (Personnel), 79th Transportation Battalion, Fort Story, Virginia
Dec 78 Nov 79	Commander, 309th Transportation Detachment, 79th Transportation Battalion, Fort Story,
	Virginia
Dec 79 Jul 80	
Oct 80 Sep 81	
	Army Europe and Seventh Army, Germany

LTG Dail, Robert T.				
	Commander, 598th Transportation Company, 4th Transportation Command, United States Army Europe and Seventh Army, Germany			
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Jun 94 Jun 95 Spe				
Op	7 Oct 98 Executive Officer to the Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics, later Acting Director for Plans, Operations and Logistics Automation, Office of Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics, United States Army, Washington, DC			
	Director for Logistics, United States Joint Forces Command, Norfolk, Virginia			
	00 Jul 01 Commanding General, 3d Corps Support Command, United States Army Europe and Seventh Army, Germany			
Jul 01 Aug 03 Con	g 03 Commanding General, United States Army Transportation Center, Fort Eustis, Virginia			
Aug 03 Nov 04 Dir	04 Director, J-3/J-4, United States Transportation Command, Scott Air Force Base, Illinois			
Nov 04 Aug 06 Deputy Commander, United States Transportation Command, Scott Air Force Base, Illinois				
Aug 06 Nov 08 Dir	rector, Defense Logistics Agency, Fort Belvoir, Vir	ginia		
SUMMARY OF JOINT	ASSIGNMENTS	DATE	GRADE	
	Inited States Joint Forces Command, Norfolk,	Oct 98 - Jul 00	Colonel/Brigadier General	
Director, J-3/J-4, United Base, Illinois	States Transportation Command, Scott Air Force	Aug 03 - Nov 04	Major General	

Force Base, Illinois Aug 06 - Nov 08

Deputy Commander, United States Transportation Command, Scott Air

Director, Defense Logistics Agency, Fort Belvoir, Virginia

SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS ASSIGNMENTS DATE Security, Plans and Operations Officer/S-3 (Operations), Division Support Nov 90 - Apr 91 Command, 24th Infantry Division (Mechanized), Fort Stewart, Georgia and OPERATIONS DESERT SHIELD/STORM, Saudi Arabia

GRADE Major/Lieutenant Colonel

Lieutenant General

Lieutenant General

Nov 04 - Aug 06

#### LTG Dail, Robert T.

US DECORATIONS AND BADGES Distinguished Service Medal Defense Superior Service Medal (with Oak Leaf Cluster) Legion of Merit (with Oak Leaf Cluster) Bronze Star Medal Meritorious Service Medal (with 4 Oak Leaf Clusters) Army Commendation Medal (with 4 Oak Leaf Clusters) Army Achievement Medal Master Parachutist Badge Senior Parachutist Badge Parachutist Badge Ranger Tab Army Staff Identification Badge



Major General Aundre F. Piggee Director of Logistics & Engineering, J4 United States Central Command



Major General Aundre F. Piggee currently serves as the Director of Logistics & Engineering, J4, United States Central Command (USCENTCOM) where he is responsible for planning, synchronizing, and controlling the efforts of the Joint Logistics and Engineering Enterprise in support of USCENTCOM missions throughout Southwest Asia (SWA), Central Asian States and the entire USCENTCOM Area of Responsibility.

Major General Piggee is a Native of Stamps, Arkansas. He commissioned into the United States Army in 1981 from the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff where he graduated as a Distinguished Military Graduate with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Biology. He has a Master of Science Degree in Material Acquisition Management from the Florida Institute of Technology and a Master's Degree in Military Strategy from the Army War



College. Major General received an Honorary Doctorate Degree in Doctor of Laws from the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff.

His military education includes the Quartermaster Officer Basic Course, the Ordnance Officer Advance Course, Combined Arms Staff Services School, the Logistics Executive Development Course, the Command and General Staff College and the Army War College.

His most significant assignments include: Commanding General, 21<sup>st</sup> Theater Sustainment Command, Kaiserslautern, Germany; Assistant Chief of Staff, J4 and Combined Forces Command, C4, United States Forces Korea, Seoul, South Korea; and Executive Officer to the Vice Chief of Staff, Army, the Pentagon.

Major General Piggee's other notable assignments include: Commander, 15<sup>th</sup> Sustainment Brigade, Fort Hood, Texas; Chief, Support Operation Division, Assistant Chief of Staff, G-4, 8th U.S. Army, Seoul, South Korea; Commander, Division Rear and Chief of Staff, 1st Cavalry Division, Fort Hood, Texas; Commander, 15<sup>th</sup> Forward Support Battalion and 1<sup>st</sup> Cavalry Division, G4, Fort Hood, Texas.

Major General Piggee's awards and decorations include the Distinguished Service Medal, Defense Superior Service Medal, Legion of Merit (2 OLC), the Bronze Star, the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the Army Meritorious Service Medal (3 OLC), Army Commendation Medal (4 OLC), the Army Achievement Medal (3 OLC). He wears the Department of Defense and Army Staff Identification Badges.

