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Introduction

The papers in this volume are lightly edited transcripts of presentations and discussions ordered in the sequence in which they took place. The informality of oral exposition interrupted by questions or comments has been preserved. Only pauses and repetitions have been eliminated and halt sentences smoothed. Substance has, as far as possible, been left unaltered. All guests made their presentations in an open forum, forewarned that neither classified nor proprietary matters are appropriate in a university classroom.

In 1995–96, the debates over the reorganization of U.S. intelligence functions and over "information warfare" provided vehicles for an unusual amount of institutionalized trend-surfing as well as spotlights that illuminated perennial fundamentals. A subtheme was U.S. operations in Bosnia. As in recent years, emerging technologies and the concept of information warfare in responding to new threats to U.S. national security served as a central underlying theme. Each presentation emphasized the ever increasing importance of good intelligence and of effective command and control and interoperability of forces in the success or failure of future armed conflict or "peaceful" interventions.

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Anthony G. Oettinger, Professor of Information Resources Policy, has had a continuing interest in the ways in which institutions draw on systems of people, policies, and technologies to gather and use information for survival and growth. Since 1980 his graduate seminar on intelligence, command, and control has explored this topic with a series of guest speakers from military organizations, civil government, and businesses. While the guest speakers tend to be practitioners of the decision-making process, some are theoreticians who attempt to see patterns in the chaos of day-to-day crises. Taken as a whole, the series chronicles the recent history of this field.

The following descriptions of previous volumes identify the speakers' roles at the time of their presentations.

Guest Presentations, Spring 1995. [232 pages; January 1996/Incidental Paper: I-96-2] As in previous years, issues of command and control, from crisis management, as in the Gulf War or the Six Day War, to long-term planning for information warfare or coalition warfare, were joined to changes in the world (from "bipolar" to "multipolar"), in the defense budget, and in technology. The capabilities and vulnerabilities of the U.S. defense information infrastructure were examined in terms of new technologies (as well as the ancient problem of human error) and the "fit" between intelligence and democracy.

R. C. M. (Mark) Baker, Vice President of Global Strategy and Operations in AT&T's Communications Services Group: "The Globalization of Telecommunications."

Michael L. Brown, Analyst and military assistant for the Director of Net Assessment in the Office of the Secretary of Defense: "Information Warfare and the Revolution in Military Affairs."

A. Jay Cristol, Chief Judge of the United States Bankruptcy Court of the Southern District of Florida: "The Liberty Incident."

Albert Edmonds, Director of the Defense Information Systems Agency, and Manager, National Communications System in Arlington, Virginia: "Integrated Information Systems for the Warrior."

Arthur V. Grant, Jr., Member of the professional staff of the U.S. Senate Select Committee on Intelligence: "Effective Intelligence and Free Democracy—Is That an Oxymoron?"

Robert Lawrence, Chief, Planning and Scheduling Division, Office of the Inspector General, Headquarters Air Mobility Command, Scott Air Force Base: "Global Reach Laydown."

John A. Leide, Director, National Military Intelligence Collection Center, Defense Intelligence Agency: "Coalition Warfare and Predictive Analysis."

William A. Owens, Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staffs: "The Three Revolutions in Military Affairs."

Guest Presentations, Spring 1994. [267 pages; January 1995/Incidental Paper: I-95-3] This year's seminar series continued to focus on new demands being placed on the United States and the new world order resulting from dramatic changes in the international geopolitical picture in recent years. The promise of emerging technologies in responding to the issues served as a central, underlying theme, while each speaker highlighted concerns forcing not only widespread organizational changes in the U.S. defense establishment but also a significant shift in the conceptual framework of DOD doctrine and the strategy of the National Command Authorities, which drives U.S. national security policy.

Col. William R. Clontz, USA, Military Adviser to the U.S. Permanent Representative to the United Nations: "C³I Issues from a United Nations Perspective."

James Davis, Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff for Intelligence, U.S. Army: "The Role of Army Intelligence in the National Foreign Intelligence Program."

Lt. General Albert Edmonds, USAF, Director for C⁴ Systems (J6), The Joint Staff: "C⁴I Issues."

