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Colonel Wade A. Germann assumed the position of Program Manager for the Office of the Program Manager, Saudi Arabian National Guard (OPM-SANG) in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia Aug. 1, 2024. He comes to OPM-SANG from the Republic of Korea, where he served as the Chief of Staff, 2nd Infantry ROK-US Combined Division.

Colonel Germann was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in the Field Artillery in 1998 upon graduation from the Virginia Military Institute in Lexington, Virginia. He is a native of Fairfax, Virginia.

His military assignments include 1st Battalion, 7th Field Artillery, 1st Infantry Division where he served as a Company Fire Support Officer in 1st Battalion, 77th Armor; deployment to Kosovo in support of Operation JOINT GUARD, COLT Platoon Leader for 2nd Brigade, Platoon Leader in Charlie Battery, and the Battalion Fire Support Officer for 1st Battalion, 26th Infantry. Colonel Germann was also assigned to the XVIII Airborne Corps, 1st Battlefield Coordination Detachment where he deployed to the Coalition Air Operations Center, Qatar in support of Operation Enduring Freedom and Operation Iraqi Freedom.

Following this, he was assigned to the 1st Battalion, 319th Airborne Field Artillery Regiment, 82nd Airborne Division where he served as the Battalion Intelligence Officer and Bravo Battery Commander, deploying to Iraq in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. Following completion of the Command General Staff College and School of Advanced Military Studies, he served as a campaign planner for the International Security Assistance Force Joint Command in Kabul, Afghanistan. After this deployment, he was assigned to the 1st Armored Division where he served as a Division Plans Officer, 212th Fires Brigade Operations Officer, 1st Armored Division Artillery Operations Officer, 1st Armored Division Artillery Executive Officer, and 1st Armored Division Deputy Fire Support Coordinator.

Later, he was assigned to the 25th Infantry Division, where he served as the Deputy Fire Support Coordinator, and Commander of the 2nd Battalion, 11th Field Artillery Regiment. He arrived to the Republic of Korea in 2020 first serving as 8th Army Chief of Current Operations at Camp Humphreys, then Commander of the 210th Field Artillery Brigade at Camp Casey from 2021 to 2023.