March 2016





Platforms & Services Senior Leadership

Mark Signorelli Vice President and General Manager, Combat Vehicles

Mark Signorelli is vice president & general manager of Combat Vehicles focused on the tracked vehicle market and associated support functions servicing both U.S. and international customers. This portfolio includes the Bradley family of vehicles, M88 recovery vehicles, M109 family of vehicles, M113 family of vehicles, the Future Fighting Vehicle (FFV) program and the portfolio of USMC products, including the Assault Amphibious Vehicle (AAV) and Amphibious Combat Vehicle (ACV). In addition, this business unit also includes the Support and Technical Services and Protection Systems businesses.

In his previous roles as vice president and general manager of both the Vehicle Systems and Armored Combat Systems businesses, he oversaw portfolios of vehicle systems included in the legacy Land & Armaments sector. Before that Signorelli led the Weapon Systems, New Vehicles, and Amphibious Systems businesses. He also held leadership positions over various Army and armament organizations including Future Combat Systems and the Crusader program.

Signorelli joined the former United Defense in 1997 after serving 21 years as a field artillery officer in the U.S. Army. He served in a wide variety of command and staff positions including in the National Military Command Center, in III Corps, the 1st Cavalry Division, Eighth U.S. Army, U.S. Field Artillery School, and 72nd Field Artillery Brigade. During Operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm, Signorelli served as the 1st Cavalry Division Artillery operations officer in Saudi Arabia, Kuwait and Iraq.

Born in Hempstead, N.Y., Signorelli lived his childhood as an Air Force brat before receiving a Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Florida. Following graduation, he was commissioned as a second lieutenant in the field artillery through the ROTC program.

Signorelli is married to the former Pamela Warm, a nationally board certified art teacher. Their son John attends North Dakota State University where he is pursuing an engineering degree. Their daughter Maria attends Wayne State University with interests in engineering and the performing arts. Together they enjoy fishing, hunting, golf, running, and bicycling.

## BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION LIEUTENANT GENERAL KATHLEEN M. GAINEY UNITED STATES ARMY (RETIRED)

Lieutenant General Kathleen M. Gainey joined Cypress International after more than 35 years as an American Soldier. General Gainey received her commission as a second lieutenant through ROTC in 1978, after graduating from Old Dominion University in Norfolk, Va., with a Bachelor of Science degree in Special Education.

Later, she attended Babson College, Wellesley, Mass., to complete her Master's in Business Administration in Contract Management and Procurement. Her military education includes the Army Command and General Staff College, Army Contracting Course, and the Army War College.

Her recent assignments include Deputy Commander, US Transportation Command where she led the command through a major strategic review and period of increasing forces in Afghanistan and decreasing forces in Iraq. General Gainey also served as the Director of Logistics for the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. Here she led a review of the dependency of contractors on the battlefield, updated guidance and equipment divestiture for the departure of forces from Iraq and established an Interagency Logistics Council.

Her coalition experiences include an assignment to the Multinational Forces Iraq as the Director of Resources and Sustainment. Her Joint experience includes three tours at US. Transportation Command, Director of Distribution for the Defense Logistics Agency, and Joint Staff Director of Logistics.

Lt. Gen. Gainey's other assignments include chief, Container Freight Branch, Military Ocean Terminal Bay Area, MTMC Western Area, Oakland, Calif.; program analyst, United States Armament, Munitions and Chemical Command, Rock Island, III.; executive officer, 2d Area Support Group, 22d Support Command; S-2/S3, 702d Transportation Battalion, Saudi Arabia; division transportation officer, 24th Infantry Division (Mech), Fort Stewart, Ga.; special assistant to the Chief of Staff, Army, Washington, D.C.; chief Joint Operations Division, U.S. Transportation Command, Scott Air Force Base, III.; director, Force Projection and Distribution, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-4, Washington, D.C.; deputy chief of staff, Resources and Sustainment, Multi-National Force-Iraq, Operation Iraqi Freedom; director for Logistics, J4, the Joint Staff. She wears the Army Staff and the Joint Staff Identification Badge.

General Gainey received numerous awards and recognitions including receiving 2004 Distinguished Alumni Award from Old Dominion University, and in 2011 she was awarded Federal Computer Weekly's Federal 100 Award. In 2013 she was inducted into the Women of Distinction by the Missouri Athletic Club and received the National Defense Transportation Association's Department of Defense Distinguished Service Award for 2011-2013.



**United States Army** 

Major General PAUL C. HURLEY, JR.

Commanding General 1st Sustainment Command (Theater) Camp Arifjan, Kuwait APO AE 09366 Since: August 2015



Maj. Gen. Paul C. Hurley Jr. joins 1st Sustainment Command (Theater) from U.S. Army Forces Command where he served as the deputy chief of staff, G-4. Hurley was commissioned through the Reserve Officer Training Corps program at Texas A&M University in July 1986.

Hurley's civilian education includes a bachelor's degree in Engineering Technology from Texas A&M University, as well as master's degrees in Industrial Engineering from the University of Tennessee and Strategic Studies from the U.S. Air Force Air University. His military education includes the Transportation Officer Basic and Advance Courses, the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College, and the U.S. Air Force War College.

Hurley's command experience includes platoon leader, 34th Transportation Company and 372nd Transportation Company, 29th Transportation Battalion, Fort Campbell, Kentucky; company commander, 96th Transportation Company (HET), 180th Transportation Battalion, Fort Hood, Texas; battalion commander, 47th Forward Support Battalion, 1st Armored Division, Baumholder, Germany and Operation Iraqi Freedom, Baghdad, Iraq; brigade commander, National Training Center Support Brigade, Fort Irwin, California; and commanding general, 19th Sustainment Command (Expeditionary), 8th U.S. Army, Camp Henry, South Korea.