Keith R. Hall, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Intelligence Collection Center, DIA: "Intelligence Needs in the Post Cold War Environment."

Col. Richard L. Layman, USAF, Commander, Second Space Warning Squadron: "Survivability and Space-Based Missile Warning Capabilities."

Major General John A. Leide, USA, Director, National Military Intelligence: "Intelligence Analysis in Coalition Warfare."

Thomas P. Quinn, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Command, Control & Communications: "Acquiring C³ Systems for the Department of Defense: Process and Problems."

Col. Richard T. Reynolds, USAF, CADRE/RIR: "Formal and Informal C³I Structures in the Desert Storm Air Campaign."

John E. Rothrock, (Col. USAF, Ret), Director—Center for Global Security Planning, SRI International: "The Challenge of Leverage in the Post-Cold War Era."

Col. Lewis Wallace, Jr., USAF Fellow, Institute for the Study of Conflict, Boston University: "From the Soviet Union to Russia: Contradictions and Implications."

Guest Presentations, Spring 1993. [164 pages; August 1994/Incidental Paper: I-94-5] This year's seminar series focused on new demands being placed on the United States and the new world order resulting from dramatic changes in the international geopolitical picture in recent years. Many speakers emphasized new threats to U.S. national security caused by the changing global geopolitical landscape and each emphasized the ever-increasing importance of effective command and control and interoperability of forces in the success or failure of future armed conflict.

Randall M. Fort, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Functional Analysis and Research, Bureau of Intelligence and Research, Department of State: "The Role of Intelligence in Economic and Other Crises."

Barry M. Horowitz, President and CEO, MITRE Corporation: "The Emergence of Data Systems: Cost and Technical Change in Military Systems."

Walter Jajko, Director, Special Advisory Staff, Office of the Under Secretary for Policy, Department of Defense: "Defense Intelligence: Adaptability, Character, and Capability."

Major General Gary W. O'Shaughnessy, Commander, Air Force Intelligence Command and Director, Joint Electronic Warfare Center: "The Structure and Missions of the Air Force Intelligence Command."

Read Admiral Edward D. Sheafer, Director of Naval Intelligence: "Naval Intelligence in the Post-Cold War Era."

Nina J. Stewart, Executive Assistant to the Director of Central Intelligence: "Infrastructure for Security."

Vice Admiral Jerry O. Tuttle, Director of Space and Electronic Warfare: "The Copernican Pull."

Michelle K. Van Cleave, Esq., Assistant Director for National Security Affairs and General Counsel, White House Office of Science and Technology Policy: "Intelligence: The Science and Technology Connection."

Guest Presentations, Spring 1992. [186 pages; August 1994/Incidental Paper: I-94-4] This year's seminar series focused on evolving threats to U.S. national security as Congress and National Command Authorities struggled to redefine America's global geopolitical interests and the organizational changes needed to meet them. Several speakers emphasized the stakes for new and advanced technologies in this national debate.

Roscoe M. Cougill, Director, Command, Control, Communications and Computer Systems Directorate: "C³ During Desert Shield and Desert Storm."

Richard L. Haver, Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Intelligence Policy: "The Process of Reorganization within the U.S. Intelligence Community."

James J. Hearn, Deputy Director for Information Systems Security, NSA: "Information Systems Security."

Frank B. Horton, Deputy Chief of Staff/Intelligence, HQ Strategic Air Command: "Command Plan and C³I."

Richard J. Kerr, Deputy Director of Central Intelligence: "The Evolution of the U.S. Intelligence System in the Post-Soviet Era."

Albert R. Lubarsky, Director, C³I for Counternarcotics, Department of Defense: "C³I in Transition."

Richard C. Macke, Director, Command, Control, Communications and Computer Systems, The Joint Staff: "C⁴I for the Warrior."

John M. McConnell, Director for Joint Staff Intelligence, J2: "The Role of the Current Intelligence Officer for the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff."

Guest Presentations, Spring 1991. [208 pages; February 1993/Incidental Paper: I-93-1] This year's seminar series stressed the role of intelligence in organizations. A number of speakers addressed the challenges confronting the U.S. intelligence apparatus in the Post-Cold War political environment.

