

## Army Acquisition Project/Product Director Centralized Selection Board Results

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FORT BELVOIR, Va. (January 24, 2024) – The Army Acquisition Corps selects candidates for the FY25 Project Director and FY24 Product Director Centralized Selection Boards held June 5 – 9, 2023 at the Human Resources Command, Fort Knox, Kentucky.

The Product and Project Director (PD) concept is to centrally select high performing, high potential Army acquisition civilian program management personnel at the GS-14 and GS-15/broadband equivalent level to serve in PD positions within the Program Executive Office (PEO) structure. The Director, Acquisition Career Management (DACM)'s objective is to direct personnel assignments within the PEOs to facilitate the placement of these selected civilian personnel in PD positions. This central management of civilian PDs is a core tenant of the civilian talent management concept.

A talent management board of directors met October 12<sup>th</sup> to approve the position slates, for the newly selected Project and Product Directors. LTG Robert L. Marion, Principal Military Deputy, Assistant Secretary of the Army, Acquisition, Logistics and Technology (PMILDEP) presided over the board consisting of Mr. Rob Richardson, Jr., DACM, and the 12 PEO and/or Deputy PEOs.

The board approved 1 Project Director (PjD) and 11 Product Directors (PdD), for assignment this summer. Congratulations to the following slated principals:

### **FY25 Project Director (early activation)**

<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Slated Program</u></b>
Tharp Timothy G	PEO Intelligence Electronic Warfare and Sensors (IEWS) PjD Sensor Aerial Intelligence

### **FY24 Product Director**

<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Slated Program</u></b>
Bell Brentson J	PEO Simulation, Training and Instrumentation (STRI) PdD Constructive Simulations Support
Bing Alvin	PEO Combat Support and Combat Service Support (CS&CSS) PdD Common Tactical Truck
Correia Carlos	PEO Missiles and Space (MS) PdD Javelin
Cox Gerry R	PEO Combat Support and Combat Service Support (CS&CSS) PdD Test Measurement & Diagnostic Equipment

Hartley Raymond	JPEO Chemical, Biological, Radiological and Nuclear Defense (CBRND) PdD Joint Biological Tactical Detection System
Hosein Leslie L	PEO Command, Control, Communications-Tactical (C3T) PdD Common Hardware Systems
Orejel Anthony M	PEO Ground Combat Systems (GCS) PdD Mounted Armored Vehicles Modernization
Rogers Regina M	PEO GCS PdD Combat Recovery System
Sawyers Michael A	PEO MS PdD Field Artillery Launchers
Wakefield Carson L	PEO Aviation (AVN) PdD Apache Sensors
Wieland Joseph M	PEO C3T PdD Base Emergency Communications Systems

Notes:

1. The results of the FY25 Product Director Board and Resulting Slate are due for release Spring 2024.
2. The FY26 Product Director Board will be held June 2024.