





U.S. ARMY COMBAT CAPABILITIES DEVELOPMENT COMMAND – SOLDIER CENTER

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Simulation and Training Technology Center Overview

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TRAINING AND SIMULATION DIVISION



Mission, Vision, Organization, Stakeholders and Funding

MISSION

Develop, mature and <u>transition</u> innovative training and simulation technologies to maximize Soldier effectiveness and warfighter readiness.

VISION

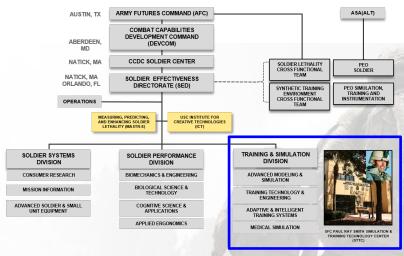
Enable the development of the best training aides, devices, simulators and simulations to train the finest Soldiers in the world.

Live Training "e-Bullet" Medical Simulations



Virtual Humans

Augmented Reality



MAJOR STAKEHOLDERS

- Synthetic Training Environment Cross Functional Team (STE CFT)
- Program Executive Office Simulation Training & Instrumentation (PEO STRI)
- Combined Arms Center Training (CAC-T)
- U.S. Army Medical Research & Development Command (USAMRDC)
- Defense Advanced Research Project Agency (DARPA)
- Army Modeling & Simulation Office (AMSO) and all 6 Army M&S Communities

FUNDING

- ~ \$52M Core Mission Funds (6.2 and 6.3)
- ~ \$50M Customer Funds





TEAMS AND RESEARCH AREAS





TRAINING TECHNOLOGY & ENVIRONMENTS



ADVANCED MODELING & SIMULATION



MEDICAL SIMULATION & PERFORMANCE



ADAPTIVE & INTELLIGENT TRAINING SYSTEMS



OPERATIONS

Major Research Areas:

- Mixed/Augmented Reality
- Synthetic Natural Environments
- Live Training Simulations

STE LOE Support:

- IVAS
- S/SVT
- OWT
- LTS

Major Research Areas:

- Distributed Interactive Simulation
- Visualization and Interaction Technology
- Cyber Warfare Simulations

STE LOE Support:

- STE IS TSS
- NGC

Major Research Areas:

- · Live Tissue Char.
- Severe Trauma
- Medical Training Environments
- Haptics

STE LOE Support:

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Major Research Areas:

- Automated Training Effectiveness
- Adaptive Training
- · Artificial Intelligence

STE LOE Support:

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Major Support Areas:

- Security
- Public Affairs
- · Logistics
- Personnel
- · Information Tech.
- Graphics
- Admin. Support



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ARMY S&T STRATEGIC SHIFT



- 1. Align S&T Program to <u>User</u> and <u>Transition Partner</u> Stakeholder Needs
- Shift S&T investments from <u>Near Term STE</u> technology needs <u>To</u> <u>Mid and FAR Term</u> <u>Multi Domain Operations (MDO)</u> capability needs

S&T Investments towards an MDO Ready Force