His staff experience includes serving as Assistant Division Transportation Officer, 101st Airborne Division, Fort Campbell, Kentucky and Operation DESERT STORM; Battalion Maintenance Officer and S-1, 180th Transportation Battalion, Fort Hood, Texas; Division Transportation Officer, 82nd Airborne Division and Executive Officer, 307th Forward Support Battalion (Airborne), Fort Bragg, North Carolina; J-7 Joint Training Operations Analyst and then Executive Assistant to the Vice J-7, Joint Staff, Washington, D.C.; G-4, 1st Armored Division, Wiesbaden, Germany; G-4, I Corps, Fort Lewis, Washington; CJ-4, Multinational Corps – Iraq with subsequent duty as the Deputy J-4, US Forces – Iraq, Operation IRAQI FREEDOM; Deputy Commanding General and Director of Operations, Military Surface Deployment and Distribution Command, Scott Air Force Base, Illinois; and CJ-4, US Forces Korea, Seoul, South Korea.

Hurley's awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit with two oak leaf clusters; Bronze Star Medal with three oak leaf clusters; Defense Meritorious Service Medal; Meritorious Service Medal with one oak leaf cluster; Joint Service Commendation Medal; Army Commendation Medal with three oak leaf clusters; Joint Service Achievement Medal; Army Achievement Medal; Combat Action Badge; Ranger Tab; Senior Parachutist Badge; Air Assault Badge; and the Joint Chiefs of Staff Identification Badge.



### Rear Admiral Vincent L. Griffith Director, DLA Logistics Operations (J3) Defense Logistics Agency

Rear Adm. Vincent L Griffith graduated with a bachelor's degree in business administration from Berry College in 1981. He was commissioned in 1982 through Officer Candidate School as an ensign in the Navy Supply Corps. He received a Master of Business Administration from the George Washington University, and completed Emory University's Goizueta Graduate School of Management's Advanced Executive Business Program and the Navy Corporate Business Course at University of Virginia, Darden School of Business.

Prior to assuming his current position, he served as Commander Naval Supply Systems Command Global Logistics Support, where he was responsible for



providing an extensive array of integrated global logistics and contracting services to Navy and joint operational units. Other Flag assignments have been as commander, DLA Aviation, and director, Fleet Ordnance and Supply and fleet supply officer, U.S. Fleet Forces Command, Norfolk, Virginia.

Griffith has served in several sea tours, including a submarine, USS Stonewall Jackson (SSBN 634), and two aircraft carriers, the USS Saratoga (CV 60) and USS John C. Stennis (CVN 74).

His shore tours include the Naval Supply Center, Charleston, South Carolina; Naval Supply Systems Command (NAVSUP), Washington, D.C.; Naval Inventory Control Point, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; the Chief of Naval Operations Staff; Naval Air Station Lemoore, California; Naval Air Forces U.S. Pacific Fleet, San Diego, California; and Fleet and Industrial Supply Center, Jacksonville, Florida.

Griffith became the director of DLA Logistics Operations (J3) in June 2014. DLA Logistics Operations is responsible for the end-to-end supply chain management of DLA's nine supply chains, providing logistics and material process management policy, guidance, oversight and monitoring of supply chain performance. DLA Logistics Operations oversees the daily operation of DLA's field activities in supporting 2,400 weapon systems and engages customers around the world to maximize readiness and logistics combat power by leveraging enterprise solutions.

His personal awards include the Defense Superior Service Medal, three Legions of Merit, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, three Meritorious Service Medals, five Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medals, Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal and Expert Rifle and Pistol Medal. He has earned warfare qualifications as a Submarine Supply Corps officer, Surface Warfare Supply Corps officer and Aviation Supply officer. He is also a member of the Navy Acquisition Professional community.

#### RAYMOND V. MASON COO, VT Systems Alexandria, VA



Vision Technologies Systems is a US based global company with \$1.2 B in annual revenue. VTS owns 12 companies with business interests in Aerospace, Shipbuilding, Ground Systems and Electronics. Ray joined VTS in Oct 2014.

Raymond V. Mason retired in October 2014, after serving 35 years in the United States Army, the last 12 as a General Officer. At retirement, he was the senior military logistics professional in the Department of the Army.

General Mason's last tour on active duty was as the Deputy Chief of Staff, Logistics on the Army Staff. General Mason assumed this position in November 2011. In this capacity he was responsible for the world-wide sustainment of Total Army forces across the full range of supply chain management, maintenance, transportation, operational contracting, contingency basing, operational energy and information technology systems. In this position General Mason served as the Chairman of three boards: Army Depot Maintenance; Army Uniform; Army & Air Force Exchange Service; and as a member of the Defense Commissary Agency Board.

Prior to his duties at the Pentagon, General Mason served as the Deputy Chief of Staff, Logistics, Forces Command, Fort McPherson, Georgia. FORSCOM is the Army's largest and most diverse field command, comprising over 800K Soldiers, providing trained and ready forces to Combatant Commanders across the globe.

