

General James Rainey, US Army



General James E. Rainey is a career Army Officer who serves as the Commanding General of the U.S. Army Futures Command since 4 October 2022. He previously served as the Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations, Plans, and Training (G-3/5/7) from June 2021 to October 2022. Before that, he served as commanding general of the United States Army Combined Arms Center, commandant of the United States Army Command and General Staff College, and commanding general of Fort Leavenworth. His primary responsibilities include leader development, military education and training for the Army.

He was commissioned in 1987 as an Infantry Officer from Eastern Kentucky University, and has served continuously for over 35 years, including tours in Korea, Germany, Iraq and Afghanistan. He has commanded at every echelon from company to division, including most recently as the commanding general of 3rd Infantry Division at Fort Stewart, Georgia. He earned his Master's degrees in Advanced Military Arts and Science from the School of Advanced Military Studies at Fort Leavenworth, KS and Public Administration from Troy University. He has been married to his wife Tracy for 34 years and they have two daughters and a grandson.