

Sequence of Events



Welcome and Introductions

Invocation

Flowers & Gift Presentation

Arrival of the Official Party

Ruffles & Flourishes

Honors to the Nation

Change of Command

Remarks

The Signal Corps March

The Army Song

Reception to follow



Unit History



The 7th Signal Command (Theater) was activated on July 1, 1975 on Fort Ritchie, Maryland, tasked to oversee and support all CONUS Signal operations, complementing the 5th Signal Command in Europe and the 6th Signal Command in the Pacific. The Command provided communications, automation, visual information, printing/publications, and records management services to CONUS Army units.



The 7th Signal Command was deactivated on October 1, 1993 and its functional support components were redistributed to Fort Detrick, Maryland and several other posts. On July 22, 2008, the 7th Signal Command was reactivated at Fort Gordon, Georgia as part of the "Grow the Army" initiative. On September 1, 2021, the Command relocated half its headquarters to Fort George G. Meade, Maryland.

The Army's premier communications provider with global reach, the 7th Signal Command (Theater) enables the Army's ability to build, train, compete, fight, and win across complex Joint & Coalition Multi-and All-domain environments. We execute theater-level DODIN operations; and we plan and deliver continual improvements to the Unified Network to provide the CONUS digital infrastructure required by National Leaders, the Joint Force and the Army for data-driven operations and decision making.



HHC, 7th Signal Command (Theater), Fort Meade, Maryland Commander: CPT Sophie Rosado First Sergeant: 1SG Candice Bromell



21st Theater Signal Brigade, Fort Detrick, Maryland Commander: COL John Sanders Command Sergeant Major: CSM Thomas Bray



93d Theater Signal Brigade, Fort Eustis, Virginia Commander: COL Glenroy Haskins Command Sergeant Major: CSM Melanie Coronado



106th Theater Signal Brigade, Fort Sam Houston, Texas Commander: COL Chante Pondexter Command Sergeant Major: CSM Joshua Miles



Change of Command



Hosted by

MG Jacqueline D. McPhail

Commanding General

Network Enterprise Technology
Command

25 June 2025

McGlachlin Parade Field Fort Meade, Maryland



BG Eric J. Van Den Bosch

Outgoing Commanding General 7th Signal Command (Theater)

BG Eric J. Van Den Bosch is the Commanding General, U.S. Army 7th Signal Command (Theater) and Deputy Commanding General, U.S. Army Network Enterprise Technology Command (NETCOM), with experience across tactical, strategic, Army enterprise, joint, special operations, and coalition environments.

He previously served as Chief of Staff for the Network Cross Functional Team at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland, to enable the Army's Integrated Tactical Network Modernization signature efforts.

BG Van Den Bosch has over 28 years in the Army and experience in Command, Control, Communications, Computers and Information (C4I) Systems enabled by degrees in Electrical Engineering, Master's of Business Administration in Information Technology Management, and Master's in Strategic Studies.

After graduating from The Ohio State University in 1995, BG Van Den Bosch served a branch detail to Field Artillery. In 1997, he served in Training/Operations for 516th Signal Brigade, as a Staff Officer for 25th Infantry Division G-6, and as Battalion S-6 for 1-27 Infantry Regiment in Hawaii. Assigned to Fort Bragg and USASOC in 2001, he was Company Commander in both 4th PSYOP Group and 112th Signal Battalion (Special Operations) (Airborne), and later S-6 for 4th PSYOP Group.

In 2008, he served in DISA supporting CENTCOM in Joint NETOPS and Network Defense stationed at MacDill AFB. In 2011, he was assigned to the HQDA CIO/G-6, as Deputy Chief, and later Chief of the Enterprise Architecture Division focused on the Army Network Plan and IT Reform. In 2014, he commanded the 39th Signal Battalion supporting US Forces in northern Europe including direct support to the Supreme Allied Commander Europe (SACEUR) and Nuclear Surety mission.

