

## Mr. Robert Zoppa Acting Product Manager Global Combat Support System-Army (GCSSArmy)



Mr. Robert Zoppa serves as the Deputy Product Manager for the Global Combat Support System-Army (GCSSArmy) at Fort Lee, Virginia. He began serving in this position in May 2009. His responsibilities include assisting the Product Manager with overall management of the GCSS-Army project, supervising the civilian workforce assigned to the Product Management Office staff and providing advice and guidance to the Product Manager on all aspects of the projects management. GCSS-Army is an Enterprise Resource Planning solution that comprises the tactical component of the Army's Logistics Enterprise, which includes the Logistics Modernization Program, General Funds Enterprise Business System and Army Enterprise Systems Integration Program.

Mr. Zoppa served as Product Manager GCSS-Army from October 2003 through June 2007, while on Active Duty with the United States Army. Prior to his assignment as Product Manager for GCSS-Army, Mr. Zoppa was assigned to the Strategic and Advanced Computer Center, G-6 in the Pentagon from August 2000 to September 2003. From July 1998 to July 2000, Mr. Zoppa served as Assistant Product Manager, Global Command and Control System-Army, within the Program Executive Office, Command, Control and Communications Systems, Fort Belvoir, Virginia.

From September 1994 to December 1996, Mr. Zoppa commanded B Company, 1st Satellite Control Battalion, Fort Meade, Maryland. From August 1990 through October 1991, he commanded the Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 40th Signal Battalion, which deployed to Saudi Arabia in support of Operations Desert Shield/Storm in October 1990. Mr. Zoppa served as Assistant Operations Officer and Battalion Adjutant for the 40th Signal Battalion, Fort Huachuca, Arizona from August 1989 to August 1990. In 1987, his first Army assignment was to the 521st Signal Company, 86th Signal Battalion, Fort Huachuca, Arizona where he served as Platoon Leader, Supply Officer and Operations Officer. Mr. Zoppa's awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Southwest Asia Service Medal, Army Service Ribbon, and the Kuwait Liberation Medal with Palm.

Mr. Zoppa has a Master of Science degree in Systems Technology (Space Systems Operations) from the Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, California awarded in 1994, a Master of Business Administration degree from Golden State University, San Francisco, California awarded in 1994, and a Bachelor of Science degree from the United States Military Academy, West Point, New York awarded in 1987. He is a graduate of the US Army Signal Officer Basic and Advanced Courses, the US Army Combined Arms and Service Staff School, the US Army Command and General Staff College and is Acquisition Level III certified in Program Management and Information Technology.