



U.S. Army Contracting Command

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Mr. Bryan Samson is the Deputy to the Commanding General, U.S. Army Contracting Command, Redstone Arsenal, Ala. He is the Commanding General's principal civilian authority and proponent on mission management functions, operations and activities. He assumed the position on June 9, 2019.

ACC, a subordinate command of Army Materiel Command, is comprised of a subordinate one-star command, six major contracting centers and eight contracting support brigades. ACC enables Army readiness through global, expeditionary contracting support to warfighters engaged in military operations, weapon systems acquisition, life cycle management, sustainment and acquisition of goods and services vital to the Soldier's mission and well-being. Its workforce includes more than 6,000 military and civilian personnel at more than 100 locations worldwide. ACC awarded and managed more than 150,000 contract actions valued at approximately \$69 billion in fiscal year 2018.



Mr. Samson was appointed to the Senior Executive Service in November 2010. Prior to this assignment, he served as Deputy to the Commanding General, U.S. Army Military Surface Deployment and Distribution Command (SDDC), Scott Air Force Base, Ill.

He previously served as Chief of the Office of the Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting at U.S. Army Contracting Command, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; PARC, U.S. Army Intelligence and Security Command, Fort Belvoir, Va.; and Director of Contracting, U.S. Army Contracting Agency, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

A retired Army Quartermaster and Acquisition Corps officer, Mr. Samson held numerous command and staff positions during his more than 20-year career. After retiring from the military, he served as Village Manager in his hometown of Horseheads, located in the Finger Lakes region of Upstate New York.

Mr. Samson's education includes a Bachelors of Science in Marketing and Management from Alfred University and a Masters of Business Administration from the University of Iowa. He is a graduate of multiple Senior Executive Service courses and the Defense Systems Management College Advanced Program Manager Course.

His awards and honors include the Army Superior Service Award, the Secretary of the Army Excellence in Contracting Award, Legion of Merit, Army Staff Identification Badge, and the Parachute Rigger Badge. He is a member of the U.S. Army Acquisition Corps, the Association of the United States Army, the Military Retired Officers Association of America, and the National Defense Transportation Association.

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