

# General Paul E. Funk II Commanding General, U.S. Army Training and Doctrine Command Fort Eustis, Virginia

Gen. Paul E. Funk II assumed duties as the 17th Commanding General, United States Army Training and Doctrine Command, on June 21, 2019. As TRADOC commander, Funk is responsible for 32 Army schools organized under eight Centers of Excellence that recruit, train and educate more than 500,000 Soldiers and service members annually.

Funk was born at Fort Hood and graduated from Fort Knox High School. He was commissioned an Armor Officer through ROTC upon graduation from Montana State University.



General Funk has commanded at every level, Company through Corps, including:

- A Company, 2d Battalion, 32d Armor Regiment, 1st Brigade, 3rd Armored Division in Kirchgoens, Germany
- Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 4th Battalion, 67th Armor Regiment, 3rd Brigade, 3rd Armored Division in Kirchgoens, Germany
- 1st Squadron, 7th Cavalry Regiment (GARRYOWEN), 4th Brigade, 1st Cavalry Division at Fort Hood, Texas
- 1st Brigade Combat Team (IRONHORSE), 1st Cavalry Division at Fort Hood, Texas
- 1st Infantry Division (Big Red One) at Fort Riley, Kansas
- III Armored Corps (AMERICA'S HAMMER!) at Fort Hood, Texas

Funk's combat and operational experience includes six deployments in support of Operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm, Operation Iraqi Freedom, Operation Enduring Freedom and Operation Inherent Resolve.

Operational assignments include:

- Observer Controller with the Live Fire Team (Dragons) at the National Training Center, Fort Irwin, California
- Squadron Operations Officer of 1st Squadron, 3d Armored Cavalry Regiment at Fort Carson, Colorado
- Regimental Operations Officer, 3d Armored Cavalry Regiment at Fort Carson, Colorado
- Division Operations Officer, 1st Cavalry Division at Fort Hood, Texas
- Chief of Staff, III Corps at Fort Hood, Texas
- Deputy Commanding General at the Combined Arms Center for Training at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas
- Deputy Commanding General (Maneuver), 1st Infantry Division at Fort Riley, Kansas
- Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff, G-3/5/7, U.S. Army in Washington, D.C.

Joint assignments include:

- Chief, Joint Exercise Section J-37, North American Aerospace Defense Command (NORAD), U.S. Space Command at Peterson Air Force Base, Colorado
- Deputy Commanding General (Maneuver), Combined Joint Task Force-1 in Afghanistan
- Commander, Combined Joint Forces Land Component Command-Iraq in Baghdad, Iraq
- Commander, Combined Joint Task Force Operation Inherent Resolve in Baghdad, Iraq

Funk holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in speech communications, from Montana State University, and a Master of Science degree in administration, from Central Michigan University. He is a graduate of the Armor Basic Officer Leaders and Advanced Courses, the Command and General Staff College, and completed his Senior Service College as a fellow at the Institute of Advanced Technology, University of Texas at Austin.

General Funk is married to the former Elizabeth Yeosock and they have three children and one grandchild.



General PAUL E. FUNK II

Commanding General
United States Army Training and Doctrine Command
950 Jefferson Avenue
Joint Base Langley-Eustis, Virginia 23604
Since: June 2019



### SOURCE OF COMMISSIONED SERVICE ROTC

#### **EDUCATIONAL DEGREES**

Montana State University – BA – Communications Speech Central Michigan University – MSA – Administration

### **MILITARY SCHOOLS ATTENDED**

Armor Officer Basic and Advanced Courses United States Army Command and General Staff College Senior Service College Fellowship - University of Texas

#### FOREIGN LANGUAGE(S) None recorded

<u>PROMOTIONS</u>	DATE OF APPOINTMENT
2LT	26 May 82
1LT	10 Jun 85
CPT	1 Nov 87
MAJ	1 May 95
LTC	1 Jun 99
COL	1 Mar 05
BG	26 Jul 10
MG	2 Apr 13
LTG	31 Mar 17
GEN	20 Jun 19