In 2017, BG Van Den Bosch was assigned as the Executive Officer for the CECOM CG and Senior Commander for Aberdeen Proving Ground before assignment in 2018 to XVIII Airborne Corps as the Chief Information Officer and G-6 at Fort Bragg, deploying to Iraq as the Commander of the Erbil Air Base and Director of CJTF OIR's Kurdistan Coordination Center.

He and his wife Annette have three adult children and two children with them in Maryland



BG Anne-Marie R. Wiersgalla

Outgoing Commanding General 7th Signal Command (Theater)

BG Anne-Marie R. Wiersgalla, born in La Crosse, Wisconsin, most recently served as the U.S. Southern Command Director of Communication Systems and Chief Information Officer (J-6/CIO). She graduated from the University of Wisconsin-Madison in 1997 with a

Bachelor of Arts in Political Science and was commissioned in the U.S. Army Signal Corps. She later earned a Master of Arts in Diplomacy from Norwich University, a Master of Arts in National Security and Strategic Studies from the Naval War College, and a Master of Strategic Studies from the Army War College.

BG Wiersgalla has held a variety of Army positions including Platoon Leader, 19th Theater Army Area Command; Company Executive Officer, A Co, 51st Signal Battalion; Brigade Signal Officer, 82nd Division Support Command; Company Commander, HHC, 72nd Signal Battalion; Telecommunications Systems Engineer, 72nd Signal Battalion; Brigade S-6, 5/2 Stryker Brigade Combat Team; Battalion Commander, 307th Expeditionary Signal Battalion; Chief of Data Strategy and Policy, Headquarters, Department of the Army (HQDA), Chief Information Office (CIO)/G-6; Director, Strategic Initiatives Group/Strategic Communications, HQDA, CIO/G-6; Commander, 1st Signal Brigade; and Chief of Staff, Eighth U.S. Army.

BG Wiersgalla's joint assignments include Joint Plans, Exercise, and Readiness Branch Chief, Defense Information Systems Agency and Deputy Director, Current Operations, Joint Force Headquarters-Department of Defense Information Networks, United States Cyber Command.

In support of the Global War on Terrorism, BG Wiersgalla's operational deployments included Operation IRAQI FREEDOM II and Operation IRAQI FREEDOM 05-07 in Iraq as well as Operation ENDURING FREEDOM 09-11 in Afghanistan.

BG Wiersgalla's military education includes the Signal Officer Basic Course; Basic Airborne Course; Jumpmaster Course; United States Marine Corps Expeditionary Warfare School; Combined Arms Services and Staff School; Command, Control, Communications, and Computers Planners Course; Joint Command, Control, Communications, Computers and Intelligence Staff and Operations Course; Naval Command and Staff College; Defense Strategy Course; Advanced Strategic Art Program; and Army War College.

BG Wiersgalla's awards and decorations include the Defense Superior Service Medal, Legion of Merit (with 2 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters), Bronze Star Medal (with 2 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters), Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (with 3 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters), Army Commendation Medal (with 3 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters), and Army Achievement Medal (with 1 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters). She is qualified and authorized to wear the Senior Parachutist Badge and the Army Staff Badge. Her foreign decorations include the Venezuelan Parachutist Badge.



THE ARMY SONG

March along, sing our song, with the Army of the free. Count the brave, count the true. who have fought to victory We're the Army and proud of our name! We're the Army and proudly proclaim: First to fight for the right, and to build the Nation's might, And the Army goes rolling along. Proud of all we have done. fighting till the battle's won, And the Army goes rolling along. Then it's Hi! Hi! Hey! The Army's on its way. Count off the cadence loud and strong For where'er we go, you will always know, That the Army goes rolling along.

SIGNAL CORPS MARCH

From flag and torch in the Civil War,
to Signal satellites afar.
We give our Army
the Voice to give Command.
On battlefield or global span,
In combat we're always in the fight.
We speed the message day or night.
Technicians too, ever skillful,
Ever watchful,
We're the Army Signal Corps!





