

Western Hemisphere Institute for Security Cooperation (WHINSEC)

Siempre Listos, Always Ready!



THE ARMY UNIVERSITY

"AMERICA'S UNIVERSITY FOR EDUCATING ARMY
PROFESSIONALS TO WIN IN A COMPLEX WORLD"

WELCOME – BIENVENIDO

LIBERTAD
PAZ Y
FRATERNIDAD

COL Keith W. Anthony, Commandant
COL Luis E. Viera, Asst. Commandant
El Salvadoran Army

CSM Abel Tavera, Command Sgt. Major
CSM Digno Galeano, Asst. Cmd. Sgt. Maj.
Paraguayan Army



Mission

- Provide professional education and training to **eligible** [military, law enforcement, and civilian] personnel of the Western Hemisphere within the context of the democratic principles set forth in the Charter of the Organization of American States
- “**Build Partnerships**”... by fostering mutual knowledge, transparency, confidence, and cooperation [**trust**] among participating nations
- Promote democratic values, respect for **human rights**, and knowledge and understanding of U.S. customs and traditions

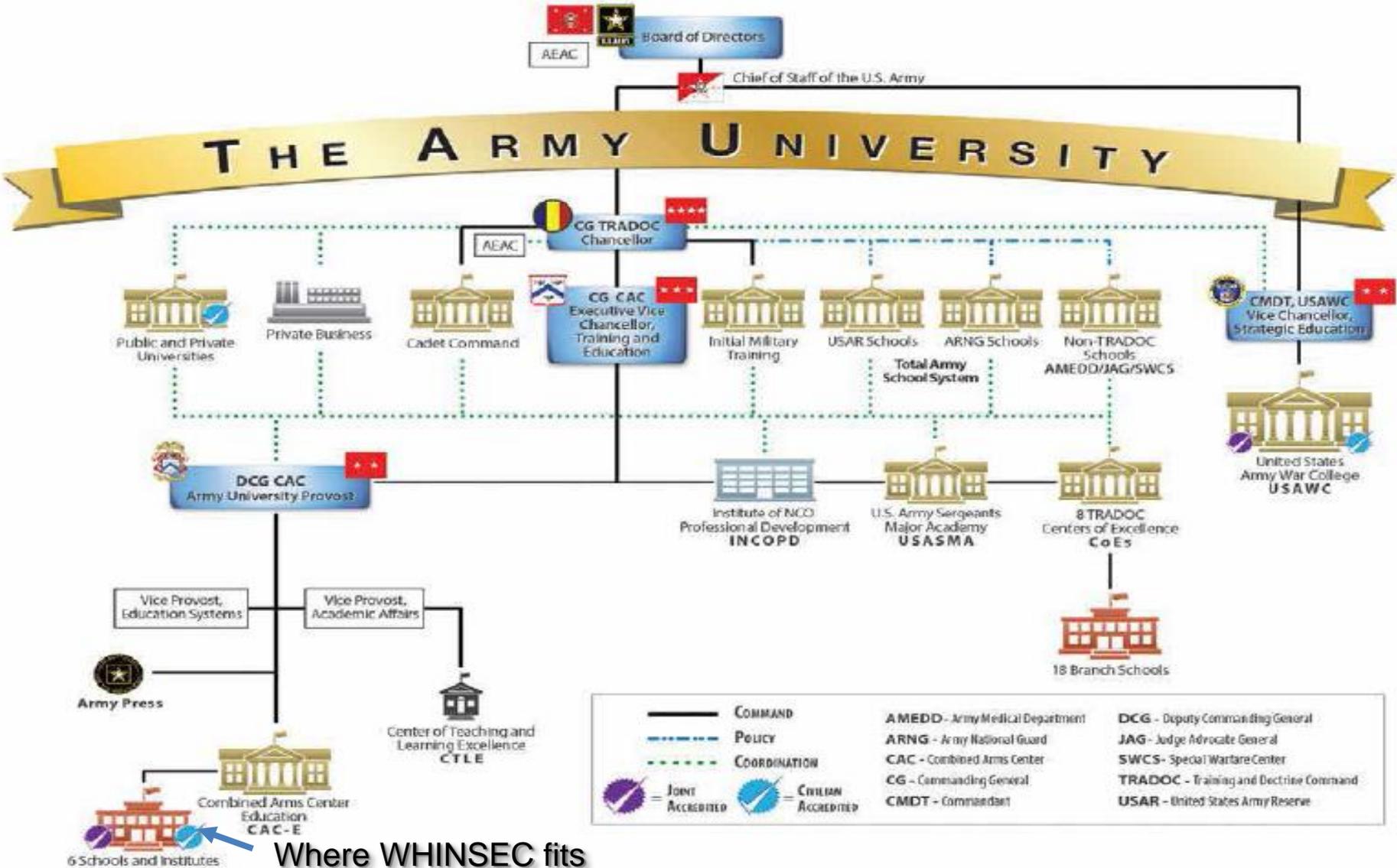


Vision

A premier learning and training institute focused on education and leader development, recognized for its academic rigor and relevance, with the intent of preparing the best professionals to win in a complex and uncertain security environment

Chapter 108 of Title 10, United States Code, section 2166

Army Professional Education



Command Relationships



SECDEF



SECARMY



TRADOC



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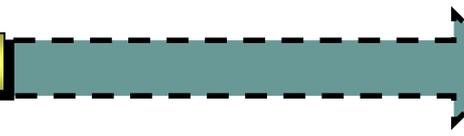
NORTHCOM



SOUTHCOM



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Chairman, SASC

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Federal Ex-Officio Member.
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Associates

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Federal Judge



52 Partner Nation Instructors/Leaders

(29% of our Faculty and Staff)

15 Countries Current

Participation Varies but Open to ALL!



