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AMC to recognize three Army Civilians in Hall of Fame

Army Materiel Command announced it will induct three Army Civilians into its 2022 Hall of Fame class. They will be recognized during a Sept. 20 ceremony hosted by AMC Commander Gen. Ed Daly at AMC headquarters. The AMC Hall of Fame was established in 2012 to honor and memorialize Soldiers and Army Civilians who have made significant and enduring contributions to AMC and the Army. "The AMC Hall of Fame is a long-standing tradition within the enterprise that showcases leaders at all levels who have made significant contributions to the AMC mission of providing materiel readiness to our Army," Daly said. "The recognition program honors a legacy of service that is inextricably linked to past, present and future of AMC's success, and consequently, the success of our Soldiers and our entire Army."

Click on the names or photos of the inductees below to learn more about their service.



Kathryn Szymanski



James Carpenter



Dr. Priscilla Ransohoff



IMCOM, Auburn University sign historic agreement

JOINT BASE SAN ANTONIO-FORT SAM HOUSTON, Texas – Installation Management Command and Auburn University in Alabama solidified a 10-year partnership for natural resource management services with the signing of an intergovernmental service agreement Sept. 7. This historic IGSA is the first of its kind nationwide to include eight military installations.

[Related content](#) – Leaders meet to discuss Fort Benning IGSA partnership opportunities.



JMC embraces flexible work options, 21st Century Workplace

ROCK ISLAND ARSENAL, Ill. – In support of the 21st Century Workplace initiative, Joint Munitions Command headquarters is embracing a collaborative environment that supports the mission using workplace flexibilities. For more than two years, Army Materiel Command subordinate commands have maximized telework driven by the COVID-19 pandemic. As restrictions adjust and cases fluctuate, AMC is shifting to a 21st Century Workplace model that integrates workforce flexibilities and JMC is onboard and moving forward.



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PEOPLE FIRST – QUALITY OF LIFE UPDATES



Leaders see results and more work ahead during Alaska visit

FORT WAINWRIGHT, Alaska – Army leaders at all levels are applying energy and resources to improving the quality of life for Soldiers and families assigned to Alaska. A group of such leaders, including J. Randall Robinson, the senior civilian and executive deputy to the commanding general of Installation Management Command, visited Fort Wainwright and Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson to see firsthand some early results of this integrated effort and to identify ways to further accelerate progress.



Fort Hood sees housing improvements reflected in 2022 survey

FORT HOOD, Texas – The Army recently released the results from its 2022 Tenant Satisfaction Survey. In that survey, while Army-wide there was a slight decline in the satisfaction scores, Fort Hood saw marked improvement in every area. With an overall service satisfaction score of 76%, Fort Hood exceeded the Army average of 74.9% and improved its score by 4.8%.

[Related content](#) – Tenant Satisfaction Survey shows Knox Hills improving in most categories.



Leaders address barracks concerns following Soldier feedback

FORT STEWART, Ga. – Fort Stewart leaders, led by Command Sgt. Maj. Quentin Fenderson, the 3rd Infantry Division enlisted senior leader, held a stand down day with senior NCOs from various organizations to address mold concerns following Soldiers voicing issues of mold to installation leaders and posting imagery of mold-filled rooms on social media platforms. Fenderson stressed the mold stand down day was a “re-bluing of the force,” and stated this was the first step in a chain-teach campaign to reinforce leader presence and leader accountability.

Final exterior grading takes place at fiscal year 2020-funded barracks project

FORT MCCOY, Wis. – Ken Green with the Army Corps of Engineers Resident Office at Fort McCoy said Sept. 2 that final exterior landscaping and grading was completed next to the fiscal year 2020 transient training troops barracks project at Fort McCoy. Green, who made the announcement as part of a weekly update about the project, said in the report the construction of a second four-story barracks is 97 percent complete. On the exterior grading, he said the contractor was “getting the site up to finish grade.”

Child Youth Services helps families save money

FORT CARSON, Colo. – If you want to go back to work but are worried about child care costs, Fort Carson Child and Youth Services has a job for you. CYS is offering Direct Care employees a 50% discount on child care as an effort to fill roughly 200 positions.

[Related content](#) – Fort Sill TAP to host second virtual career fair: over 40 companies expected.



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Employee Services Center supports suicide prevention

TOBYHANNA, Pa. – September is Suicide Prevention Awareness Month and members of Team Tobyhanna have many resources available to them and their families at Tobyhanna Army Depot. One such resource is the Employee Services Center, which is available 24/7 via the ESC Hotline at (570) 615-5591 for immediate assistance. The ESC offers brief, solution-focused counseling to help employees or their families balance the struggles they may be having.

Local leaders learn about Fort Polk training, tactics, more

FORT POLK, La. – Joint Readiness Training Center and Fort Polk Commander Brig. Gen. David W. Gardner, and Fort Polk Garrison Commander Col. Sam Smith, hosted a “State of JRTC” event. Among the guests were mayors, state and U.S. congressmen and senators, and representatives from Northwestern State University, Louisiana State University-Alexandria and England Air Park. Smith explained how Fort Polk was one of four “Quality of Life” installations in the Army.

Community leaders learn APG mission at Immersion Day

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, Md. – Local, state and federal community leaders attended Immersion Days Aug. 22-23 to gain a big-picture perspective on the groundbreaking research conducted here. Maj. Gen. Robert Edmonson II, Communications-Electronics Command’s commanding general and Aberdeen Proving Ground senior commander, hosted the events where attendees learned how organizations are putting people first and readying the nation.

Special forces unit trains at Tobyhanna Army Depot

TOBYHANNA, Pa. – The Military Training team at Tobyhanna Army Depot recently hosted Soldiers from a Special Forces unit, giving them the training and tools needed to support emerging warfighter needs. Refrigerators and air conditioning units were among machines that these Soldiers were trained to repair using a variety of techniques.

AMCOM urges readiness during National Preparedness Month

REDSTONE ARSENAL, Ala. – People in northern Alabama are unfortunately very familiar with natural disasters. On April 27, 2011, a deadly tornado outbreak destroyed homes, businesses and many lives. Since then, the Aviation and Missile Command’s G-4 protection and property division has created a robust awareness campaign to encourage employees to prepare for the next disaster. That campaign includes an emergency action plan tailored to AMCOM’s facilities.

NYC firefighters remembered by name in South Korea

CAMP WALKER, Republic of Korea – Hundreds of U.S. Army Garrison Daegu community members honored the victims of the 9/11 terrorist attacks during a remembrance ceremony. “Your presence reminds us all of how important this day is in our history to remember and reflect,” said Mike Diehl, USAG Daegu Fire and Emergency Services fire chief.

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