

# ARMY FOREIGN LIAISON NEWSLETTER



# For Members of the Washington Corps of Military Attachés

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Winter 2015

#### FROM THE DIRECTOR:

Dear Members of the Washington Corps of Military Attachés,

Winter is upon us, and in Washington D.C., that can mean just about anything regarding the weather. We can be in T-shirts one day and shoveling snow the next. One thing is for sure, and that is the fact that this is a great city in which to celebrate the winter holidays. On behalf of all of Foreign Liaison, let me extend our best wishes for the New Year!

With the arrival of winter in Washington DC comes a certain level of uncertainty. What kind of winter will we have – cold and snowy, or dry and mild? What budgetary and other challenges will we be faced with in the new year? Though we may not have the answers to these questions, Army Foreign Liaison will continue to work hard in the coming year to support you in your engagements with the U.S. Army.

Thanks to all of you who attended our Fall Attaché Orientation Trip to the Southeast United States. It was a great opportunity to learn more about U.S. Army Active Duty, Reserve, and National Guard units and facilities in Louisiana and Alabama. I hope that you all found the trip to be educational and rewarding.

I hope that many of you will be able to join us in the spring, as we travel to the Midwestern United States. Stops will include Chicago, Illinois; Fort Riley, Kansas; Fort Leavenworth, Kansas; and Kansas City Missouri. As usual, the itinerary will include Active Army, Army Reserve, and National Guard units and installations, as well as opportunities to experience the unique geography and culture of that region of the country.

To further highlight our Attaché Orientation Program, we recently completed a truly enlightening attaché information briefing. The Army Operating Concept will continue to drive the ways and means of the Army over the next several years.

Finally, I encourage each of you to enjoy this festive season in Washington, or somewhere else in the United States. While some may take advantage of the proximity of decent skiing, I know some of you plan to travel to warmer climes. I hope that you each get to spend some quality time with your families, wherever you may go. Thank you all for your service, and I look forward to working with you in the coming year.

Sincerely,

Darren D. Lynn Colonel, United States Army Director, Foreign Liaison

## Happy Holidays from All of Us at Foreign Liaison



## **Upcoming Events:**

- 14 Jan: International Military Student Reception
- 19 Jan: National Holiday Martin Luther King Day
- 28 Jan: International Military Student Reception
- 16 Feb: National Holiday Presidents' Day
- 4 Mar: International Military Student Reception 18 Mar: International Military Student Reception
- 19 Mar: Attaché Information Briefing
- 31 Mar: HQDA Reception in honor of the Attaché Corps
- 15 Apr: International Military Student Reception
- 18 Apr: WAMA Spring Dinner
- 25 Apr 2 May: Spring Attaché Orientation Trip

# HQDA Personnel Changes of Note:

<u>Major General Jeffrey L. Bannister</u>, Director, Strategy, Plans and Policy, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-3/5/7, United States Army, will be leaving to assume command of the 10th Mountain Division (Light), Fort Drum, New York.

<u>Major General William C. Hix</u>, currently Deputy Director/Chief of Staff, Army Capabilities Integration Center, United States Army Training and Doctrine Command, Joint Base Langley-Eustis, Virginia will replace Major General Bannister as Director, Strategy, Plans and Policy, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-3/5/7, United States Army.



# WAMA DEAN'S CORNER

Fellow Attachés,

In my last Dean's Corner I described the WAMA Welcome Day we had just enjoyed on that very hot Saturday. There was a new group of Attachés eager to settle into the way of DC life and I also scanned ahead at what we still had on the calendar for 2014. It feels like I have blinked my eyes, three months has passed and it is all now history. The "new" Attachés have blended with those more seasoned and are now truly part of the Washington Corps of Military Attaches. With the end of 2014 only a couple of weeks away, I want to reflect on what WAMA and the attaché community have achieved since the Fall.

