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Lieutenant General Perkins currently serves as the commander of the Combined Arms Center at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, the command that oversees the Command and General Staff College and 17 other schools, centers, and training programs located throughout the United States. The Combined Arms Center is also responsible for: development of the Army's doctrinal manuals, training of the Army's commissioned and noncommissioned officers, oversight of major collective training exercises, integration of battle command systems and concepts, and supervision of the Army's Center for the collection and dissemination of lessons learned.

Lieutenant General Perkins' prior deployments and operational assignments include serving as the Commander, 4th Infantry Division (Mechanized) and Commanding General of the US Division - North during OPERATION NEW DAWN; Deputy Chief of Staff for Strategic Effects, Multi-National Force-Iraq, OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM; Commander, 2d Brigade, 3d Infantry Division (Mechanized), OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM; and Commander, Task Force Able Sentry, OPERATION ABLE SENTRY.

Lieutenant General Perkins' awards and decorations include the Silver Star Medal, Defense Superior Service Medal, Legion of Merit (oak leaf cluster), Bronze Star Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal (three oak leaf clusters), the Army Commendation Medal (oak leaf cluster), the Army Achievement Medal (three oak leaf clusters); the Combat Action Badge, Parachutist Badge, Ranger Tab, and Joint Chiefs of Staff Identification Badge..

Lieutenant General Perkins received both a Bachelor of Science from the United States Military Academy at West Point and a Masters Degree in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Michigan.