



26 MAY 2015 - HALL OF HEROES, THE PENTAGON

# SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

## National Anthem

## Invocation

*Chaplain (COL) Kenneth R. Williams Jr.*

## Remarks

*The Honorable Debra S. Wada  
Assistant Secretary of the Army  
Manpower and Reserve Affairs*

## Presentation of Pace Awards

## The Army Song

## Reception



## THE HONORABLE FRANK PACE JR.

was born in Little Rock, Arkansas, on 5 July 1912 and attended the Hill School in Pottstown, Pennsylvania before graduating from Princeton University in 1933. In 1936, Mr. Pace graduated from Harvard University Law School and was admitted to the Arkansas bar, where he practiced law from 1936 to 1942. Mr. Pace served as an assistant district attorney of the Twelfth Judicial District from 1936 to 1938 before being serving as general attorney of the Arkansas Revenue Department from 1938 to 1940. In 1940, Mr. Pace married Margaret Janney.

Mr. Pace was commissioned into the Army Air Corps in 1942 and served in the Air Transport Command, Army Air Corps until 1945, leaving the Army as a major. Following his military service, Mr. Pace continued public service, serving as a special assistant to the Attorney General, U.S. Taxation Division in 1946, as an executive assistant to the Postmaster General from 1946 to 1948. Mr. Pace served as the assistant director of the Bureau of the Budget in 1948, then later as the director, from 1949 to 1950. From 12 April 1950 to 20 January 1953, Mr. Pace served as the third Secretary of the Army. During his tenure, Mr. Pace executed the structural and functional changes mandated by the Army Organization Act of 1950 and headed the Army during the Korean War, 1950 to 1953. He implemented policies to broaden the Army's use of Black manpower, elevated research and development to the Deputy Chief of Staff level, and served as chairman of the Defense Ministers Conference, North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) in 1950.

From 1957 to 1960, Mr. Pace served as chairman of the American Council of NATO. Mr. Pace then served as vice chairman, President's Commission Board, from 1961 to 1973. Mr. Pace was also chairman of the board, Corporation for Public Broadcasting from 1968 to 1972 and was a member and past president of the National Institute of Social Sciences and a member of the Brookings Institution. Mr. Pace died in Greenwich, Connecticut, on 8 January 1988.

## DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY PACE AWARD

Named after the third Secretary of the Army, the Honorable Frank Pace, Jr., the Pace Award has been presented annually since 1962 to one Army officer (Lieutenant Colonel or below), and one civilian employee (GS-14 equivalent or below), assigned in a staff capacity to Headquarters, Department of the Army, for a contribution of outstanding significance to the Army that culminated during the calendar year. Awardees are selected based on their performance and completion of significant staff assignments that benefit the Army by providing substantial financial savings, or technological or military development.

CALENDAR YEAR 2014  
CIVILIAN RECIPIENT OF THE  
PACE AWARD



ANNE M. MORTON

for her significant contributions to the Department of the Army during calendar year 2014 as an Information Technology Specialist, Program Analysis and Evaluation Directorate, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-8. Ms. Morton defined requirements, designed and implemented the first Headquarters, Department of the Army Enterprise Data Warehouse that supports the Army's planning, programming, budgeting and execution process. In addition, she developed a methodology for reviewing, analyzing, prioritizing and determining funding requirements for all Army programs. Her efforts saved the Army more than \$15 million dollars annually, or about \$90 million over the 6-year cycle of the Program Objective Memorandum. Ms. Morton's outstanding accomplishments are in keeping with the highest traditions of government service and are a great credit to her, the Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-8, and the Department of the Army.



CALENDAR YEAR 2014  
MILITARY RECIPIENT OF THE  
PACE AWARD



MAJOR  
BRADLEY S. LOUDON

for his significant contributions to the Department of the Army during calendar year 2014 as Cyberspace Plans Officer, Operations, Readiness, and Mobilization Directorate, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-3/5/7. Major Loudon coordinated complex Headquarters, Department of Army cyber issues with senior Army leaders for decisions that created the organization, command and control, and institutional support for the Army's cyber forces. His efforts directly contributed to the establishment of the Army Cyber Mission Force, the Joint Command and Control structure for cyberspace, the Army Cyber Center of Excellence at Fort Gordon, Georgia, and Army cyberspace workforce strategy, including the establishment of the 17-Series Cyber Branch. He also coordinated the establishment of the Army Cyberspace Council to direct Army cyberspace policy and strategy. Major Loudon's outstanding accomplishments are in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and are a great credit to him, the Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-3/5/7, and the Department of the Army.





THE HONORABLE  
**DEBRA S. WADA**

Assistant Secretary of the Army  
(Manpower and Reserve Affairs)



Ms. Debra S. Wada currently serves as the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Manpower and Reserve Affairs) and is responsible for supervising the manpower, personnel and Reserve Component affairs for the Department of Army. She serves as the Army's point person for policy and performance oversight of human resources (military, civilian and contractor); training; readiness; mobilization; military health affairs; force structure; manpower management; equal opportunity and equal employment opportunity; and other critical matters as part of the Army leadership. She was appointed to this position on 2 October 2014.