In mid October many of us were kept busy hosting delegations from our own countries at the AUSA Annual Meeting. The international engagement potential was great with over 60 countries present. I hope your delegation did not test your diplomatic skills too much.

On October 29th we held the 3<sup>rd</sup> WAMA Lunch at the Embassy of the Republic of Botswana. MG Judd Lyons started the proceedings by talking us through the Army National Guard from his perspective as the Acting Director of the Army National Guard. His talk gave us an opportunity to hear a heartfelt insight into this unique component of the US Army and contrast it with some of our own reserve forces. We were most fortunate that the Ambassador of the Republic of Botswana, Her Excellency Dr. Tebelelo Mazile Seretse, was able to grace us with her presence and also share some words. Thanks must go to COL Bruce Thobane, the Military Attaché for Botswana, for making his Embassy available to us and LTC Kaname Yamashita (Japan) for bringing together another great lunch.

As always, WAMA is looking for an Attaché who can host a WAMA lunch at their Embassy or another location for up to 80 attachés. If you can host a WAMA lunch in 2015, please contact LTC Yamashita. WAMA can assist you with some of the costs.

Within days of our 3<sup>rd</sup> lunch, those who could break free from DC packed suitcases for the Fall Attaché Orientation Trip. The trip took in Louisiana and Alabama over the period November 1<sup>st</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup>. The attaché group was able to marvel at the canal system of New Orleans, as well as its unique culture and nightlife. Fort Polk left its impression on everyone and most were happy to be visiting as an attaché and not one of the "trainees". Most memorable were all those helicopters at Fort Rucker and dinner under the Saturn 5 Rocket at Army Materiel Command, Redstone Arsenal. To the Army Foreign Liaison Team thanks for another standout week "on the road".

The WAMA Winter Ball at the Westin Hotel on December 5<sup>th</sup> was a festive night to remember for the 108 people who attended. My deepest thanks go to COL Nick Lock (UK) and his wife Sarah for their splendid table decorations and brilliant organization. The evening was a wonderful combination of friendship, delicious food, entertainment and all-round sparkle. After all the dancing, I'm sure there were some sore feet the next day, but what a great reminder of a fun night. Thanks so much to those who came along. The



Ball was a treat for all and a fitting way for the Corps of Military Attachés to "draw breath" at the end of a busy year.



With the music from the Ball barely fading, on December 9<sup>th</sup> attachés gathered at Spates Hall to hear the Director, Strategy, Plans and Policy (G3/5/7), MG Jeffrey Bannister, and his staff give a series of presentations that are very topical and current in the US Army. The theme for the day was set with a presentation on the recently released Army Operating Concept or AOC. This flowed into insightful presentations and candid Q&A on Army Force Structure and Future Combat Capabilities. We are most grateful that MG Bannister gave us a morning of his time. Thank you to COL Darren Lynn and the Army Foreign Liaison team for organizing a professionally informative morning.

To those who are already WAMA members – we want you back in 2015. Please encourage others to join. Membership application forms were handed out at your Accreditation Ceremony or are at the WAMA website at <u>www.wama-dc.com</u>. Remember, if you have military staff who are not attachés, they are welcome to join WAMA as Associate Members. Also, I encourage wives and partners to join the Military Attaché Wives Association (MAWA). Information is at <u>www.sites.google.com/site/mawawashington</u>

Thank you to the Regional Directors, Executive Committee and Army Foreign Liaison Directorate for all you have done in 2014. 2015 holds lots of potential, which will only be realized if WAMA members and other attachés continue to match the same tremendous support that you gave this year.

Please enjoy the rest of the Holiday season and let's hope the Winter is milder than what is being forecast. I hope you and your families can have a break and return safely for 2015.

Brigadier General Harald Goellinger Dean Washington Corps of Military Attachés and Washington Association of Military Attachés

#### WAMA Leadership:

Major General Jorge Vega of Argentina and Vice Dean of WAMA departed. LTG Luiz Cyrillo of Brazil replaces him as Vice Dean and Regional Director for the Americas.