Lt. Col. C. Kenneth Allard, USA, Special Assistant to the Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition): "Thinking About Command and Control."

Duane P. Andrews, Assistant Secretary of Defense (C³I): "Restructuring the World of C³I."

John H. Cushman, Sr., Lt. Gen. USA (retired): "Desert Shield/Desert Storm and the Future of Force Projection."

Carnes Lord, Assistant to the Vice President for National Security Affairs: "Bureaucratic Problems in Formulating National Strategy."

Eugene B. Lotochinski, Vice President, Marketing, Northern Telecom World Trade: "Global Communications Capabilities for the Banking Industry."

David Y. McManis, National Security Agency/CSS representative to DOD: "Technology, Intelligence and Command."

John M. Ruddy, Vice President, The MITRE Corporation: "Military Use of Satellite Communications."

Paul R. Schwartz, Major General, USA: "Coalition Command and Control in Desert Shield/Desert Storm."

Charles L. Stiles, President, Technology and Planning Assoc. Inc.: "The U.S. Sinai Support Mission."

Joseph S. Toma, Chief, Special Action Division, Joint Staff J6-A: "C3: A View from Inside the Joint Staff."

Guest Presentations, Spring 1990 [146 pages; December 1991/Incidental Paper: I-91-3] This year's seminar series stressed the role of intelligence in organizations. A number of speakers addressed the challenges confronting the U.S. intelligence apparatus in the Post-Cold War political environment.

Lt. Gen. James Cassity, Jr., USAF, Director, Command, Control & Communications (J-6), Joint Chiefs of Staff: "Restructuring Military Policy to Reflect Worldwide Political Changes."

Kenneth M. Duberstein, President and CEO of The Duberstein Group, formerly Chief of Staff to President Reagan: "The White House Information Process."

Thomas K. Latimer, Staff Director, House Permanent Committee on Intelligence, U.S. House of Representatives: "The Congressional Intelligence Committees."

James W. Lucas, Dean, School of Professional Studies, Defense Intelligence College: "The Information Needs of Presidents."

Gordon Negus, Executive Director, Defense Intelligence Agency: "Intelligence in Support of U.S. Foreign Policy."

Vice Admiral W.O. Studeman, Director, National Security Agency: "The Philosophy of Intelligence."

Major Gen. C. Norman Wood, Assistant Chief of Staff/Intelligence, U.S. Air Force: "The Policy Aspect of Intelligence."

Col. Joseph Zadarecky, II, Chief, Tactical Command and Control Division, Directorate of Operations, HQ U.S. Air Force: "The Role of the Air Force in U.S. Counternarcotics Policy."

Guest Presentations, Spring 1989 [132 pages; August 1990/Incidental Paper: I-90-3] This year's presentations included continuing assessments of the Defense Reorganization Act of 1986, a look at the impact of new technologies on C³I planning and perspectives on intelligence, command and control activities in some civilian domains.

James M. Fox, Assistant Director in Charge, New York City, Federal Bureau of Investigation: "Crisis Management at the FBI."

Robert T. Herres, General, USAF, and Vice Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff: "The Role of the Joint Chiefs After the 1986 Defense Reorganization Act."

Stuart E. Johnson, Director, Strategic Concepts Development Center, INSS, National Defense University: "Command and Control Education and Research."

John F. Magee, Chairman of the Board, Arthur D. Little, Incorporated: "Some Business Analogies to C³I."

David Y. McManis, Director, Operations Security Organization, National Security Agency: "National Security and the 'Democratization' of Information."

John T. Myers, Lieutenant General, USA, and Director, Defense Communications Agency: "Future Directions for Defense Communications."

Charles A. Zraket, President and CEO, The MITRE Corporation: "Four Vital Issues in C³I."

Guest Presentations, Spring 1988 [176 pages; March 1989/Incidental Paper: I-89-1] Speakers in this series addressed a variety of topics, but two themes predominated. The first of these was the reorganization of the U.S. Department of Defense in accordance with the Goldwater-Nichols Reorganization Act of 1986. The second major theme was the role of Special Operations Forces and Low Intensity Conflict (SOF/LIC) in defense planning and organization.

