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John Howell is the Product Director for Enterprise Email (PD EE), a position he has held since March 2012. The EE mission is to provide 1.4 million Army users with classified and unclassified state-of-the-art messaging allowing access to email from any location, as well as a complete global address list, calendar sharing/ management and an improved messaging security posture across the enterprise.

Previous to his appointment as PD EE, Mr. Howell served as the Director for Integration, Strategy and Logistics (ISL) for Product Manager, Power Projection Enablers (PM P2E), from June 2010 to February 2012. In this position Mr. Howell led a variety of efforts to bring efficiency and integration, to include reshaping the PM into Integrated Process Teams (IPTs), allowing full integration across all projects. Prior to joining P2E, Howell spent 23 years active duty in the Army in a variety of assignments, to include ten years as an Army Acquisition Officer. From July 2007 to July 2010, LTC Howell served as Product Manager, Defense Message System (PM DMS) at Fort Monmouth, NJ. From September 2008 to April 2009, Mr. Howell was also assigned as the acting Product Manager for Area Processing Centers (PM APC), where he and his team built two Secure Internet Protocol Router APCs for the first Operational Validation of the Network Service Center construct.

Mr. Howell is a member of the Army Acquisition Corps, and is Level III certified in Program Management, and Level II certified in Science and Technology Management and Contracting. His active duty personal and unit awards include the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Defense Meritorious Service Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, Army Meritorious Service Medal with 3 Oak Leaf Clusters, Joint Service Commendation Medal, Ranger Tab and Airborne Wings.

Mr. Howell received his Bachelor of Arts degree in Geology from Pomona College in Claremont, Calif. in 1986, and his Master of Science degree in Industrial Engineering from New Mexico State University in Las Cruces, N.M., in 1998. His military training includes: Operations Research and Systems Analysis Military Applications Course (ORSA MAC), 1997; Command and General Staff College, 2000; and Program Managers' Course (PMT 401), 2007.