Dean: BG Harald Goellinger, Austria Vice Dean: MG Jorge Vega, Argentina

**Regional Directors:** 

Africa: Americas: Asia-Pacific: Central/Eastern Europe: Middle East/North Africa: Western Europe: BG Henry Mukuka, Zambia LTG Luiz Cyrillo, Brazil BRIG Ashok Dhingra, India COL Nikola Bozic, Serbia MG Aisha Bint Al Hussein, Jordan COL Jorge Correia da Silva, Portugal

Executive Committee:

Executive & Spring Dinner Organizer: Membership Secretary; Winter Ball Organizer: Treasurer: Welcome Day Organizer: Luncheon Organizer: LTC Rob Crawford, Australia COL Nick Lock, United Kingdom LTC Ken Butterworth, Canada LTC Marco Tkotz, Germany LTC Kaname Yamashita, Japan

# ATTACHÉ COORDINATION:



Dear Colleagues,

If predictions are correct, this winter will be colder and snowier than last winter. If you like to ski, then this could be a great winter for you. If you don't, well, there is spring to look forward to. Regardless of the weather, this time of year, particularly with the holidays, brings many opportunities, and is a time to time of year to recharge our batteries after a very busy year and prepare for the upcoming year. We hope that your new year is full of success and happiness for you and your families.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for taking part in our programs throughout 2014. We hope that you have found them to be enjoyable and useful. We are also getting ready for an eventful 2015, and hope that you will have the opportunity to join us at these events. These events include the quarterly information briefs, and our standard three trips this year as noted below.

Once again, we wish you and your families a Happy Holiday season and look forward to working with you in the coming year.

R. Reed Anderson

Lieutenant Colonel, United States Army Chief, Attaché Coordination Division

## Attaché Arrivals and Departures:

Arrivals:

Albania – COL Eduart Bala

Angola – LTC Eduardo Neto

Argentina – MG Rodolfo Brocca

Azerbaijan – CPT Gahraman Mammadov

Burkina Faso - COL Aime Simpore

Burma- BG Oo Kyaw

Cambodia – BG Soth Prak	Poland - LTC Karol Sobczyk
China – LTC Ge Tao	Poland - LTC Sylwia Szawlowska
Colombia – COL Gerardo Melo Barrera	Russia - COL Pavel Terkin
Egypt – LTC Ahmed El Nahs Abas	Singapore - LTC Justin Tan
Jordan – COL Mansour Al Faoury	Sri Lanka - BRIG Jayantha Rathnayake
Italy –COL Rodolfo Sganga	Thailand - SR COL Phisit Likitsupin
Mauritania - COL Mohamed El Moghdad	Tunisia - COL Hassen Mhamdia
Oman - CDR Ali Al Hinai	

#### **Departures:**

Argentina – MG Jorge Vega	Guatemala - BG Ismar Mendez
Benin – CAPT (N) Vincent Dedo	Guinea – BG Boundouka Conde
Bolivia – COL Willam Kaliman	Jordan – LTC Khaled Aldaajeh
Bolivia – LTC Luis Revollo	Nicaragua - COL Armando Alaniz
Burma – CAPT (N) Myint Thein	Poland - COL Jaroslaw Bialas
Cambodia – BG Navuth Koeut	Russia - Evgeny Bobkin
China – SR COL Jun Wang	Saudi Arabia - BG Ahmed Aldabeis
Colombia – COL Luis Ospina Gutierrez	Sri Lanka - BG Harendra Ranasinghe
Egypt – STF LTC Ahmed Elshabrawy	Thailand - SR COL Saranyu Viriyavejakul

## Military Attaché Orientation Program Notes:

#### Attaché Information Briefings:

Our next information brief is scheduled for 19 March 2015. We are still working on the topics and will of course send out invitations and registration forms about two weeks before the briefing dates. We also ask that you continue to provide your suggestions and requests for information briefing topics to LTC Reed Anderson and we will do our best to accommodate your interests and concerns.