Frank J. Breth, Brigadier General, USMC, Director of C⁴P Department/Director of Intelligence: "Getting in Front of C⁴P Problems."

Ruth M. Davis, President, Pymatuning Group, formerly an Assistant Secretary of Energy and Deputy Under Secretary of Defense: "Putting C³I Development in a Strategic and Operational Context."

Robert T. Herres, General, USAF, and Vice Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff: "Strengthening the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff."

Rae M. Huffstutler, Deputy Director for Administration, formerly Director, National Photographic Interpretation Center, Central Intelligence Agency: "Intelligence Sources and Their Applications."

Robert C. Kingston, General, USA, (ret.), formerly Commander-in-Chief, United States Central Command: "The Special Operations Command: Structure and Responsibilities."

James R. Locher, III, Professional Staff Member, Senate Committee on Armed Forces: "Special Operations and Low Intensity Conflict: A Congressional Perspective."

Earl F. Lockwood, President and Chief Executive Officer, Betac Corporation: "The Evolution of Special Operations Forces."

John F. McLaughlin, Executive Director, Program on Information Resources Policy, Harvard University: "The Rise in Low Intensity Conflict: A Theory."

Richard L. Thornburgh, Director, Institute of Politics, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, formerly Governor of Pennsylvania: "Three Mile Island: A Case Study in C³I for Crisis Management."

Jerry O. Tuttle, Vice Admiral, USN, and Director, Command, control and Communications Organization of the Joint Chiefs of Staff (J-6): "Tailoring C³I Systems to Military Users."

Guest Presentations, Spring 1987 [192 pages; May 1988/Incidental Paper: I-88-1] Speakers explored the information requirements of national, military, and business organizations at a time of technological and organizational change in the military and civilian worlds. The reorganization of the U.S. Department of Defense in accordance with the Goldwater-Nichols Defense Reorganization Act of 1986 was the occasion for analysis and re-evaluation.

Archie D. Barrett, professional staff, House Armed Services Committee, formerly military staff assistant to the Executive Secretary of the Defense Organization Study: "Defense Reorganization: A View from the House."

Robert L. DeGross, provost, Defense Intelligence College: Teaching Intelligence."

Fred R. Demech, Jr., captain, U.S. Navy, formerly executive director, the President's Foreign Intelligence Advisory Board: "Making Intelligence Better."

Greg Foster, senior fellow, Institute for National Strategic Studies, National Defense University: "The National Defense University's Command and Control Program."

James R. Locher, III, professional staff, Subcommittee on Projection Forces and Regional Defense, Senate Committee on Armed Services: "Defense Reorganization: A View from the Senate."

George C. Lodge, professor, Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration, formerly director of information, U.S. Department of Labor and Assistant Secretary of Labor for International Affairs: "Ideology and National Competitiveness."

Eugene B. Lotochinski, vice president, market development, Northern Telecom Inc.: "The Information Management Marketplace."

Rodney B. McDaniel, executive secretary, National Security Council: "C³I: A National Security Council Perspective."

Michael J. Zak, vice president, marketing, Concord Communications, Inc.: "Coming of Age in C³I."

Guest Presentations, Spring 1986 [168 pages; February 1987/Incidental Paper: I-87-1] The speakers this year addressed a variety of topics, with two predominant themes. The first was the manner in which organizations—military, diplomatic, business—obtain and use intelligence. The second theme was how organizations protect information from the growing threat of electronic interception.

Robert Conley, formerly Deputy Assistant Secretary for Advanced Technology and Analysis and Acting Assistant Secretary for Electronic Systems and Information Technology, Department of the Treasury: "Data Security in the Information Age."

Harold Daniels, Deputy Director for Information Security at the National Security Agency, formerly Assistant Deputy Director for Communications Security: "The Role of the National Security Agency in Command, Control and Communications."

John Grimes, Director of National Security Telecommunications and Director of Defense Programs (C³) of the National Security Council: "Information Technologies and Multinational Corporations."

Bobby R. Inman, president and chief executive officer, Microelectronics and Computer Technology Corporation, formerly Director of the Office of Naval Intelligence, Director of the National Security Agency, and Deputy Director of Central Intelligence: "Technological Innovation and the Cost of Change."

