



Biography

DEFENSE COMMISSARY AGENCY
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Norman E. Brown Executive Officer to the DeCA Director Defense Commissary Agency



Norman E. Brown is the Defense Commissary Agency's executive officer to the DeCA director. Mr. Brown provides direct support to the agency director by assisting in management and providing authoritative advice and recommendations on line and staff programs with in-depth analysis of key operational, management, and administrative programs and systems. He assists the DeCA director in planning, evaluating, integrating and coordinating activities from internal agency directors, division chiefs and directors as well as actions from the Department of Defense, stakeholders and industry partners.

Prior to accepting his current assignment, Mr. Brown was the director of workforce development, following an assignment as executive officer to the DeCA director at DeCA headquarters. Mr Brown has served in many leadership position in the field, region and headquarter functional areas.

Mr. Brown was a noncommissioned officer in the United States Air Force where he spent 10 years working for the Air Force Commissary Service and the Defense Commissary Agency. He left active duty in 1995 and has since worked for the military commissary system as a civil service employee.

EDUCATION

2012, California Coast University, Bachelor of Science in Business Marketing, Santa Ana, CA
2005, Federal Executive Institute – Center for Executive Leadership
1992, NCO Leadership School, United States Air Force, Chanute AFB, IL

AWARDS

Meritorious Civilian Service Medal, 2007 & 2010
Superior Civilian Service Medal, 1995
NCO Intermediate Enlisted of the Year 1991, DeCA Central Region, Scott AFB, IL

CAREER CHRONOLOGY

2009 - 2011, Director of Workforce Development, DeCA Hqs., Fort Lee, Va.
2006 - 2009, Executive Officer to the Director, Corporate Operations Group, DeCA Hqs., Fort Lee, Va.
2004 - 2005, Executive Assistant, Corporate Operations Group, DeCA Hqs., Fort Lee, Va.
2003 - 2004, Store Director, Langley Air Force Base and Fort Monroe, Va.
2003 - 2003, Store Director, Naval Station Norfolk, Va.
2001 - 2003, Executive Officer, Eastern Region, Virginia Beach, Va.
1997 - 2001, Chief of Store Operations, Northern Area, Fort Meade, Md.
1996 - 1997, Commissary Officer, Norfolk Naval Shipyard, Portsmouth, Va.
1995 - 1996, Commissary Officer, Rock Island Arsenal, Ill.
1993 - 1995, Troop Support Manager, Incirlik Air Base, Turkey
1990 - 1993, Store Manager, Scott Air Force Base, Ill.
1989 - 1990, Grocery Manager, Scott Air Force Base, Ill.
1988 - 1989, Troop Support Manager, Andersen Air Force Base, Guam
1984 - 1988, Subsistence Operations Specialist, Keesler Air Force Base, Miss., AFCOMS, Delta Gulf Region, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.
1984 - 1995, Active duty military, U.S. Air Force.

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