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Command Chief Warrant Officer 5 Edwin De La Cruz Jr. is the principal advisor to the Commanding General and staff on the operationalization of emerging warfighting technologies and oversees the training, education and professional expertise of warrant officers throughout the command.

Originally from Puerto Rico, De La Cruz enlisted in the Army in 1997 as a Cannon Crewmember. He was later appointed a Field Artillery Warrant Officer and went on to serve in a variety of leadership and targeting positions, ranging from the battalion to Joint level. Some of De La Cruz's previous roles include senior technical advisor for the Long Range Precision Fires Cross-Functional Team and senior targeting officer at III Armored Corps. His overseas service includes seven combat tours in Iraq and Afghanistan. De La Cruz is a graduate of the Warrant Officer Senior Service Education Course and holds a bachelor's degree in multi-disciplinary studies and an MBA in project management, both from Grantham University.