



COL Darrell Bennis
Military Deputy
Program Executive Office Enterprise Information Systems



COL Darrell J. Bennis is the PEO EIS Military Deputy as of July 2013. He is an active duty U. S. Army Reserve (USAR) officer, and most recently served as a resident student at the Army War College in Carlisle, Pa.

As the Military Deputy, COL Bennis is the liaison between the PEO's military and civilian personnel, providing guidance for all military-specific policies and procedures. He is also the USAR programmatic requirements liaison, reviewing programmatic requirements to ensure full incorporation of critical Reserve issues and concerns.

Before attending the Army War College, COL Bennis was the Reserve Component Proponency Officer at the Army Acquisition Support Center. Prior to that assignment, he was the Product Manager for Combat Engineer and Material Handling Equipment.

COL Bennis has over 25 years of Army service, and over 13 years of progressively responsible program management, information system, and product line experience involving all facets of systems acquisition and lifecycle management.

COL Bennis earned the Airborne, Pathfinder, Ranger and Expert Infantryman's Badges and numerous medals including five Meritorious Service Medals over his career. He graduated from the University of Tampa in 1988 and earned a master's degree from Webster University while attending the Combined Arms Services Staff Officer School at Fort Leavenworth, Kan. He also holds a master's degree from the Army War College. Additionally, COL Bennis is Level 3 Acquisition Certified in both Program Management and IT career fields.