AARON FORD
Acting Deputy to the Commanding General
United States Army Security Assistance Command



Mr. Aaron Ford is the Acting Deputy to the Commanding General for the U.S. Army Security Assistance Command at Redstone Arsenal, Alabama.

The Command provides direct support to the Army Security Assistance Enterprise and develops and manages security assistance programs and Foreign Military Sales cases to build partner capacity; support Combatant Command engagement strategies; and strengthen U.S. Global Partnerships. As the Deputy to the Commanding General, he exercises executive leadership and provides continuous operational direction in support of the command's $331 billion foreign military sales portfolio with more than 133 nations and 11 agencies.

Mr. Ford holds a master's degree in cybersecurity and bachelor's degree in information systems. He is also a graduate of the Harvard Senior Executive Fellows program. He recently received the Department of War CIO Award. Spanning a 35+ year career with the Department of War, he has led high-impact information management and cybersecurity initiatives for key commands, including USASAC, SMDC, ARCYBER, NETCOM, and MEDCOM.

Mr. Ford holds multiple certifications, to include Certified Information Systems Security Professional, Certified Information Security Manager, Certified Ethical Hacker, and Certified Network Defense Architect. He has attended various management courses to include successfully graduating from the Army Management Staff College Advanced Course and the United States Army Signal Center and Fort Gordon Network Enterprise Center Leadership Course. Mr. Ford is also an affiliated member of the United States Army Signal Regiment.

Career Chronology

- September 2026 - present: Acting Deputy to the Commanding General, U.S. Army Security Assistance Command, Redstone Arsenal, Alabama
- April 2022 – present: DCS G2/6, CIO, U.S. Army Security Assistance Command, Redstone Arsenal, Alabama
- August 2025 - October 2025: Acting Deputy to the Commanding General, U.S. Army Security Assistance Command, Redstone Arsenal, Alabama
- July 2020 – April 2022: Chief, Cybersecurity Division, U.S. Army Space and Missile Defense Command, Redstone Arsenal, Alabama
- February 2016 – July 2020: Chief, Cybersecurity Division, Regional Network Enterprise Center, Redstone Arsenal, Alabama
- March 2013 – February 2016: Chief, Cybersecurity Division, Network Enterprise Center, Fort Knox, Kentucky

He is married and has four children.