#### Attaché Orientation Trips:

Our Fall 2014 Orientation Trip was a great success. We thank all those who participated and hope that you found the trip professionally beneficial and valuable. As always, we are open to your comments and suggestions on each of our visits so that we can ensure subsequent visits are of the highest quality.

For our Spring 2015 trip, which will take place from 25 April to 2 May 2015, we will begin in Chicago, Illinois where we will visit with the Illinois National Guard, and take in some of the unique culture of Chicago. From there, we will do an out-and-back day trip to Fort McCoy, Wisconsin which is home of one of the US Army Reserve's largest and busiest training centers. We then head down to Fort Riley, Kansas to visit with the First Infantry Division, and then on to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas/Kansas City, Missouri to visit with the Combined Arms training Center and take in some of the Midwest culture in Kansas city. We hope you will be able to join us.

Our summer trip for 2015 will include a visit to the U.S. Army Training and Doctrine Command in Fort Eustis, Virginia. The trip will begin with a day touring Colonial Williamsburg, and will conclude with a battle field staff ride at the site of the Battle of Yorktown, the culminating battle of the American Revolution. We are tentatively planning on 15-17 June 2015 for this trip. We are confident this will be a trip worth taking.

Our Fall 2015 Orientation Trip is also in the initial planning stages, which will take place 31 October-7 November 2015. This trip will tentatively take us to San Antonio, Texas, to include visits to various units and organizations on Fort Sam Houston; Austin, Texas; and Fort Hood Texas which is the home of the U.S. Army 3<sup>rd</sup> Corps and numerous other units. We hope you will be able to join us on this trip.

# FROM ARMY FOREIGN DISCLOSURE:

#### Personnel:

Mr. Brian Cotter (<u>Brian.F.Cotter2.civ@mail.mil</u>, 703-695-1041) is responsible for all Foreign Visit Requests for the following regions/international organizations: Africa Canada Middle East NATO Oceania Europe

Mr. Matthew Perez (<u>Matthew.W.Perez3.civ@mail.mil</u>, 703-695-1085) is responsible for all Foreign Visit Requests for the following regions: Asia

Latin America

## Processing of One-time and Extended Visit Requests:

The online computer-based Foreign Visit System (FVS) remains the preferred method to submit visit requests. Use of the computer-based FVS expedites request processing time, provides a means of checking a visit's status and provides a means for confirming receipt of submitted visit requests.

Embassies not using the computer-based FVS are hampered by the additional processing and staffing time required for manually submitted visit requests. Embassies are strongly encouraged to install and use the computer-based FVS. Installation of the computer-based FVS and associated instructional training on use of the computer-based FVS is available at no cost to Embassies. The only technical requirement for use of the computer-based FVS is Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0 or higher. Embassies are encouraged to contact your Desk Officer or the DoD FVS Office at 571-372-7623 or by email at <u>DTSASPANSupport@dtsa.mil</u> to coordinated installation of the computer-based FVS and to arrange for the associated training.

Please also note that official visit requests must be sent to Foreign Disclosure, not to Foreign Liaison. Every country has a primary and an alternate Foreign Disclosure Desk Officer whom they are encouraged to contact with any questions on submitting Foreign Visit Request as well as Requests for Information. Please see the Desk Officer listing included with enclosures to identify your Desk Officer.

## One-time Visit Requests:

In accordance with the Military Attaché Guide (Administrative Guidance), all Requests for Visit Authorization (RVA) should be submitted at least 30 days prior to the start date of the visit. The Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-2, will not process RVAs submitted less than ten working days (14 calendar days) prior to the requested start date of the visit. Visits submitted less than ten working days (14 calendar days) will be immediately returned without action. This affords the hosting U.S. Army Command the professional courtesy and necessary time to properly prepare for the visit and any related actions.

