COLONEL (P) DOUGLAS S. LOWREY Commander United States Army Security Assistance Command

Colonel (P) Douglas S. Lowrey is the commander of the U.S. Army Security Assistance Command (USASAC).

USASAC leads the AMC Security Assistance Enterprise; develops and manages security assistance programs and Foreign Military Sales (FMS) cases to build partner capacity; supports COCOM engagement strategies; and strengthens U.S. Global Partnerships.

USASAC is the Premier Security Assistance Organization in the Department of Defense. Its mission is to implement approved U.S. Army Security Assistance programs, including FMS of defense articles and services, to eligible foreign governments. The Command manages FMS cases with over 140 countries, with a total value exceeding \$205 billion, as well as coproduction of Army materiel.



Today, the Command is increasingly responding to support of U.S. Government emergency assistance, humanitarian relief, and Operations Other Than War, including United Nations peacekeeping operations. USASAC's motto is "USASAC – The Army's Face to the World."

An Oklahoma native, Colonel Lowrey was commissioned as an Infantry Officer in 1994 after graduating from Northeastern State University, Tahlequah, Oklahoma Reserve Officer Training Corps.

He most recently served in the Office of the Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army–Procurement as the Director of Army Contracting. During 26 years of service, his key assignments include Infantry Platoon Leader, Rifle Platoon Leader, Support Platoon Leader and Headquarters, Headquarters Company Executive Officer for the 15th Infantry at Fort Stewart, Georgia; S4 (Logistics Officer), Brigade Adjutant, Rifle Company Commander, Headquarters, Headquarters Company Commander and S1 (Personnel Officer) for the 1st Iron Brigade, 2nd Infantry Division at Camp Casey, Korea; Contingency Contracting Officer and Executive Officer for the 901st Contingency Contracting Battalion at Fort Hood, Texas; Executive Officer for Army Contracting Command, Fort Belvoir, Virginia, and Executive Officer for the Expeditionary Contracting Command at Fort Belvoir; Commander of the 901st Contingency Contracting Battalion at Fort Hood, Texas; Deputy Chief of Staff Operations G-3 for the U.S. Army Contracting Command; Commander of the 409th Contracting Support Brigade (USAREUR); and Deputy Director of Contracting for the United States Army Corps of Engineers.

His military education includes the Infantry Officer Basic and Advanced Course, Combined Arms Services Staff School, and the Army Command and General Staff College. He has a Master's Degree in Business Administration from the Naval Postgraduate School and the Army War College Fellowship at University of Texas–Austin.

Colonel Lowrey's military awards and decorations include: Legion of Merit, Bronze Star Medal, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (three Oak Leaf Clusters), Joint Service Commendation Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Joint Service Achievement Medal and Army Achievement Medal, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, Iraq Campaign Medal, and the Global War on Terrorism Service Medal. He is authorized to wear the Combat Action Badge, Expert Infantryman's Badge and Airborne Wings.