Richard J. Levine, editorial director, data base publishing, Dow Jones & Company: "Data Base Publishing for Business Intelligence."

Mark Lowenthal, acting director, Office of Strategic Forces Analysis, Bureau of Intelligence and Research, Department of State: "The Quest for 'Good' Intelligence."

Clarence E. McKnight, Director for Command, Control, and Communications Systems, Organization of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, formerly Commanding General, U.S. Army Communications Communications Communications at the Joint Level."

Lionel Olmer, formerly Under Secretary for International Trade, U.S. Department of Commerce, heading the International Trade Administration; currently member of Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison, an international law firm: "Intelligence Techniques for the American Business Community."

Guest Presentations, Spring 1985 [180 pages; April 1986/Incidental Paper: I-86-1] These presentations examined the link between defense organization and the efficacy of command, control, communications and intelligence, within the context of current debate over reorganization of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Archie D. Barrett, professional staff, House Armed Services Committee, formerly military staff assistant to the Executive Secretary of the Defense Organization Study: "Politics and the Military—The Climate for Reform."

Richard D. DeLauer, president, Orion Group Limited, formerly Under Secretary of Defense for Research and Engineering: "A Consultant's View."

Lincoln Faurer, formerly Director of the National Security Agency and Chief, Central Security Service, Fort Meade, Maryland: "The Role of Intelligence Within C3I."

Robert T. Herres, Commander in Chief, unified U.S. Space Command, Aerospace Defense Command, and North American Aerospace Defense Command, and Commander of the Air Force Space Command: "A CINC's View of Defense Organization."

Robert Hilton, consultant specializing in national and international security affairs and political risk analysis; formerly Vice Director for Operations, Joint Chiefs of Staff: "Roles of the Joint Chiefs of Staff in Crisis Management."

Samuel P. Huntington, director, Center for International Affairs, Harvard University, formerly Coordinator of Security Planning for the National Security Council: "Centralization of Authority in Defense Organizations."

Donald Latham, Assistant Secretary of Defense, C3I: "A View from Inside OSD."

Richard G. Stilwell, chairman, Department of Defense Security Review Commission; formerly Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Policy: "Structure and Mechanisms for Command and Control."

Guest Presentations, Spring 1984 [125 pages; February 1985/Incidental Paper: I-85-2] These presentations explored the roles of communication, information, and warning systems in peacekeeping, crisis management, and economic security.

Richard S. Beal, until his death in 1984, Special Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs and Senior Director for Crisis Management Systems and Planning: "Decision Making, Crisis Management, Information and Technology."

Stuart E. Branch, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Communications in the Department of State and member, National Communications System and U.S. Communications Security Board of the National Security Council: "C3I and Crisis Management."

Leo Cherne, executive director, Research Institute of America: "Television News and the National Interest."

Hubert L. Kertz, formerly president and managing director, American Bell International, Inc., with Anthony G. Oettinger: "With AT&T in Iran."

David McManis, National Intelligence Officer for Warning and Director, National Warning Staff: "Warning as a Peacekeeping Mechanism."

Robert A. Rosenberg, Vice Commander in Chief for the North American Aerospace Defense Command and Assistant Vice Commander for the U.S. Air Force Space Command: "Strategic Defense: A Challenge for C3I."

James W. Stansberry, formerly Commander of the Air Force Electronic Systems Division: "Cost-Effective Rearmament."

W. Scott Thompson, director of programs for the American Security Council Foundation and president, Strategic Research Associates: "U.S. - U.S.S.R. Information Competition."

(The seminar was not held during 1983.)

Guest Presentations, Spring 1982 [181 pages; December 1982/Incidental Paper: I-82-3] This series of C3I sessions emphasized national security issues, exploring policy and planning as well as procurement and implementation perspectives. Guests discussed not only the impact within the defense community of rapidly expanding technology but also the public consequences—national and international—of intelligence gathering and use.

Richard D. DeLauer, Under Secretary of Defense for Research and Engineering: "The View from the Hot Seat."

Hillman Dickinson, Director for Command, Control and Communications Systems, Joint Chiefs of Staff: "Planning for Defense-Wide Command and Control."