The only two exceptions to the 10 working day suspense requirement are:

-- Visits to the Army Secretariat and Army Staff;

-- Visits deemed mission essential or time sensitive by the U.S. Army. In order for you to be able to utilize this exception, a DA organization must have submitted a request for waiver to the Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-2, on your behalf.

## **Extended Visit Requests:**

All Extended Visit Requests must be submitted 90 days prior to the requested visit start date concurrently with the Extended Visitor's Photograph and Biography in accordance with the Military Attaché Guide; Administrative Guidance. Extended Visit Requests submitted less that 90 days prior to the requested visit start date or submitted without the required Photograph and Biography will be returned to the Embassy without action. Photographs and Biographies must be sent, in accordance with the Military Attaché Guide; Administrative Guidance, to:

#### usarmy.pentagon.hqda-dcs-g-2.mbx.dami-cd-guardian@mail.mil

Extended Visit Requests, must include the following information in Case Details section of the Extended Visit Request: the name of the incumbent officer and the type of position the new officer will fill (Military Personnel Exchange Program Officer, Cooperative Personnel Program Officer, Foreign Liaison Officer, or Engineer and Scientist Exchange Program Officer).

Extended Visit Requests must include the following accompanying family member information in the Embassy Remarks Section of the Extended Visit Request: the family member's full name, passport number, gender, birth date, country of citizenship and relationship to the sponsor. If the Official on the Extended Visit Request does not have accompanying family members, a statement to that effect should be included in the Embassy Remarks Section of the Extended Visit Request.

These important administrative requirements provide the hosting U.S. Army Command with key information necessary to prepare for and properly support the extended visitor and the extended visitor's accompanying family members. Extended Visit Requests submitted without this key information may be returned to the Defense Attaché Office without action.

## **Requests for Information:**

To avoid processing delays when submitting Requests for Information (RFI), please ensure the request is sent to the RFI inbox, usarmy.pentagon.hqda-dcs-g-2.mbx.dami-cd-foreign-disclo@mail.mil and not to Foreign Liaison. If you have any questions, call your Foreign Disclosure (DAMI-CDD) Desk Officer. They are all listed in the roster attached to this newsletter and are prepared to assist you in your submittals.

# **RECURRING ADMINISTRATIVE NOTES AND REMINDERS:**

## Office Calls and Other Meetings with the G-2:

Army Foreign Liaison is the point of contact to arrange any office calls or other meetings with the G-2 or any of the senior leaders within the G-2. Please do not contact the G-2 front office directly as this will only slow down your request when the front office personnel refer you back to Foreign Liaison. If a Military Attaché wants to meet with any G-2 senior leader, please contact the Director, Deputy Director or Chief of Coordination Division. If you want to arrange for a delegation to meet with anyone in G-2, please contact Foreign Liaison Operations Division. If you are not sure whom to contact, just call any one of us and we will get you on the right track.

## Attaché Biographic Data Form:

The Attaché Coordination Division asks that you make use of the Biographic Information Form (Annex A-2 in the Attaché Guide) for accreditation and submit the completed form electronically to jacqueline.m.green.civ@mail.mil or robin.a.proudie.civ@mail.mil. You may also send a paper copy via the diplomatic courier facility. Submit it along with the other documents which are listed at: http://www.dami.army.pentagon.mil/DAMI-FLGuide.aspx.

## Military Attaché Guide:

You should soon receive the updated versions of the Social Directory and the Administrative Guidance. The versions will reflect a date of December 2014, and will remain the most recently published versions of the Attaché Guide for about one year. The new edition includes updated instructions on completing the DD Form 1172-2 for identification cards and DEERS enrollment. We have also posted the Administrative Guidance on the FL website. As you may well imagine, the information in the Social Directory is constantly changing due to changes in the Attaché Corps, so please continue to keep us informed of changes as they happen. Please send any updates to robin.a.proudie.civ@mail.mil (for countries from A-K) or to jacqueline.m.green.civ@mail.mil (for countries from L-Z).