During his military career, General Mason commanded and led logistics and multi-functional units from the platoon to national level; across the full range of Army combat and joint operational capabilities. He also had extensive experience in strategic level logistics, to include a tour as the Deputy Director for Logistics, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

He served multiple overseas tours in Germany, Australia, Korea and Hawaii. Combat tours included serving as the 82d Airborne Support Command Operations Officer in Grenada; and as the Senior Logistics Officer in 3d Army, with responsibility for providing sustainment to combat forces in Kuwait, Iraq, Afghanistan and Horn of Africa.

His command billets include: Services Company, Sydney Australia; 407<sup>th</sup> Forward Support Battalion, 82d Airborne Division; Support Command, 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division; Defense Supply Center, Defense Logistics Agency, Philadelphia, PA; 19<sup>th</sup> Expeditionary Support Command, Korea; and 8<sup>th</sup> Theater Support Command, Hawaii, where he was also the Senior Mission Commander overseeing all Army Hawaii missions.

He holds a Bachelor of Arts in Management & Marketing from James Madison University (78); a Master of Science in Procurement & Acquisition Management from Florida Institute of Technology (86); and a Master of Science in Strategic Resource Management from the National Defense University (99).

General Mason currently resides in Alexandria, Virginia with his wife of 35 years, the former Patti Kay Harris of Williamsburg, Va. They have two children, Nick a professional golfer, and Sarah a civilian employee of the Department of the Army serving in Stuttgart Germany.



United States Army Major General DUANE A. GAMBLE Commanding General 21st Theater Sustainment Command United States Army Europe and Seventh Army APO AE 09263 Since: June 2015



Major General Duane A. Gamble assumed command of the 21st Theater Sustainment Command on June 24, 2015. In this position, he ensures the 21st Theater Sustainment Command sets the United States European Command (EUCOM) and as directed, the United States Africa Command (AFRICOM) theaters; employs warfighting functions to support Unified Land Operations, deploys ready forces to execute theater opening, theater distribution, sustainment, and supports the U.S. Army Europe Theater Security Cooperation efforts.

Most recently, MG Gamble served as the Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics (G-4). There he provided overview and direction in the management of actions pertaining to logistics operations, readiness, strategy, integration, force projection, and distribution.

Before joining the Army staff, MG Gamble served as the Deputy Commanding General of the 1<sup>st</sup> Sustainment Command (Theater). He oversaw the sustainment, equipping, training, mobilization and deployment of logistics forces in support of CENTCOM and ARCENT operational priorities.

MG Gamble served as Commander, 528th Sustainment Brigade (Airborne), supporting Army Special Operations Forces in Iraq, Afghanistan and the Philippines; Commander, 426th Forward Support Battalion (Air Assault) supporting the Bastogne Brigade (1st Brigade, 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault); Deputy Commanding Officer, 46th Corps Support Group (Airborne); and Commander, Company B, 782nd Maintenance Battalion (Airborne) supporting the Falcon Brigade (2nd Brigade, 82nd Airborne) during Desert Storm and Desert Shield.

MG Gamble's other key staff assignments include: Director, Force Projection and Distribution (G-44D), Army G-4; Deputy J-4, United States Forces Iraq; J-4, Joint Task Force Haiti; G-4, XVIII Airborne Corps; G-4, NATO Rapid Deployable Corps – Turkey; Executive Officer for the Army Materiel Command G3; G4, 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault) during Operation Iraqi Freedom; and Executive Officer, 307th Forward Support Battalion (Airborne), 82nd Airborne Division.

A native of Arbutus, Maryland; MG Gamble attended Western Maryland College, where he earned a Bachelor of Arts degree and commissioned as an Ordnance officer in May 1985. He has earned Masters of Science degrees from the Florida Institute of Technology and from the Industrial College of the Armed Forces.

MG Gamble's awards and decorations include the Distinguished Service Medal, Bronze Star Medal (with Oak Leaf Cluster), Air Assault Badge, and Master Parachutist Badge.



KEVIN P. O'KEEFE Director, Office of Security Assistance Bureau of Political-Military Affairs U.S. Department of State

Kevin O'Keefe is a career member of the Senior Executive Service, and serves as the Director of the Office of Security Assistance in the Bureau of Political-Military Affairs. He is responsible for managing approximately \$6 billion in U.S. security assistance annually; providing State Department oversight and input for Department of Defense train-and-equip programs; and implementing the Global Security Contingency Fund, a novel State-Defense shared funding account that addresses security sector challenges. Previously, he served as Office Director of the Office of Plans, Policy and Analysis, where he was responsible for overseeing security assistance; providing State Department input for Department of Defense planning and military activities; and managing a Presidential initiative to expand worldwide peacekeeping capacity.

Before joining the Department of State in September 2006, Mr. O'Keefe worked as a relationship manager for Battelle Memorial Institute's Office of Homeland Security. In this capacity, he planned and coordinated the development of technology solutions for several U.S. Government clients utilizing a wide spectrum of scientific and technical capabilities resident in Battelle.