Gerald P. Dinneen, corporate vice president, Science and Technology, Honeywell, Inc., formerly Assistant Secretary of Defense for Communications, Command, and Control, and Intelligence: "C³ Priorities."

Richard H. Ellis, formerly commander in chief, Strategic Air Command: "Strategic Connectivity."

R. Thomas Marsh, commander, Air Force Systems Command: "Air Force C3I Systems."

Thomas H. McMullen, deputy commander, Tactical Air Command: "A Tactical Commander's View of C3I."

William G. Miller, associate dean and professor of international politics, Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University: "Foreign Affairs, Diplomacy and Intelligence."

Richard G. Stilwell, Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Policy: "Policy and National Command."

Guest Presentations, Spring 1981 [214 pages; December 1981/Incidental Paper: I-81-9] The perspective in this volume encompasses the Congress, combatant commands, defense contractors, and technological innovators. As part of an ongoing open forum on C3I, the sessions brought together the intersecting vantage points of industrial suppliers and innovators, government funders and decision makers, and principals in military intelligence.

William O. Baker, formerly chairman, Bell Laboratories, Inc.: "The Convergence of C3I Techniques and Technology."

John H. Cushman, lieutenant general, U.S. Army, (ret.), management consultant, : "C3I and the Commander: Responsibility and Accountability."

Richard D. DeLauer, executive vice president, TRW, Inc.: "A Major Contractor's View of C3I."

B.R. Inman, Deputy Director of Central Intelligence: "Issues in Intelligence."

James M. Osborne, formerly senior vice president, E-Systems, Inc.: "Meeting Military Needs for Intelligence Systems."

David C. Richardson, vice admiral, U.S. Navy (ret.); consultant, Defense Intelligence Review Panel, the Defense Science Board, and other panels: "The Uses of Intelligence."

Charles Rose, U.S. representative; chairman, Policy Group on Information and Computers: "Congress and C3I."

Charles W. Snodgrass, vice president, Financial Planning and Management, Electronic Data Systems Corp., formerly assistant secretary of the Air Force for financial management: "Funding C3I."

Guest Presentations, Spring 1980 [183 pages; December 1980/Incidental Paper: I-80-6] These first presentations in the series described C3I principally from the perspective of national policymaking in the executive branch.

William E. Colby, counsel, Reid & Priest, formerly Director of Central Intelligence: "The Developing Perspective of Intelligence."

B.R. Inman, director, National Security Agency and chief, Central Security Service: "Managing Intelligence for Effective Use."

William Odom, military assistant to the President's assistant for National Security Affairs: "C3I and Telecommunications at the Policy Level."

Lionel Olmer, Director of International Programs, Morotola, Inc; formerly acting executive secretary, President's Foreign Intelligence Advisory Board: "Watchdogging Intelligence."

Lee Paschall, consultant, formerly director, Defense Communications Agency and manager, National Communications System: "C3I and the National Military Command System."

Robert A. Rosenberg, policy assistant to the President for National Security Affairs, National Security Council Staff: "The Influence of Policy Making on C3I."

Raymond Tate, formerly Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Navy and Deputy Director of the National Security Agency: "Worldwide C3I and Telecommunications."

A.K. Wolgast, manager, Planning and Analysis Dept., EXXON International: "Oil Crisis Management."

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Glossary

ACC Air Combat Command, formerly Tactical Air Command

ACTD advanced concept technology demonstration

AFIN Air Force Intelligence

ARPA Advanced Research Projects Agency (formerly DARPA)

ASAT antisatellite

ATM asynchronous transfer mode

AUTODIN Automatic Defense Intelligence Network
AWACS Airborne Warning and Control System
BCTP Battle Command Training Program (USA)

BII base information infrastructure

BW bandwidth

C4IFTW command, control, communications, computers, and

intelligence for the warrior

C4ISR command, control, communications, computers, intelligence,

surveillance, and reconnaissance

C4ITISR command, control, communications, computers, information

technology, intelligence, surveillance, and reconnaissance

CENTAF Air Force component of U.S. Central Command

CENTCOM U.S. Central Command CFC Combined Forces Command

CFI Committee on Foreign Intelligence (NSC)

