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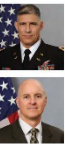
PM IS&A Intel Systems & Analytics

PM PNT Positioning Navigation & Timing

PD SAI Sensors-Aerial Intelligence

PM TS Terrestrial Sensors

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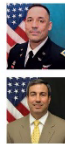
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- **Description**

- The panel will discuss progress, challenges, and future plans for Army Acquisition Modernization. The panelists bring different perspectives and will discuss how they and their teams are closely working together to synergistically support the warfighter by increasing capabilities.

- **Agenda (1 hr 15 min)**

- Panel Introduction (5 minutes)
- Panelists' Opening Remarks (15 min)
- Q&A session (55 min)

- **Panelists**

- **Lieutenant General Leon N. Thurgood**

Director of Hypersonic, Directed Energy, Space and Rapid Acquisition Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Acquisition, Logistics and Technology)

- Director for Test, Missile Defense Agency, Redstone Arsenal, Alabama (2018-2019)
- Deputy Commander, Combined Security Transition Command-Afghanistan, United States Forces-Afghanistan, OPERATION FREEDOM'S SENTINEL, Afghanistan (2017-2018)
- Defense Superior Service Medal recipient

- **Lieutenant General Thomas H. Todd III**

Deputy Commanding General, Acquisition and Systems Management, United States Army Futures Command

- Program Executive Officer, Aviation, Redstone Arsenal, Alabama (2017-2020)
- Deputy Commanding General, United States Army Research, Development and Engineering Command/Senior Commander, Natick Soldier Systems Center, Natick, Massachusetts (2015-2017)
- Legion of Merit (with 2 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters) recipient

- **Lieutenant General Michael Williamson**

US Army (Retired), Vice President for Missiles, Lockheed Martin

- Military Deputy/Director, Army Acquisition Corps, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Acquisition, Logistics and Technology), Washington, DC (2014-2017)
- Deputy Commanding General, Combined Security Transition Command - Afghanistan, OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, Afghanistan (2013-2014)
- Distinguished Service Medal recipient

