



Biography

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Lieutenant General Malcolm R. O'Neill
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Lieutenant General Malcolm R. O'Neill is the director of the Ballistic Missile Defense Organization (BMDO), Department of Defense, Pentagon, Washington, D.C.

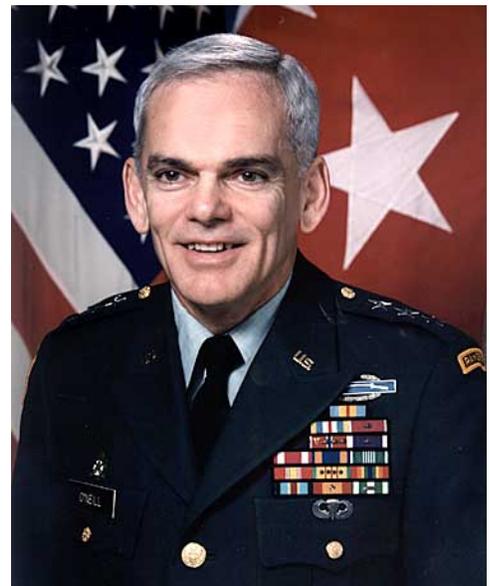
Prior to his appointment as director, General O'Neill served as Acting Director BMDO, and deputy director of Strategic Defense Initiative Organization (SDIO). The general also served as the first Director of the Army Acquisition Corps, chartered to ensure a fully qualified civilian and military acquisition cadre for the Army. He also served as the deputy for Program Assessment and International Cooperation, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Research, Development, and Acquisition), assisting in the management and execution of the Army's major hardware programs. He supervised all cooperative research and development programs and represented the Army at all NATO and Four Power international research and development fora.

He is the former Commander, U.S. Army Laboratory Command, the Army Materiel Command's (AMC) major subordinate command, managing the Army's seven corporate laboratories, the Adelphi Laboratory Center, and six Special Technology offices. Additionally, the general served as the AMC Deputy for planning and managing the Army materiel technology base, the Army Research Office and Field Assistance in Science and Technology program.

General O'Neill was previously deputy director for Programs and Systems and director, Kinetic Energy Weapons, at SDIO. He was also chief of staff for the U.S. Army Missile Command (MICOM). He served as project manager for the Multiple Launch Rocket System at MICOM as well as the program manager for Strategic Fire Control Technology in the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency; and the deputy program manager, NATO PATRIOT Management Office, Munich, Germany.

General O'Neill received a bachelor of science degree in physics from DePaul University and both a master of science degree and doctorate in physics from Rice University. His military education includes the Field Artillery Officer Basic Course, the Ordnance Officer Advanced Course, the Army Command and General Staff College, and the Army War College.

The general's awards and decorations include the Defense Distinguished Service Medal, the Defense Superior Service Medal, the Legion of Merit with three oak leaf clusters, the Bronze Star with the "V" device and three oak leaf clusters, the Meritorious Service Medal, the Air Medal, the Army Commendation Medal and the Purple Heart with oak leaf cluster. He also wears the Combat Infantryman Badge, the Parachutist Badge and the Ranger Tab.



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Retired: May 1996