# FROM TO ASSIGNMENT Jun 19 Present Commanding Ge

- Jun 19 Present Commanding General, United States Army Training and Doctrine Command, Joint Base Langley-Eustis, Virginia
- Mar 17 Jun 19 Commanding General, III Corps and Fort Hood, Fort Hood, Texas and OPERATION INHERENT RESOLVE, Iraq
- Jan 17 Mar 17 Special Assistant to the Commanding General, III Corps, Fort Hood, Texas
- Sep 15 Dec 16 Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff, G-3/5/7, United States Army, Washington, DC
- May 13 Aug 15 Commanding General, 1st Infantry Division and Fort Riley, Fort Riley, Kansas and OPERATION INHERENT RESOLVE, Iraq
- Jun 11 May 13 Deputy Commanding General (Maneuver), 1st Infantry Division, Fort Riley, Kansas and OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, Afghanistan
- Apr 09 Jun 11 Deputy Commanding General, United States Army Combined Arms Center, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas
- May 08 Apr 09 Chief of Staff, III Corps, Fort Hood, Texas
- Jun 05 Apr 08 Commander, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division, Fort Hood, Texas and OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, Iraq
- Aug 04 May 05 Senior Service College Fellow, Institute for Advanced Technology, University of Texas, Austin, Texas
- Jun 02 Jul 04 Assistant Chief of Staff, G-3, 1st Cavalry Division, Fort Hood, Texas and OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, Iraq
- Jun 00 Jun 02 Commander, 1st Squadron, 7th Cavalry Regiment, 4th Brigade, 1st Cavalry Division, Fort Hood,
- Jun 98 Mar 00 Chief, Joint Exercise Section, North American Aerospace Defense Command (NORAD)/United

Apr 97 Jun 98 Operations Officer, 3d Armored Cavalry Regiment, Fort Carson, Colorado Jan 96 Apr 97 Operations Officer, 1st Squadron, 3d Armored Cavalry Regiment, Fort Carson, Colorado Jun 95 Jan 96 Executive Officer, 3d Armored Cavalry Regiment, Fort Carson, Colorado (Forward) Aug 94 Jun 95 Student, United States Army Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas Apr 92 Jul 94 S-1 Observer/Controller, later Armor Company Team Trainer, Operations Group, United States Army National Training Center, Fort Irwin, California  Dec 90 Apr 92 Commander, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 4th Battalion, 67th Armor Regiment, 3d Armored Division, United States Army Europe and Seventh Army, Germany and OPERATIONS DESERT SHIELD/DESERT STORM  May 89 Dec 90 Commander, A Company, 2d Battalion, 32d Armor Regiment, 3d Armored Division, United States				
Dec 88 May 89	Army Europe and Seventh Army, Germany  Air Operations Officer, 2d Battalion, 32d Armor Regiment, 3d Armored Division, United States Army			
Europe and Seventh Army, Germany  Jul 88 Dec 88 Student, Armor Officer Advanced Course, United States Army Armor School, Fort Knox, Kentucky  Feb 85 Jun 88 Platoon Leader, later Executive Officer, D Company, later Air Operations Officer, 2d Battalion, 8th  Cavalry Regiment, 1st Cavalry Division, Fort Hood, Texas				
SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTS Commanding General, III Corps and Fort Hood, OPERATION		<u>DATE</u> Sep 17 - Sep 18	<u>GRADE</u> Lieutenant General	
INHERENT RESOLVE, Iraq Deputy Commanding General (Maneuver), 1st Infantry Division/Combined Joint Task Force-1, OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM,		Apr 12 - Feb 13	Brigadier General	
Afghanistan Chief, Joint Exercise Section, North American Aerospace Defense Command (NORAD)/United States Space Command, Peterson Air Force Base, Colorado		Jun 98 - Mar 00	Major/Lieutenant Colonel	
SUMMARY OF OPERATIONAL ASSIGNMENTS Commanding General, III Corps and Fort Hood, OPERATION INHERENT RESOLVE, Iraq		<u>DATE</u> Sep 17 - Sep 18	<u>GRADE</u> Lieutenant General	
Commander, Combined Joint Forces Land Component Command- Oct 14 - Jun 15 Major General				
Operation Inherent Resolve, OPERATION INHERENT RESOLVE, Iraq Deputy Commanding General (Maneuver), 1st Infantry Division/Combined Apr 12 - Feb 13 Brigadier General Joint Task Force-1, OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, Afghanistan				
Commander, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division,		Oct 06 - Jan 08	Colonel	
OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, Iraq Assistant Chief of Staff, G-3, 1st Cavalry Division, OPERATION IRAQI		Jan 04 - Jun 04	Lieutenant Colonel	
FREEDOM, Iraq Commander, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 4th Battalion, 67th Armor Regiment, 3d Armored Division, United States Army Europe and Seventh Army, Germany and OPERATIONS DESERT SHIELD/DESERT STORM		Jan 91 - Jun 91	Captain	

## **US DECORATIONS AND BADGES**

Distinguished Service Medal (with 1 Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster)

Defense Superior Service Medal for Combat Service

Defense Superior Service Medal

Legion of Merit (with 3 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)

Bronze Star Medal (with 3 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)

Defense Meritorious Service Medal

Meritorious Service Medal (with 2 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)

Army Commendation Medal (with 4 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)

Army Achievement Medal

Combat Action Badge

Recruiter Badge