#### Military Personnel Exchange Program (MPEP) Nominations:

Nomination of exchange officers to established MPEP positions is a two-step process which must be completed 90-180 days before expected arrival of the exchange participant.

**Step One:** Submit a nomination email to the HQDA MPEP Branch Chief and include the U.S. Army MPEP Position #, the U.S. Army host unit, a military biography and photograph of the nominee, and expected arrival date.

The MPEP Branch will process all nominations with the host unit chain of command in less than 30 days. To streamline the process, you may consider your nominee accepted if you receive no response after 30 days.

**Step Two:** Once the host unit chain of command has concurred with your nominee and no later than 30 days prior to arrival of the exchange personnel, submit the required Extended Visit Request (EVR) into the International Visits System located within your Embassy. This EVR will also include information on the exchange officer's family members within the remarks section. It is important to include family members for subsequent required ID cards and other processes.

The result of this process will be an Extended Visit Approval (EVA) which will allow the exchange personnel to actually arrive and perform the duties of the exchange position.

MPEP Branch Point of Contact for nominations or questions:

- John C. Wirick, Branch Chief, 703-692-8218, john.c.wirick.civ@mail.mil
- Captain Justin Liberatore, 703-692-8146; justin.c.liberatore.mil@mail.mil

# **PROTOCOL**:

Ms. Sofia Stasishyn and Ms. Abbey Green are ready to help you. Please direct any invitations, correspondence, or protocol questions to the FL Protocol e-mail: <u>hqda-dcs-g-2.mbx.fl-protocol@mail.mil</u>

You can contact Sofia directly at: <u>sofia.stasishyn.civ@mail.mil</u> or 703-692-1459. You can contact Abbey directly at: <u>abbey.l.green2.civ@mail.mil</u> or 703-692-1457.

#### Invitations:

General Guidelines:

Please direct any questions that you may have regarding protocol or invitations to the Army Foreign Liaison Protocol Section. We ask that you follow these guidelines concerning official social invitations extended to U.S. Army personnel:

- Please deliver invitations to Army Foreign Liaison at least 15 calendar days in advance of the event for the best U.S. Army representation.
- All invitations for Headquarters, Department of the Army personnel for official social occasions in the greater Washington, DC, area must be sent through Army Foreign Liaison. This enables Army Foreign Liaison to help you achieve your desired attendance. We ensure invitations are delivered promptly and monitor responses.
- To request the most current U.S. Army Foreign Liaison "A" List prior to sending your invitations, you may contact the Foreign Liaison Protocol Section at 703-692-1457or 703-692-1459, or email your request to <u>sofia.stasishyn.civ@mail.mil</u> and <u>abbey.l.green2.civ@mail.mil</u>.

Hard Copy or Paper Invitations:

- PLEASE, DO NOT MAIL INVITATIONS. Deliver invitations directly to Foreign Liaison Protocol Section in Room 2E424, or to us through the Department of Defense (DoD) Diplomatic Courier located in the Pentagon Remote Delivery Facility (RDF) between 1000-1100 hours, Monday through Friday, except U.S. holidays. Please note that each invitation must reflect complete TO and FROM addresses.
- Invitations extended to U.S. Army general officers and U.S. Army civilian employees of similar rank should be accompanied by a list of all U.S. Service invitees.
- When sending invitations to a number of people for a single event, we recommend you email a scanned or electronic version of the invitation, along with a complete list of invitees, to the following three addresses, or fax a complete list of invitees to Foreign Liaison Protocol at 703-697-8412:
  - o sofia.stasishyn.civ@mail.mil
  - o <u>abbey.l.green2.civ@mail.mil</u>
  - o <u>usarmy.pentagon.hgda-dcs-g-2.mbx.fl-protocol@mail.mil</u>

#### Email Invitations:

The use of e-vites is very practical, but we must issue the following guidelines to any embassies using these e-mail based invitations.