Prior to joining Battelle, Mr. O'Keefe served 26 years as an officer in the U.S. Marine Corps, where he commanded infantry units ranging in size from a 40-man rifle platoon to a 1200-man Battalion Landing Team. As an operational staff officer, he served as an infantry battalion logistics officer, a future ground operations officer for a Marine Expeditionary Force, and an operations officer for a Marine Expeditionary Unit (Special Operations Capable). He was deployed for training and contingency operations throughout East Asia, Southwest Asia, the Horn of Africa, Central America, and Northern Europe, including service as the operations officer of a 5000-man international force that conducted the final withdrawal of U.N. forces from Somalia. Additionally, he served as the military assistant to the Chief of Staff, U.S. Forces Japan, Tokyo; taught political science and coached rugby at the U.S. Naval Academy; and was designated a China Foreign Area Officer. In his final assignment on active duty, Mr. O'Keefe served in the Pentagon for four years as Head of the International Issues Branch at Headquarters, U.S. Marine Corps. In this position, he was the senior uniformed foreign policy advisor to the Commandant of the Marine Corps and the Marine Corps staff, with principal responsibility for formulating and coordinating policy dealing with all political-military / international issues for the Marine Corps.

Mr. O'Keefe received a Bachelor of Science degree in International Security Affairs from the U.S. Naval Academy, a Master of Arts degree in National Security Studies from Georgetown University, and was a National Security Fellow at Harvard University's Kennedy School of Government. He is a graduate of the Marine Corps Command and Staff College, the Naval War College Command and Staff Course, the Marine Corps School of Advanced Warfighting, the Defense Security Assistance Management Executive Course, and numerous other military schools and courses.



## **U.S. ARMY SUSTAINMENT COMMAND**

#### Mr. Jay T. Carr Executive Director for Acquisition Integration and Management Center

Mr. Jay T. Carr was appointed to the Senior Executive Service in June of 2013 and serves as Executive Director for the Acquisition Integration and Management Center). In this position, Mr. Carr has overall executive responsibility for the Acquisition Integration and Management Center, under which contractors from the private sector are used to provide a broad range of logistical and life support services to U.S. and allied forces during combat and training operations. In addition to these responsibilities, he is the principal interface for all Acquisition Integration and Management Center operations within the Federal Government and Congress. Mr. Carr served as Director of Enterprise Contracting and alternate Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting for U.S. Army Contracting



Command-Rock Island (ACC-RI). His duties included providing contracting support and advice to his primary customers including Joint Munitions Command, PEO Ammunition, PEO Enterprise Information Systems, and Chemical Materials Agency. Prior to his current position, Mr. Carr served as: Executive Director of Support, Office of Security Cooperation – Iraq, U.S. Embassy, Bagdad, Iraq, February 2014 – July 2014; Executive Director, Acquisition Integration and Management Center, U.S. Army Sustainment Command, July 2013 - February 2014; Director, Enterprise Contracting, ACC-RI, March 2012 – June 2013; Director, Contract Operations, ACC-RI , March 2011 – March 2012; Chief, Reachback Contracting Division, ACC-RI , July 2009 – March 2011; Executive Officer, ACC-RI, March 2009 – July 2009; Chief, Field Support Contracting Division, ACC-RI, September 2006 –March 2009; Logistics Civil Augmentation Program Contracting Branch Chief, ACC-RI June 2004 – September 2009; Director of Contracting, U.S. Army Central Command, Saudi Arabia; June 2003 – June 2004; Chief, Contracting Division, US Army Corps of Engineers, Rock Island District, June 2001 – June 2003.

Mr. Carr graduated with a Bachelors of Art, Social Sciences, from Winona State University, Winona, MN in 1989 and earned his Master of Science, Management/Acquisition and Contract Management in 1999 from Florida Institute of Technology, Melbourne, FL.

He is an Army Acquisition Corps member and Level III certified in Contracting. Mr. Carr is also the recipient of the following awards and honors: 2011 Secretary of the Army Excellence in Acquisition Award. (Team); 2008 Secretary of the Army Excellence in Acquisition Award. (Team); 2006 Army Material Command Outstanding Military Contacting Officer of the Year; Legion of Merit; Bronze Star Medal; Meritorious Service Medal (4); Army Commendation Medal (5); Army Achievement Medal (3).



Apr 2015



## Ms. Jennifer Zakriski

Deputy Director Defense Security Cooperation Agency





Ms. Jennifer Zakriski is the Deputy Director of the Defense Security Cooperation Agency (DSCA). She previously served as the Principal Director for both Programs and Strategy at DSCA. She has held positions covering a variety of responsibilities throughout the Department of Defense (DoD).

Prior to being assigned to DSCA, she was the Director for Afghanistan in Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Policy (OUSD(Policy)). Ms. Zakriski has also served as the Principal Director for Force Development in

OUSD(Policy), where she led the development of several DoD strategic guidance documents, served as chief of staff for the DoD Quadrennial Roles and Missions Review, and served as the Executive Secretary of the 2010 Quadrennial Defense Review. Also within OUSD(Policy), she worked in the Special Operations/Counter-Terrorism office, the Force Transformation and Resources office, and Resources and Planning office.

Before coming to OUSD(Policy), she worked in office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, and in the office of the Deputy Chief of Staff of the Army for Operations (G-3/5/7).

Prior to joining DoD, Ms. Zakriski was a research associate at the Center for Strategic and International Studies, first on Russian democratization and economic transition, and later in the Political-Military department.

Ms. Zakriski graduated from the University of Chicago with a Bachelor's of Arts in Political Science. She has a Master's degree in Security Policy from the George Washington University.



