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Perna Presses Priorities During CECOM Visit

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, Md. – During his visit to the U.S. Army Communications–Electronics Command (CECOM) headquarters on Wednesday, Aug. 28., Gen. Gus Perna, commanding general of the U.S. Army Materiel Command, stressed the criticality of readiness and the Army's need to be ready to surge for large-scale ground combat operations.



Mr. - and Ms. - USAISEC Go to Washington

FORT HUACHUCA, Az. – Sixteen U.S. Army Information Systems Engineering Command interns, from across the USAISEC spectrum, reported overwhelming success from their recent trip to Washington, D.C. The USAISEC interns from Fort Huachuca, Arizona; Fort Gordon, Georgia; Fort Detrick, Maryland; and Fort Belvoir, Virginia, reported the trip as “extremely beneficial” in helping them understand and comprehend some of USAISEC’s other projects. Most the interns had already spent some time of their careers working on one, maybe two projects depending on their length of service.



CECOM Civilian Spotlight: Sandra Thomas

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, Md. – Sandra Thomas, CECOM G8

What is your current duty station, and where are you from originally?

Thomas: “My current duty station is Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland, but I am originally from Freehold, New Jersey.”



Tobyhanna Takes On Task Of Sustaining CATR Kits

TOBYHANNA ARMY DEPOT, Pa. – Team Tobyhanna is helping an Army organization sustain information-gathering equipment designed to give Soldiers a clear understanding of the battlefield. Electronics worker Will Fobes confirms Army Close Access Target Reconnaissance (CATR) kits are fully mission capable prior to use in the field. There are thousands of kits in stock—multiple versions to support multiple missions.



Resilience – World War II Style

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, Md. – Army civilians support every aspect of the Army mission, including the serious business of rest, relaxation, and recreation, which we all recognize now as a pillar of maintaining resiliency. During World War II, one such civilian employee was Hana Oren, recreation advisor for the Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, Signal Laboratory, also called Squire Labs. As part of a larger recreation committee, Oren served as the person in charge of making recommendations and carrying out the tasks associated with keeping up the morale of both Soldiers and civilian workers.



CECOM Civilian Spotlight: Tifphany Cantey

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, Md. – Army civilians support the Nation, the Army, and its Soldiers in times of war and peace by improving the readiness of the force. During the month of August, the U.S. Army Communications–Electronics Command is highlighting Department of the Army Civilians who are committed to selfless service in support of the protection and preservation of the United States.



Automation Dramatically Shortens Intelligence System Update Cycle

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, Md. – On the 21st century battlefield, American Soldiers rely on timely, relevant, and accurate information to understand their operating environment, assess threats, and achieve their missions. The Distributed Common Ground System–Army is the Army’s intelligence processing operating system, and it is one of the most critical tools in their arsenal.



CECOM Civilian Spotlight: Dr. Benjamin Wong

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, Md. – Dr. Benjamin Wong, Medical Research Institute of Chemical Defense

What’s your current duty station and where are you from originally?

Dr. Wong: “Current duty station is U.S. Army Medical Research Institute of Chemical Defense, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland, and I am originally from Albuquerque, New Mexico.”



CECOM Civilian Spotlight: Tonga Hackett

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, Md. – Tonga Hackett, CECOM Integrated Logistics Support Center

What’s your current duty station and where are you from originally?

Hackett: “Aberdeen Proving Ground, working for the CECOM Supply Chain Management Directorate. I am originally from Baltimore, Maryland.”



Maintaining the ‘Hotline’

FORT HUACHUCA, Az. – Born out of the Cold War, a legacy exists within the U.S. Army Information Systems Engineering Command (USAISEC) that serves to emphasize the seriousness of the work performed at USAISEC and beyond.