If you send invitations directly by e-mail to Headquarters, Department of the Army personnel, please also e-mail a list of all invitees to the event to the following three addresses:

- o <u>sofia.stasishyn.civ@mail.mil</u>
- o <u>abbey.l.green2.civ@mail.mil</u>
- o <u>usarmy.pentagon.hgda-dcs-q-2.mbx.fl-protocol@mail.mil</u>

**Please do not e-mail invites directly to the senior Army leadership.** By that, we mean, the Secretary of the Army, the Chief of Staff of the Army, the Under Secretary of the Army, the Vice Chief of Staff of the Army, and the Director of the Army Staff. If you wish to invite those individuals, let FL Protocol know and we will deliver the invitations. Army officials expect invitations to be routed through Army Foreign Liaison. If an invitation is sent directly to a senior leader's office, they return it to Foreign Liaison for proper routing anyway. Therefore, the most efficient delivery method is to deliver your US Army invitations to the Foreign Liaison Protocol Officers by email, courier or fax.

## Dress:

Prescribing dress in invitations can be confusing, especially for military uniforms. We emphasize that you at the foreign embassies should not have to guess which uniform is appropriate for U.S. Army personnel. Please use one of the standard categories of dress: formal (rarely used), semi-formal, informal, casual or very casual. Based on that guidance, Army personnel will know the correct uniform to wear. If you want all attendees in civilian dress, please make that clear.

The most confusing category of civilian dress is "casual," and its various versions, such as "business casual" or "smart casual." The category can include everything from jacket and tie to a polo shirt and slacks. To reduce confusion, you should always explain what you mean by "casual" when it is on an invitation.

Category of Dress	Civilian Attire	U.S. Army Uniform
Formal	White Tie	Army Mess Dress Uniform
Semi-Formal	Tuxedo (Black Tie)	Army Mess Dress, or Army Service Uniform with Black Bow Tie
Informal	Business Suit	Army Service Uniform
Casual	Sports Jacket with or without Tie (Invitation should stipulate this)	Army Class B Uniform Note: This is rarely used, and is limited to certain events, usually during hot weather.
Very Casual	Shirt and Slacks with or without Jacket. (If more casual attire is desired, such as for a barbecue, the invitation should stipulate this)	None

The following chart illustrates the civilian and equivalent military standards of dress.

Contact Telephone Numbers / Address for Foreign Liaison: The U.S. Army Foreign Liaison Office is a part of the Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-2. The correct mailing address and primary phone numbers are:

#### Mailing address:

Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-2 Army Foreign Liaison (DAMI-FL) 1000 Army Pentagon Washington DC, 20310-1000

Reminder: Please try to deliver all correspondence using the diplomatic courier!

#### Primary phone numbers:

Director: 703-692-1467 Deputy Director: 703-692-1462 Protocol: 692-1457/1459 Attaché Coordination: 703-692-7753/1469/1465 Operations: 703-692-1464/1458/1456 FAX: 703-697-2887 or 697-8412

A copy of this newsletter, less enclosures, has been posted to the Foreign Liaison website at: http://www.dami.army.pentagon.mil/DAMI-FL.aspx. Click on the tab "Foreign Liaison Newsletter," then expand the tab "Current Issue," and then click on the "FL Fall 2014 Newsletter" link to open the newsletter in PDF format.

## **ENCLOSURES:**

This newsletter contains the following enclosures:

Foreign Military Attaché Roster

Foreign Military Attaché E-mail Roster

Army Foreign Liaison Directorate Listing (DAMI-FL)

Army International Affairs Division Country Desk Assignments (DAMO-SSR)

Security Cooperation Integration Directorate Listing (SAAL-NI)

Army Foreign Disclosure Division Regional Desk Officers (DAMI-CDS)

U.S. Army Foreign Liaison "A" Guest List dated 30 December 2014

Pentagon Parking Facilities Map

Attaché Program Planning Calendar for Calendar Year 2015