#### Major General PAUL E. FUNK II

Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff, G-3/5/7 United States Army 400 Army Pentagon 2E670 Washington, DC 20310-0400 Since: September 2015

#### SOURCE OF COMMISSIONED SERVICE ROTC

#### EDUCATIONAL DEGREES

Montana State University – BA – Communications Speech Central Michigan University – MSA – Administration

MILITARY SCHOOLS ATTENDED

Armor Officer Basic and Advanced Courses United States Army Command and General Staff College Senior Service College Fellowship - University of Texas

#### FOREIGN LANGUAGE(S) None recorded

PROMOTIONS	DATE OF APPOINTMENT
2LT	26 May 82
1LT	10 Jun 85
CPT	1 Nov 87
MAJ	1 May 95
LTC	1 Jun 99
COL	1 Mar 05
BG	26 Jul 10
MG	2 Apr 13

FROM TO ASSIGNMENT

Sep 15	Present	Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff, G-3/5/7, United States Army, Washington, DC
May 13	Aug 15	Commanding General, 1st Infantry Division and Fort Riley, Fort Riley, Kansas and
		OPERATION INHERENT RESOLVE, Iraq
Jun 11	May 13	Deputy Commanding General (Maneuver), 1st Infantry Division, Fort Riley, Kansas and
		OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, Afghanistan
Apr 09	Jun 11	Deputy Commanding General, United States Army Combined Arms Center, Fort Leavenworth,
-		Kansas
May 08	Apr 09	Chief of Staff, III Corps and Fort Hood, Texas
Jun 05	Apr 08	Commander, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division, Fort Hood, Texas and
	_	OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, Iraq
Aug 04	May 05	Senior Service College Fellow, Institute for Advanced Technology, University of Texas,
		Austin, Texas
Jun 02	Jul 04	Assistant Chief of Staff, G-3, 1st Cavalry Division, Fort Hood, Texas and OPERATION IRAQI
		FREEDOM, Iraq
Jun 00	Jun 02	Commander, 1st Squadron, 7th Cavalry Regiment, 4th Brigade, 1st Cavalry Division, Fort
		Hood, Texas
Jun 98	Mar 00	Chief, Joint Exercise Section, North American Aerospace Defense Command
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SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTS       DATE       GRADE         Deputy Commanding General (Maneuver), 1st Infantry       Apr 12 - Mar 13       Brigadier General         Division/Combined Joint Task Force-1, OPERATION ENDURING       FREEDOM, Afghanistan       Major/Lieutenant         Chief, Joint Exercise Section, North American Aerospace Defense       Jun 98 - Mar 00       Major/Lieutenant         Command (NORAD)/United States Space Command, Peterson Air       Colonel       Major/Lieutenant				
Force Base, ColoradoDATEGRADESUMMARY OF OPERATIONAL ASSIGNMENTSDATEGRADECommander, Combined Joint Forces Land Component Command- Iraq, OPERATION INHERENT RESOLVE, IraqOct 14 - Jun 15Major GeneralDeputy Commanding General (Maneuver), 1st Infantry Division/Combined Joint Task Force-1, OPERATION ENDURINGApr 12 - Mar 13Brigadier General				
FREEDOM, Afgh Commander, 1st E		Oct 06 - Jan 08	Colonel	
Assistant Chief of IRAQI FREEDOM	Staff, G-3, 1st Cavalry Division, OPERATION <i>A</i> , Iraq	Jan 04 - Jun 04	Lieutenant Colonel	
Commander, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 4th Battalion, Jan 91 - Jun 91 Ca 67th Armor Regiment, 3d Armored Division, United States Army Europe and Seventh Army, Germany and OPERATIONS DESERT SHIELD/DESERT STORM			Captain	
Distinguished Serv Defense Superior Legion of Merit ( Bronze Star Meda Defense Meritorio Meritorious Servio	Service Medal with 3 Oak Leaf Clusters) 1 (with 3 Oak Leaf Clusters)			

Army Achievement Medal Combat Action Badge



#### VICE ADMIRAL WILLIAM A. BROWN DIRECTOR FOR LOGISTICS, J4 JOINT STAFF

Vice Adm. William A. Brown hails from Gloucester County, Virginia. A Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps scholarship student at Virginia Military Institute, he was commissioned in the Navy in May 1980. He received a master's degree in business administration from the Navy Postgraduate School in 1990 and attended Stanford Business School Executive Training Program in 2004.

Ashore, he was assigned to the Naval Air Systems Command; the former Naval Aviation Supply Office; Commander, Naval Air Force, U.S. Atlantic Fleet; Naval Supply Systems Command and Commander, Naval Air Forces. During the initial phases of Operations Enduring Freedom and Iraqi



Freedom, he was the operations director at the Naval Inventory Control Point, Philadelphia, providing aviation logistics support to deployed aviation units.

Brown has served in a variety of sea and shore duty assignments providing him with extensive logistics and management expertise. His initial sea tour was aboard USS John F. Kennedy (CV 67), assigned to the Supply Department. He served as supply officer aboard USS Leftwich (DD 984) during Operation Nimble Archer and completed his sea assignments as supply officer aboard USS George Washington (CVN 73) during Operation Southern Watch in 2000.

Brown previously served as the USTRANSCOM deputy commander, U.S. Transportation Command, Scott Air Force Base, Illinois, and USTRANSCOM director of Strategy, Policy, Programs and Logistics (J5/4).