Belize, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia,
Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, El
Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Jamaica,
Mexico, Panama, Paraguay and Peru.

Fifteen Years of Service

2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
1217	1337	1441	1773	1922	1626	1877	1807	1718	1983

2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
818	977	1190	995	686

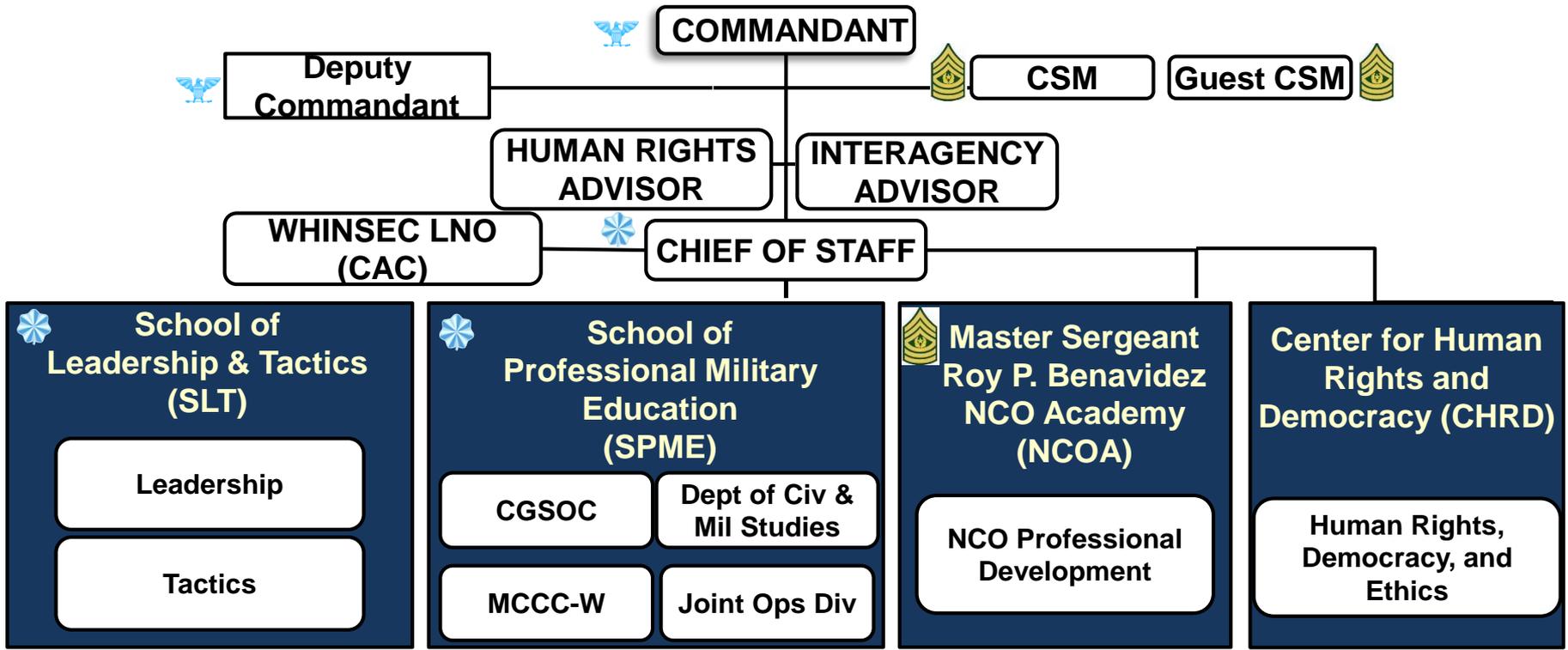


FY 15: Student Total: 1983
Males-1880 / Females-103
39 course iterations

Services	Number
Army	1473
Air Force	58
Navy	48
Marines	54
Civilians	13
Police	337
Total	1983

Countries	Number
Barbados	1
Belize	3
Brazil	1
Canada	5
Chile	215
Colombia	1044
Costa Rica	21
Dom Rep	91
Dominica	1
El Salvador	24
Grenada	1
Guatemala	18
Honduras	164
Jamaica	9
Mexico	31
Panama	35
Paraguay	20
Peru	187
St Kitts	1
St Vincent	2
Taiwan	1
Trinidad	2
United States	102
Uruguay	4
Total	1983

How we are Organized



Center for Human Rights and Democracy



Mission: Promote, through International programs and partnerships, the education and training of human rights, rule of law, due process, democratic principles, international humanitarian law, and ethics, to military, law enforcement, and government civilians, that will enhance their professional competencies and strengthen a culture of mutual respect and cooperation.



