



Greetings!

As the deputy director of The Army Press, I have the great pleasure of serving as the interim editor in chief of *Military Review* and am privileged to provide our readers with this issue's preface.

First, a heartfelt thanks to Col. Anna Friederich-Maggard as she leaves The Army Press and retires from the U.S. Army. Her leadership was instrumental in the enhancement of *Military Review* and the creation of The Army Press. We now look forward to the arrival of our new director, Lt. Col. Katherine Guttormsen, who we expect will bring new perspectives and energy to *Military Review*.

This issue of our journal focuses on innovation. We are fortunate to have contributions on this theme from several high-profile authors and leaders. Lt. Gen. Thomas Spoehr, director of the Army Office of

Business Transformation, discusses how Army leaders must also be innovative managers for their units to become high-performing organizations. Lt. Gen. Edward C. Cardon, the commander of U.S. Army Cyber Command, coauthors an article stressing the importance of innovation in cyberspace operations. Additionally, an article from Dr. Thomas Marks and Dr. David Ucko, written with the help of Gen. Carlos A. Ospina, former commander of the National Army of Colombia, offers much-needed historical context for understanding the current peace process in Colombia between the government and the insurgent group *Fuerzas Armadas Revolucionarias de Colombia* (FARC).

Thanks to all our contributors for making this issue of *Military Review* interesting and innovative. Please continue to follow us at: <http://usacac.army.mil/cac2/militaryreview/index.asp> or <http://army-press.dodlive.mil/>. ■

A wave splashes onto an MK-2 bridge erection boat operated by U.S. Army Reserve soldiers Staff Sgt. Chad Bentley, bridge crew member, and Spc. Ben Adams, medic, from 341st Engineer Company (Multi-Role Bridge), during a sling loading operation 31 July 2015 on the Arkansas River near Fort Chaffee, Arkansas.

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