He also served as director of logistics (J4) at United States European Command, Stuttgart-Vaihingen, Germany, where he directed logistical support for U.S. forces assigned to the United States European Command theater of operations. Prior to assuming his position at EUCOM, he served as the commander, Fleet and Industrial Supply Centers, San Diego, and fleet supply officer at U.S. Fleet Forces Command in Norfolk, Virginia.

Brown is currently assigned as the director for logistics (J4) on the Joint Staff. As the J4, he is responsible for integrating logistics planning and execution in support of joint operations to

He assumed command of the Canadian Defence Liaison Staff (Washington) and became Defence Attaché to the United States on 31 July 2015.

A Commander of the Order of Military Merit and twice awarded the United States Legion of Merit, RAdm Truelove is married to Brenda ( nee Foss ) and has two children, Anthony and Ashley.

#### Melissa K. Benkert Director – Planning, Programs and Analysis

Melissa Benkert is the Director for Planning, Programs and Analysis (PPA) in the Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics (AT&L). PPA is the Department of Defense focal point for the authorization of international agreements for research, development, production, acquisition, and logistics support. Seeking to foster greater international cooperation, PPA administers the Coalition Warfare Program and the Defense Exportability Features Program. Ms. Benkert serves as the AT&L lead for technology transfer and export control issues and is a member of the National Disclosure Policy Committee.

Previously, Ms. Benkert served as the Associate Director for International and Interagency Programs in the Office of the Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller), where she provided oversight and management for a complex set of authorities and appropriations associated with the Department's international support programs, including the Afghan Security Forces Fund, support for Coalition Forces deployed in support of U.S. military operations, and partner capacity building.

From 2000-2010, Ms. Benkert served as a research analyst at the Center for Naval Analyses (CNA), a Federally Funded Research and Development Center. She conducted research and analysis on issues ranging from DoD's Partnership for Peace programs to carrier air wing support for Operations Iraqi Freedom and Enduring Freedom and served as CNA's deployed representative to the Commander, Enterprise Carrier Strike Group. In addition, Ms. Benkert served as the Special Assistant and Advisor to the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Global Security Affairs and as the Director for Ministerial Development in the Defense Reconstruction Support Office.

Ms. Benkert's other experience includes work as an arms control analyst supporting program offices at the Departments of Defense and Energy and seven years at the Atlantic Council of the United States. She served as the Atlantic Council's Director for Planning and as the Deputy Director for Civil-Military Relations, leading a training program for senior officials in Eastern Europe and the former Soviet Union.

Ms. Benkert was promoted to the Senior Executive Service in 2012. She is a recipient of the Secretary of Defense Medal for Outstanding Public Service. Ms. Benkert earned an M.A. in Security Policy Studies from the George Washington University and received her B.A. in Political Science and History from Creighton University.

#### **Commodore Andy Kyte Royal Navy**

#### **Head of Defence Logistic Operations**

#### **UK Joint Forces Command**

Commodore Kyte joined the Royal Navy as a Logistics Officer in 1987. Junior appointments included a tour in the aircraft carrier HMS ARK ROYAL, a posting as the Deputy Logistics Officer on the Type 21 frigate HMS ACTIVE (1992-3), and an operational tour in Northern Ireland (1993-4), responsible for providing logistic support to the ships and Royal Marine units engaged in maritime security operations.

Following promotion to Lieutenant Commander in 1996, he joined the Type 22 Frigate HMS CHATHAM as the Logistics Officer supporting two deployments to the Arabian Gulf. After an appointment on the staff at Britannia Royal Naval College Dartmouth, he served as the Deputy Base Logistics Officer in Her Majesty's Naval Base Devonport, delivering second line support to the ships, submarines and auxiliaries based there.

Promoted to Commander in 2002, he served on the staff of Flag Officer Sea Training before taking up an appointment in J4 Ops Support in the Permanent Joint HQ (2004-6), supporting logistic planning for operations in Iraq and Afghanistan and leading the development of joint logistic policy. In 2006 he joined the amphibious assault ship HMS BULWARK as Commander Logistics, and then in 2008 moved to the Equipment Capability area of the Ministry of Defence, responsible for the Royal Navy's replacement support shipping programme.

He joined the Army's 8 Force Engineer Brigade on promotion to Captain (OF-5) in February 2009, deploying later that year as the Deputy Commander, HQ Joint Force Support (Afghanistan), responsible for the delivery of logistic support to the deployed UK joint force. In 2010 he took up the appointment of Deputy Assistant Chief of Staff (Logistic Operations and Plans) in Navy Command HQ, where he was in charge of planning operational logistic support, including maritime operations off Libya in 2011.

He assumed the post of Secretary and Executive Assistant to the First Sea Lord and Chief of Naval Staff in March 2012 and, following promotion to Commodore in August 2014, he assumed his current post of Head of Defence Logistic Operations and Capability within the UK Joint Forces Command. In this role, he is responsible for the provision of strategic level logistic planning and direction in support of current and contingent operations including acting as the lead planner for the NATO VJTF.

Commodore Kyte is a graduate of both the Advanced (2000) and Higher (2011) Command and Staff Courses and attended the inaugural UK/US Rising 1\* Leaders Forum at the US NDU in April 2014. He holds a Bachelor of Arts in Modern History and a Masters in Defence Studies and is a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport.