CHRD offers:

- International Operational Law Course
- Human Rights, Democracy and Ethics classes to all students and faculty at WHINSEC
- Human Rights and Democracy electives to the Command & General Staff Officer Course
 - The TRADOC Field Studies Program
 - Consultancy services to partner nations and to other U.S. organizations
- Research that contributes to the body of knowledge in human rights.

Western Hemisphere Institute for Security

Cooperation (WHINSEC)

Siempre Listos, Always Ready! School of Professional Military Education



JOINT SPECIAL OPERATIONS UNIVERSITY
MacDill Air Force Base, Florida



Western Hemisphere Institute
For Security Cooperation

DAVIS CONFERENCE CENTER, MARCH 5, 2015



- Command & General Staff Officer Course
 - Maneuver Captains' Career Course
 - Joint Operations Course
 - Civil Affairs Operations Course
- United Nations Peace Keeping Operations Course
- Defense Resource Management & Logistics Course

School of Leadership and Tactics

Functional / Leadership Training



Cuerpo Docente
Escuela de Liderazgo y Tácticas,
Instituto de Cooperación para la Seguridad Hemisférica



- Cadet Leadership Development Course
- Intelligence Analysis of Transnational Operations Course
- Countering Transnational Threats Course
 - Medical Assistance Course
 - Engineer Operations Course

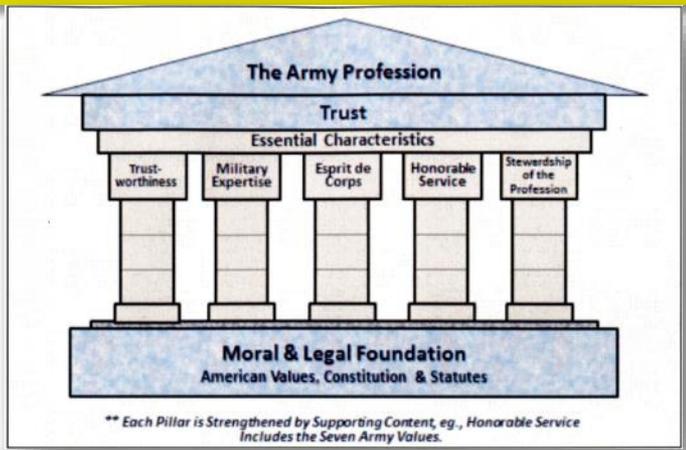
MSG Roy P. Benavidez Non-Commissioned Officer Academy



- Small Unit Leader Course
- NCO Professional Development Course
(in Spanish and English)
- Senior Enlisted Advisor Course

Universal throughout...

- All Students and Cadre participate in U.S Army / DoD Programs that enhance their professionalism and working environments:
- *The Democracy and Human Rights Program*
 - *The Army Profession (Ethics)*
 - *Sexual Harassment / Assault Response and Prevention*
 - *Equal Opportunity*
 - *Resiliency Programs*



Building Partnerships & Relationships

Functional / Leadership Training Professional Military Education

Relationships that span generations: Cadet, NCO (SGT to SGM), Officer (LT to COL)



“One of the cornerstones of our new strategy is building partners...” Gen Dempsey

To win in a complex world, our Armed Forces must be led by innovative professionals who adapt quickly to ever changing threats

Joint, Interagency and Multinational Faculty and Staff



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Outreach

Community

- PAIS Community Sponsorship Program
- Columbus Tech. (ESL Program)
- Partners in Education Program (PIE)
- WHINSEC International and Tri-City Festivals

Academic Collaboration

- Army University, FIU, Troy, Perry Center

DoD/Interagency Collaboration

- NAVSCIATTS/ IAAFA/ 7th SFG/ RAF
- USCBP BORTAC/SOG, DEA, FBI, HSI, FEMA, ICRC
- Foreign Jump Wing Exchanges
- Post Intramural Sports
- Commandant Key Leader Engagement



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Our Campus

WHINSEC Campus on Baltzell Avenue, Fort Benning



Seven of eight buildings complete and in operation:

- Building 396 (Bradley Hall) features sixteen state-of-the-art classrooms and the Institute Headquarters.
- Building 323 contains the Learning Resource Center, the Translation Department and the Staff and Faculty Development Division.
- Building 316 is the WHINSEC Auditorium/large classroom, with the entry corridor and foyer housing the Gallery of Liberators.
- Building 392 (Benavidez Hall), named for Hispanic Medal of Honor recipient MSG Roy P. Benavidez, is the NCO Academy.
- Building 322 houses the WHINSEC Staff.
- Building 324 is home to the School of Professional Military Education (SPME)
- Building 241 (Miller Hall) will house the School of Leadership & Tactics (SLT) when renovation is complete in 2017.

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