

Unified Combatant Commands

The unified combatant commands are military commands with broad continuing missions for maintaining the security and defense of the United States against attack; supporting and advancing the national policies and interests of the United States and discharging U.S. military responsibilities in their area of responsibility; and preparing plans, conducting operations, and coordinating activities of the forces assigned to them in accordance with the directives of higher authority. Subject to the direction of the President, the commanders of the unified combatant commands exercise command authority over forces assigned to them under the authority, direction, and control of the Secretary of Defense.

The operational chain of command runs from the President to the Secretary of Defense to the commanders of the unified combatant commands. The Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff functions within the chain of command by transmitting to the commanders of the unified combatant commands the orders of the President or the Secretary of Defense. Subject to the authority, direction, and control of the Secretary of Defense, the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff serves as the spokesman for the commanders of the unified combatant commands, especially on the operational requirements of their commands.

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Command	Address	Commander
Atlantic Command	USACOM, Suite 200, 1562 Mitscher Ave., Norfolk, VA 23511-2488.	Adm. Harold W. Gehman, Jr., USN
Central Command	USCENTCOM, 7115 S. Boundary Blvd., MacDill AFB, FL 35621-5101.	Gen. Anthony C. Zinni, USMC
European Command	USEUCOM, CMR 450, Box 7100, APO AE 09705.	Gen. Wesley K. Clark, USA
Pacific Command	USPACCOM, Box 64028, Camp H.M. Smith, HI 96861-4028.	Adm. Dennis C. Blair, USN
Southern Command	USSOUTHCOM, 3511 NW. 91st Ave., Miami, FL 33172.	Gen. Charles E. Wilhelm, USMC
Space Command	USSPACECOM, Suite 116, 250 S. Peterson Blvd., Peterson AFB, CO 80914-3010.	Gen. Richard B. Myers, USAF
Special Operations Command	USSOCOM, 7701 Tampa Point Blvd., MacDill AFB, FL 33621-5323.	Gen. Peter J. Schoomaker, USA
Strategic Command	USSTRATCOM, Suite 2A1, 901 SAC Blvd., Offutt AFB, NE 68113-6000.	Adm. Richard W. Mies, USN
Transportation Command	USTRANSCOM, Rm. 310, 508 Scott Dr., Scott AFB, IL 62225-5357.	Gen. Charles T. Robertson, Jr., USAF

Sources of Information

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Correspondence and Directives Directorate, Washington Headquarters Services, Room 2A286, 1155 Defense Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-1155. Phone, 703-697-4111.

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0001. Phone, 703-617-7211. Internet, <http://www.hrsc.osd.mil/>.

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