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Lt. Gen. Maria B. Barrett

Commanding General



Lt. Gen. Maria B. Barrett assumed command of U.S. Army Cyber Command (ARCYBER) on May 3, 2022.

A Massachusetts native, Barrett was commissioned as an Army second lieutenant via the Reserve Officers Training Corps program in 1988 after graduating from Tufts University with a bachelor's degree in International Relations.

Barrett's previous assignments include tours as Deputy Director of Current Operations, J-3, United States Cyber Command (USCYBERCOM); Deputy Commanding General, Joint Force Headquarters—Cyber, ARCYBER; and Deputy Commander (Operations), Cyber National Mission Force, USCYBERCOM.

She has commanded units at the company, battalion, brigade and command level, including service as Commander, 160th Signal Brigade, Third United States Army, and Commander, U.S. Army Network Enterprise Technology Command, the position she held prior to commanding ARCYBER.

Her joint assignments include service as Chief Information Officer/Director, J-6, United States Southern Command and Director, J-3, White House Communications Agency. She has served in Army assignments in the United States, Kuwait, the Republic of Korea, Germany and Saudi Arabia. She is a veteran of Operation New Dawn, Operation Enduring Freedom and Operation Desert Shield/Desert Storm.

Barrett has also earned master's degrees in National Resource Strategy from the Industrial College of the Armed Forces (Eisenhower School), and in Telecommunications Management from Webster University.

Her awards and decorations include the Distinguished Service Medal (one oak leaf cluster); Defense Superior Service Medal; Legion of Merit (two oak leaf clusters); Bronze Star Medal; Defense Meritorious Service Medal (one oak leaf cluster); Meritorious Service Medal (three oak leaf clusters); Army Commendation Medal (one oak leaf cluster); Joint Service Achievement Medal; Army Achievement Medal; Joint Meritorious Unit Award, Parachutist Badge; Presidential Service Badge; Gold Recipient of the Cyber Regiment's St. Isidore Award; and the Signal Regiment's Silver Order of Mercury.

ASSUMED COMMAND:

May 3, 2022

LINEAGE:

5th commander

HEADQUARTERS:

Fort Gordon, Ga.

WORKFORCE STATS:

- 6,500 Soldiers
- 10,000 Civilians and Contractors

CYBER OPERATIONS:

24/7

ARCYBER ACTIVATED:

October 1, 2010

CYBER BRANCH ESTABLISHED:

September 1, 2014