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## MR. SAACKS PARTICIPATES IN 2026 AUSA GF WARRIORS CORNER ACQUISITION AT SPEED

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## LEADERSHIP RECAP

This month, CECOM reinforced its role as a leader in Army modernization, leveraging public-private partnerships and advanced data strategies to enhance readiness and support global operations. The strategic importance of this work was highlighted at the national level when Gen. Dan Caine, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, specifically thanked logisticians for their support during the conflict with Iran. Operationally, the ILSC Medical Systems Directorate is transitioning to a predictive stance by implementing a new data strategy to modernize the medical supply chain. In parallel, CECOM's leadership in public-private partnerships, a cornerstone of the Army's new Strategic Capital Initiative, was showcased by the integration of industry in our production lines and software development cycles, specifically sUAS assembly.

Alongside these strategic advancements, several current and former team members were recognized for their significant contributions. Mr. Saacks represented CECOM at the AUSA Global Force Symposium speaking as part of the Acquisition at Speed Warriors Corner. Additionally, congratulations are in order for the 2026 C5ISR Hall of Fame inductees: Lt. Gen. (Ret.) David Bassett, Maj. Gen. (Ret.) David Gust, Maj. Gen. (Ret.) Randy Taylor, and the families of Thomas Ficklin IV and Frank Fiorilli, who are all being honored for their invaluable and lasting contributions to the C5ISR mission.



Maj. Gen. James D. Turinetti IV  
Commanding General, CECOM  
Senior Commander, APG

## NEWS

- *Medical Systems Directorate brings new expertise to CECOM ILSC*
- *Induction ceremony for C5ISR Hall of Fame Class of 2025, 2026 set for April 30*
- *The Mitchell D. Rogozinski Crisis Action Team Room: a legacy of service and future of readiness*

## HIGHLIGHTS



### Army under secretary witnesses future of warfighter readiness

Tobyhanna Army Depot, Pa.

Under Secretary of the Army Michael A. Obadal visited U.S. Army Communications-Electronics Command Tobyhanna Army Depot on March 19 to see the depot's boundless capabilities, modern facilities, and dynamic workforce. The under secretary's visit emphasized the organization's role as the readiness provider of choice for warfighters worldwide. Obadal was accompanied by Lt. Gen. Gavin Lawrence, deputy commanding general of Army Materiel Command; Maj. Gen. James D. Turinetti IV... →



### Momentum builds as Army's multi-year medical logistics transformation yields success

Fort Hood, Texas

For decades, the Army's medical supply chain operated in its own world, a complex and often-isolated system separate from the way the force managed other commodities. But a massive, multi-year transformation known as Medical Logistics in Campaigning, is changing that, and a recent strategic offsite to usher in "Wave 3" of the initiative brought together experts from across the enterprise who say the effort has now reached a "tipping point" for the better as momentum builds around the new way forward throughout the force. →



### Engineers drive Army aviation readiness with air traffic control support

Fort Detrick, Md.

As the landscape of air traffic control changes with the proliferation of unmanned aerial systems, the U.S. Army Communications-Electronics Command's Information Systems Engineering Command is up to the challenge of upgrading technology infrastructure and command and control systems to support these changes. The USAISEC Air Traffic Control Engineering Team is a group of specialized engineers playing a vital, behind-the-scenes role in ensuring the safety and readiness of Army aviation operations worldwide. →

## MOMENTS & MILESTONES

Today, the Army is embracing new technologies, moving towards artificial intelligence and mobile phone applications to support maintenance and Next Generation Command and Control as the model for producing scalable, agile Army systems. These innovative systems trace their origin to the Signal Corps' developments and efforts from 60 years ago. In 1960, the Army unveiled its first large-scale mobile computer, MOBIDIC, short for MOBILE Digital Computer, developed to support the tactical striking force of the modern Army. →