CIA Central Intelligence Agency

CINCLANT Commander in Chief, U.S. Atlantic Command

CIM corporate information management

CINC Commander in Chief

CINCNAVEUR Commander in Chief, U.S. Naval Forces, Europe CINCPAC Commander in Chief, U.S. Pacific Command

CINCSOC Commander In Chief, U.S. Special Forces Command

CINCSOUTH Commander in Chief, U.S. Southern Command CINCUSEUR Commander in Chief, U.S. European Command

CIO Central Imagery Office

CJCS Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff
CMS Community Management Staff (CIA)

CNN Cable News Network
CNO Chief of Naval Operations
COE common operating environment
COMINT communications intelligence
COMSEC communications security
CONUS continental United States

GII Global Information Infrastructure
GPS Global Positioning System
HFDF high-frequency direction finding

HPSCI House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence

HUMINT human intelligence
I&W indications and warning
IC intelligence community

IFOR Implementation Force (Bosnia)

IG inspector general imagery intelligence INFOSEC information security

INR Bureau of Intelligence and Research (State Department)

IOC initial/interim operating capability

IP information processing

IR infrared

IT information technology IW information warfare

JAC Joint Analysis/Acquisition Center JCCS Joint Command and Control System

JCS Joint Chiefs of Staff
JIC Joint Intelligence Center

JMCIS Joint Maritime Command Information System

JMIP Joint Military Intelligence Program
JOPES Joint Operation and Evaluation System
JROC Joint Requirements Oversight Council
JSOC Joint Special Operations Command

JTF Joint Task Force

JUDI Joint Universal Data Interpreter

JWCA Joint Warfare Capabilities Assessment

LAN local area network

MASINT measurement and signals intelligence

MEF Marine Expeditionary Force MOP Memorandum of Policy MRC major regional conflict

NATO North Atlantic Treaty Organization NCA National Command Authorities NCO noncommissioned officer

NCS National Communications System

NEO noncombatant evacuation NGO nongovernmental organization NIE National Intelligence Estimate

NIH not invented here

NII National Information Infrastructure
NIMA National Imagery and Mapping Agency

NIO national intelligence officer

NIST National Institute of Standards and Technology (formerly

National Bureau of Standards

NOC [person with] non-official cover

NORAD North American Aerospace Defense Command

NRO National Reconnaissance Office NSA National Security Agency NSC National Security Council

NSTAC National Security Telecommunications Advisory Committee

OMB Office of Management and Budget

ONI Office of Naval Intelligence
OODA observe-orient-decide-act
OOTW operations other than war
OPSEC operational security

OSD Office of the Secretary of Defense

OSS Office of Strategic Services (predecessor agency of the CIA)
PCMCIA adhering to the standard interface set by the Personal Computer

Memory Card Industry Association

PDB President's Daily Briefing

PFIAB President's Foreign Intelligence Advisory Board

PRC People's Republic of China
PSN public switched network
RFP request for proposals
ROE rules of engagement

SACEUR Supreme Allied Commander, Europe

SAIC Science Applications International Corporation

SAM surface-to-air missile

SAM Scenario Assessment Model

SAMS School of Advanced Military Studies (USA)

SAR synthetic aperture radar

SAS School of Advanced Studies (USAF)
SASC Senate Armed Services Committee

SATCOM satellite communications
SECDEF Secretary of Defense
SIGINT signals intelligence

SLOC surface lines of communication SMO support to military operations SOUTHCOM U.S. Southern Command

SSCI Senate Select Committee on Intelligence START Strategic Arms Reduction Talks or Treaty

STOW synthetic theater of war TAC Tactical Air Command TECHINT technical intelligence

TIARA Tactical Intelligence and Related Activities
TPFDD time-phased force deployment document
TRADOC Training and Doctrine Command (USA)

TRANSCOM
U.S. Transportation Command tactical warning assessment unmanned aerial vehicle UHF ultrahigh frequency

UNESCO United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization

USAFE U.S. Air Force, Europe

VCJCS Vice Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff

WAN wide-area network

WHCA White House Communications Agency

WWMCCS Worldwide Military Command and Control System