

What a Soldier or leader can expect from military Knowledge Management...

- ✓ Reduce the time needed to resolve specific technical or leadership problems and challenges
- ✓ Significantly shorten the learning curve by providing access to relevant online subject matter experts and mentors
- ✓ Help create innovative breakthrough ideas and tools for the benefit of all
- ✓ Transfer best practices from one individual to another in near real-time
- ✓ Decrease negative outcomes for first-time real-world contact experiences
- ✓ Reduce the cost of mission accomplishment through superior knowledge transfer
- ✓ Fill the knowledge gap between doctrine and TTPs learned at Training and Doctrine Command (TRADOC) schools and the practical application in a fast changing environment
- ✓ Harness the collective minds of the military profession to generate "on the fly" knowledge as needed

Battle Command Knowledge System

Ask about our other Products and Services:

- KM Proponent Activities
- Warrior Knowledge Base
 - Doctrine Support
 - KM Field Manual
- KM Section Handbook (virtual)

"Creating an enduring Knowledge Management capability across the Army"

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Share what you know

Forums: BCKS hosts more than 60 professional forums for the Army, and provides professional facilitation for 26 of them. Sponsored by a variety of organizations throughout the Army, BCKS forums are available covering leadership positions, staff positions, functional areas, operations roles and specialty areas. Soldiers and units connect in these virtual environments to share knowledge, solve problems, share best practices and develop professional skills.

Knowledge Assessments:

Knowledge assessments identify barriers to knowledge flow and offer solutions to eliminate gaps between what a unit knows and what it should know, all designed to help leaders learn faster, understand better and adapt more rapidly. Some of the most prevalent areas of gaps include:

- Staff battle rhythm
- Knowledge Management infrastructure
- Effective use of a common operational picture
- E-mail and meeting management
- Organizing content
- Effective use of collaborative tools

Find what you need

KMAs: BCKS Knowledge Management Advisors (KMAs) are subject matter experts who provide KM expertise and skills to Army units and organizations. They support the Commander as functional advisors. They also act as field representatives of BCKS and the U.S. Army Combined Arms Center (CAC), providing KM training and advice, assistance in Common Operating Picture management, facilitation, content management advice and help developing SOPs.



Connect with those who know

KM Training: BCKS offers four courses designed around the Army Learning Concept 2015. This concept uses a blended learning approach and converts the classroom experience into a collaborative problem solving event that enables the student to think and understand the relevance and context of what they are learning. BCKS teaches courses in Enterprise Content Management, AKO/DKO Administrator Training, Knowledge Facilitation Skills and a 2-½ day KM Basic Course.

Knowledge Portals: BCKS coordinates directly with units and organizations to build custom-designed knowledge portals that allow them to share critical internal information. BCKS has built more than 100 knowledge portals on AKO and AKO-S for units, such as 1st Cav Div, 4th Inf Div and Army Reserve Affairs (USARCENT-ARA). Providing one-stop access to all unit knowledge resources, the portals enable Soldiers and staffs to exchange information and find expertise.