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CECOM Commanding General promoted to Major General

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Brig. Gen. Bruce T. Crawford, Commanding General, U.S. Army Communications-Electronics Command and Aberdeen Proving Ground (APG) Senior Mission Commander, was promoted to major general during a promotion ceremony on July 21.

Gen. Dennis L. Via, Commanding General of Army Materiel Command, led the ceremony among more than 500 senior leaders, service members, CECOM civilians, family members, and friends.

“This is a great day for the Crawford family and the presence of so many of our senior leaders is a tribute to their ongoing contribution to our Army,” said Via during his opening remarks.

Via mentioned that in the approximate 82,000 Army officers, only 116 are major generals. Crawford was one out of 31 brigadier generals that was selected for promotion, Via said.

“Brig. Gen. Crawford has a long history of exemplary service and I can’t think of a more qualified leader to be promoted to major general,” said Via.

Crawford recognized his mother Sarah, wife Dianne, and niece Kamirin, by presenting them bouquets of flowers. He also thanked his other immediate family and friends including his two sons 1st Lt. Bruce Crawford Jr. and Corey. Crawford recognized the impact that they had on his life, and he also highlighted many others who have helped through his 28 years of service.

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