

NORTH AMERICAN AEROSPACE DEFENSE COMMAND and UNITED STATES NORTHERN COMMAND



Biography

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Mr. Roger Carter is Deputy Chief of the Air and Missile Defense S&T Future Concepts and Capabilities Development for North American Aerospace Defense Command (NORAD) and United States Northern Command (USNORTHCOM). He is responsible for integrating the capabilities development process for NORAD and USNORTHCOM air and missile defense requirements and identifying, assessing and integrating air and missile defense solutions. In addition, Mr. Carter is responsible for advocating NORAD and USNORTHCOM air and missile defense capability solutions with the Joint Staff, services, agencies, inter-agency and Canadian National Defence Headquarters. Within USNORTHCOM, Mr. Carter has also served as Deputy Chief for Ballistic Missile Defense Capabilities, Concepts, Plans and Policy, responsible for developing BMD annexes in support of USNORTHCOM CONPLANS, future warfighting concepts, capabilities, long-range strategic homeland defense plans, vision, and strategy that have a direct impact on the national security of the US.

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Mr. Carter is a retired Army Officer. During his military career as an Infantry Officer, he served in numerous 'light infantry' units between 1973 and 1993, ending his career as an instructor at Ft. Leavenworth in the Army's pre-command course for battalion and brigade command selectees. After retiring in 1993 Mr. Carter worked as a contractor in Ft. Leavenworth until 1996 when he moved to Colorado taking a job for ARINC as an analyst. He worked there until 2004 when he re-entered the Government Service and joined a newly formed USNORTHCOM as a branch chief for the ballistic missile defense task force within the command. He worked BMD plans, policy and concepts for USNORTHCOM until 2007, when the decision was made to combine the NORAD and USNORTHCOM J5 organizations into a single directorate. Since that time, he has worked both the air and missile defense capabilities and concepts.

Mr. Carter received a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration from Troy State University in 1981 and a Master's Degree in Business Administration from University of Michigan in 1986. He is a graduate of Infantry Officer Basic and Advance Course, US Army Ranger School, US Army Airborne School, Army Command and General Staff College.