

Major General James Hodge

**Commanding General
US Army Combined Arms Support Command
Sustainment Center of Excellence
Fort Lee, VA**



Major General James L. Hodge assumed duties as the Commander of the Combined Arms Support Command/Sustainment Center of Excellence and Fort Lee, Virginia on 9 September 2010. With this assignment, he will oversee an organization that provides training and leader development, and develops concepts, doctrine, organizations, life-long learning and materiel solutions to accomplish sustainment of a campaign quality Army with joint and expeditionary capabilities.

Major General Hodge graduated from the U.S. Military Academy in 1978 with a Bachelor of Science degree and was commissioned in the Transportation Corps. He holds master's degrees in Systems Management from the University of Southern California and Strategic Studies from the U.S. Army War College. His military education also includes the Transportation Officer Basic and Advanced Courses, the Operational Research and Systems Analysis Military Applications Course, the Army Command and General Staff College, and the Defense Language Institute.

Major General Hodge's command positions include: Commander, 100th Transportation Company, Fort Eustis, Virginia; Commander, 64th Forward Support Battalion, 4th Infantry Division (Mechanized), Fort Carson, Colorado; Commander, Division Support Command, 3rd Infantry Division (Mechanized), Fort Stewart, Georgia, and Operation Iraqi Freedom, Iraq; Deputy Commanding General, Military Surface Deployment and Distribution Command, Fort Eustis, Virginia; and most recently, Commanding General, Army Materiel Command Southwest Asia and G-4, United States Army Central Command, Camp Arifjan, Kuwait. His most recent assignment came as Commander of the Military Surface Deployment and Distribution Command, Scott Air Force Base, Illinois, providing global surface deployment and distribution services in support of the nation's objectives.

He has also served in a variety of multifunctional logistics assignments to include: Platoon Leader; Instructor, Transportation and Aviation Logistics School, Fort Eustis, Virginia; Personnel Systems Research Analyst and Assignments Officer, U.S. Army Personnel Command, Alexandria, Virginia; Executive Officer and S-4, 99th Forward Support Battalion, 2nd Armored Cavalry Regiment (Light), Fort Lewis, Washington; Transportation Staff Officer, U.S. European Command, Germany; Transportation Corps Representative, the Officer Personnel Management System XXI Task Force, Alexandria, Virginia; Assistant Chief of Staff, G-4, 4th Infantry Division (Mechanized), Fort Hood, Texas; Chief, Logistics Plans Division, U.S. Central Command, MacDill Air Force Base,

Florida and Camp As Salayah, Qatar; Executive Officer to the Commanding General, Army Materiel Command, Fort Belvoir, Virginia.

Personal awards and decorations include the Distinguished Service Medal (with Oak Leaf Cluster), the Legion of Merit (with Oak Leaf Cluster), the Bronze Star Medal, the Defense Meritorious Service Medal (with two Oak Leaf Clusters), the Meritorious Service Medal (with five Oak Leaf Clusters), the Army Commendation Medal (with Oak Leaf Cluster), the Army Achievement Medal, the Combat Action Badge, and the Parachutist Badge.