Prior to this appointment, Ms. Wada served as a Professional Staff Member on the U.S. House of Representatives' Armed Services Committee, a position she held since 1999. Ms. Wada served as the lead staff member for the Subcommittee from 2007 to 2010 and briefly served as Deputy Staff Director for the Committee in 2011. In 1999, she served as a Legislative Affairs Specialist for the National Park Service. Previously, Ms. Wada served as a Legislative Assistant for U.S. Senator Daniel K. Akaka, acting as the Senator's principal aide on national defense, veterans' affairs, maritime issues, education, Social Security and welfare.

Ms. Wada earned a B.A. in Economics and Political Science from Drake University and is a graduate of the Naval War College.

PREVIOUS PACE  
**AWARDS RECIPIENTS**

1962- LTC C.J. LeVan Mr. Joseph A. Beauregard	1980- LTC Francis E. Mills Mr. Charles T. Harris	1998- LTC Jerry P. Brown Ms. Brigitt S. Seymour
1963- MAJ Charles K. Heiden Ms. Carolyn Vinci	1981- LTC Robert L. Herndon Mr. Thomas E. Kelly III	1999- MAJ Gregory P. Oelberg Mr. Bruce Allen Park
1964- LTC Joseph Patrick Cribbins Dr. Lewis H. Blakey	1982- LTC Ira Dorsey Mr. Robert L. Ruth	2000- MAJ Maria M. Donovan Mr. Alan R. Butler
1965- LTC Edwin S. Townsley Mr. John C. Gilbert	1983- LTC James F. McNulty Ms. Sharon A. Weinhold	2001- LTC Joseph W. Corrigan Ms. Sandra M. Carpenter
1966- LTC Patricia T. Murphy Mr. Carleton H. Gray	1984- LTC Daniel M. Kashporenko Mr. John Mytryshyn	2002- LTC Roderick K. Wade Mr. John P. Boyce Jr.
1967- LTC Stan R. Sheridan Mr. Paul Curd	1985- LTC Daryl R. Kendrick Mrs. Patricia A. Stone	2003- MAJ Paul B. Olsen Ms. Deborah K. Todd
1968- LTC George E. Marine Mr. Kyle F. Davis	1986- LTC Eric K. Azuma Mr. James R. Dominy	2004- LTC Thomas H. Barth Ms. Lynne McCann
1969- LTC James Stanley White Mr. Mervin A. Frantz Jr.	1987- LTC Gerald E. Dixon Mr. Ronald E. Craven	2005- LTC Frederick J. Gellert Mr. Robert P. Sipe
1970- LTC William B. Holden Mr. James W. Dunn	1988- LTC William D. Knox Mr. Bruce E. Sullivan	2006- LTC Joseph L. Knott Ms. Kathryn A. Herhusky
1971 - LTC Otto R. Schulz Ms. Carolyn Jean Gatling	1989- MAJ Robert R. Sigl Mr. Carl W. Biersack	2007- LTC Douglas A. Cherry Mr. Steven E. Gray
1972- LTC Hugh H. Trumbull Jr. Mr. Harold M. Cotner	1990- LTC Donald L. Trautner Mr. Van B. Cunningham	2008- MAJ James E. White Mr. Albert D. Orwig MSG Stuart T. Coupe*
1973- LTC William Baker Mr. Issa K. Deeb	1991- LTC Daniel W. Hearn Mr. Harvey H. Perritt III	2009- LTC James H. Boozell Mr. Michael L. Bucceroni
1974- MAJ Patrick A. Metress Mr. I. Stanley De Groot	1992- MAJ Michael J. Clark Mr. Mervyn M. Copeland	2010-LTC Patrick L. Walden Ms. Daisy P. Crowley
1975- MAJ Charles Sollohub Mr. Robert A. McDonald	1993- LTC Timothy S. Muchmore Ms. Jill D. McLean	2011-LTC Jeffrey S. Gribshaw Ms. Denise K. Fultz
1976- LTC Thomas E. Weber Mr. John A. Armstrong	1994- LTC Joseph E. Martz Ms. Maureen E. Wylie	2012-LTC Michael K. Kolb Mr. Dean A. Frisoli
1977- LTC John D. Putnam Mr. Robert D. Wise	1995- LTC Ronald W. Johnson Mr. Mervyn Copeland	2013-CPT Lauren M. Hamlin Mr. Michael R. Wilson
1978- LTC James E. Leonard Mr. James T. Brown	1996- LTC Victoria Diego-Allard Mr. Gary Bounds	*During calendar year 2008, a noncommissioned officer also was recognized in honor of the "Year of the NCO."
1979- LTC Irvin S. Butler Jr. Mr. Robert F. McCoy	1997- LTC John J. Spinelli Mr. Joseph S. Vallone	

# ARMY SONG

March along, sing our song, with the Army of the free  
Count the brave, count the true, who have fought to victory

We're the Army and proud of our name

We're the Army and proudly proclaim

First to fight for the right

And to build the Nation's might

And the Army goes rolling along.

Proud of all we have done,

Fighting till the battle's won,

And the Army goes rolling along.

Then it's Hi! Hi! Hey!

The Army's on its way.

Count off the cadence loud and strong

(Two! Three!)

For where'er we go

You will always know

That the Army goes rolling along.