#### REAR ADMIRAL BILL TRUELOVE, CMM, CD CANADIAN DEFENCE ATTACHÉ

RAdm Truelove, born in Liverpool, Nova Scotia, enrolled in the Canadian Forces in 1981. He attended Royal Roads Military College, graduating in 1985 with a Bachelor's Degree in Military and Strategic Studies. After graduation, he completed his initial naval officer training in HMC Ship's CHALEUR, FUNDY, SASKATCHEWAN and QU'APPELLE. In 1986, he was posted to HMCS ATHABASKAN where he served as a Bridge Watchkeeper, Navigation Officer and Above Water Warfare Officer. This was followed in 1990 by a two-year assignment at the Canadian Forces Officer Candidate School in Chilliwack, BC.

In 1992, RAdm Truelove was promoted to Lieutenant-

Commander and attended the Operations Room Officer course. On completion, he was posted to HMCS IROQUOIS as Combat Officer until 1995, including a 7-month deployment to the Adriatic Sea in support of the United Nations Embargo on the former Yugoslavia. In 1995, he was appointed as the Senior Staff Officer, Above Water Warfare in Maritime Command Headquarters following which he returned to Victoria in 1997 to assume Command of HMCS CHALEUR. In 1998, he attended the Canadian Forces Command and Staff College and was then promoted to Commander and appointed as Executive Officer of HMCS PRESERVER. RAdm Truelove returned to Victoria to command HMCS REGINA from August 2001 – August 2003, including a 5 month deployment to the Persian Gulf in support of Operation Apollo – Canada's contribution to the War on Terrorism. He then commanded the Naval Officer Training Center in Victoria, BC from September 2003 until June 2004.

In July 2004, RAdm Truelove was selected to attend the Naval War College in Newport, Rhode Island as a member of the Naval Command College Class of 2005, while also completing a Master's degree in International Relations at Salve Regina University. In August 2005, he was appointed as the Canadian Forces Naval Attaché in Washington and subsequently assumed Command of Maritime Operations Group Four in Esquimalt in July 2006. In 2007, RAdm Truelove moved to Ottawa and assumed duties as the Special Assistant to the Vice Chief of the Defence Staff until July 2008 when he transitioned to Special Advisor to the Chief of the Defence Staff. He was promoted to Commodore in June 2009, and was Commandant and Vice Chancellor of the Royal Military College of Canada from 2009 – 2011. Following a 9-month deployment at ISAF HQ, Kabul, Afghanistan as the Deputy in the Strategic Communications Directorate, RAdm Truelove was promoted to his current rank in May 2012 and commanded Maritime Forces Pacific/Joint Task Force Pacific from 4 June 2012 until July 2015.

drive joint force readiness, maximize the Joint Force Commander's freedom of action and advise the chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff on logistics matters.

His awards include the Defense Distinguished Service Medal, the Defense Superior Service Medal, Legion of Merit (four awards), Meritorious Service Medal (four awards), Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal (two awards), Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal and various other decorations. He is a qualified Naval Aviation Supply Corps officer and Surface Warfare Supply Corps officer. Brown is a 1989 recipient of the Navy League's Vice Admiral Robert F. Batchelder Award.

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General Robert B. Abrams Commanding General U.S. Army Forces Command



General Robert B. "Abe" Abrams became the 22nd commander of U.S. Army Forces Command, August 10, 2015. He is a 1982 graduate of the United States Military Academy where he was commissioned as an armor officer. During his 33 years of service he has served in command and staff positions across the Army, Joint and Department of Defense community in Germany, the United States, and Southwest Asia.

His tours of duty with warfighting units include 3rd Armored Division; 1st Cavalry Division (three tours); the 3rd Infantry Division; and 3rd Armored Cavalry Regiment. His joint experience includes serving as a strategic war planner for the Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff, with responsibility for CENTCOM Area of Operations; and as Director of the Joint Center of Excellence for Improvised Explosive Device Defeat/Deputy Director for Training for Joint IED Defeat Organization (JIEDDO).

General Abrams has commanded at every level from company thru division, including command of D Company and Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 8th Cavalry Regiment where he deployed the HHC in support of Operations DESERT SHIELD and DESERT STORM; Commander, 1st Battalion, 8th Cavalry Regiment; Commander, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division where he deployed the BCT to Sadr City and nine Nissan Districts of Baghdad, Iraq in support of Operation IRAQI FREEDOM II; Commanding General, National Training Center and Fort Irwin; Commanding General, 3rd Infantry Division and Fort Stewart/Hunter Army Airfield where he deployed the division headquarters and commanded Combined Joint Task Force-3 and Regional Command-South, International Security Assistance Force (ISAF), Kandahar, Afghanistan. He has extensive operations experience having served as an operations officer at squadron, regimental and division level and as a division chief of staff. General Abrams has also served as an instructor, doctrine writer, and training developer at the U.S. Army Armor School, and as the Executive Officer to the Commanding General, U.S. Army Europe and 7th Army.

His other general officer assignments include service as Deputy Commanding General, Combined Arms Center- Training, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and most recently as Senior Military Assistant to the Secretary of Defense.

General Abrams holds a bachelor of science degree from the United States Military Academy; a master of science in administration from Central Michigan University; and a master's degree in strategic studies from the United States Army War College. His military schooling includes the Armor Basic and Advanced Courses, the Combined Arms and Services Staff School, the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College, and the U.S. Army War College.