

**Mr. Robert Zoppa, Project Manager
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Mr. Robert Zoppa assumed the Project Manager with Defensive Cyber Operations role in July 2023. In that capacity, he leads the organization that rapidly delivers innovative and dominant cyberspace capabilities for Army global networks and tailored information technology solutions for national, joint, and allied partners. As the project manager, he is the milestone decision authority for acquisition category IV cyber programs. He is responsible for the execution of Army funding across the program objective memorandum.

Before assuming this role, Mr. Zoppa attended Senior Service College at the Eisenhower School for National Security and Resource Strategy at the National Defense University, where he earned a Master of Science in National Resource Strategy.

Previously, Mr. Zoppa served as the Deputy Project Manager for PEO EIS's Defense Integrated Business Systems (DIBS) portfolio in Arlington, Virginia, from 2021 to 2022. His responsibilities included assisting the project manager with managing seven major enterprise business solutions across the financial, logistics, acquisition, and environmental domains, supervising the civilian workforce assigned to the project management office, and providing advice and guidance to the project manager on all aspects of portfolio management. DIBS is accountable for standardizing, streamlining, and sharing critical data across the Army, DOD, and industry partners.

Before that, Mr. Zoppa served as the Deputy Project Manager for the Global Combat Support System–Army (GCSS-Army) at Fort Gregg-Adams, Virginia, from 2010 to 2021. His responsibilities included assisting the product manager with the overall management of the GCSS-Army project, supervising the civilian workforce assigned to the product management office staff, and providing advice and guidance to the product manager on all aspects of the project's management. GCSS-Army is an enterprise resource planning solution that comprises the tactical component of the Army's logistics enterprise.

From October 2003 to June 2007, Mr. Zoppa served as Project Manager, GCSS-Army, while on active duty with the U.S. Army. Before that, the Army assigned him to the Strategic and Advanced Computer Center, G-6 at the Pentagon from August 2000 to September 2003, where he oversaw several web-based projects. From July 1998 to July 2000, he served as Assistant Product Manager, GCCS-Army, within the Program Executive Office, Command, Control and Communications – Tactical at Fort Belvoir, Virginia.

From 1987 to 1998, Mr. Zoppa served in various assignments in the Army, including deployments to Saudi Arabia in support of Operations Desert Shield/Storm. His awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal (x2), Army Achievement Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Southwest Asia Service Medal, Army Service Ribbon, and the Kuwait Liberation Medal with Palm.

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In addition to the Master of Science in National Resource Strategy, Mr. Zoppa holds a Master of Science in Systems Technology from the Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, California, a Master of Business Administration from Golden State University, San Francisco, California, and a Bachelor of Science from the United States Military Academy, West Point, New York. He is a certified Project Manager Professional through the Project Management Institute. He is also a graduate of the Defense Acquisition University and holds an advanced Defense Acquisition Workforce Improvement Act certification in Program Management.

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