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Chief Warrant Officer 5 (CW5) Deshawn L. Bell proudly hails from Colorado Springs, Colorado. He enlisted in the Army in July 1988, where he received the Enlisted Military Occupational Specialty of 74F, Computer Programmer/Systems Analyst. He was selected to attend the Warrant Officer Candidate School in 1996 and appointed to Warrant Officer One in the Signal Corps with the Warrant Officer Military Occupational Specialty of 251A, Data Processing Technician. Later, CW5 Bell earned the Warrant Officer Military Occupational Specialty of 255Z, Senior Network Operations Technician upon promotion to CW5.

CW5 Bell served in a variety of positions to include Information Systems Technician; Corps Data Network Planner; Communications Engineering Branch Chief; Data Network Systems Integrator; Technical Director for United States Army Signal School; Command Chief Warrant Officer for the 311th Signal Command (Theater); Regimental Chief Warrant Officer for the United States Army Signal Regiment; and Senior Technology Advisor for United States Army Pacific G6.

CW5 Bell's Warrant Officer assignments include 1st Corps Support Command (Airborne), Fort Bragg, NC; 172nd Infantry Brigade (Separate), Fort Wainwright, AK; I Corps G6, Joint Base Lewis-McChord, WA; 335th Signal Command (Theater), Camp Arifjan, KU; 311th Signal Command (Theater), Fort Shafter, HI; United States Army Signal School, Fort Gordon, GA; and United States Army Pacific G6, Fort Shafter, HI. His current assignment is to the United States Army Network Enterprise Technology Command, Fort Huachuca, AZ.

CW5 Bell's military education includes the Warrant Officer Candidate Course, the Warrant Officer Basic Course, the Warrant Officer Advanced Course, Warrant Officer Intermediate Level Education, Warrant Officer Senior Service Education, and United States Army War College Senior Leader Seminar. His civilian education includes an Associate's Degree in Data Processing Technology from Hawaii Pacific University, a Bachelor's Degree in Computer and Information Sciences from University of Maryland Global Campus, and a Master's Degree in Information Technology Management from Trident University International. CW5 Bell has earned the Project Management Professional and Certified Information Systems Security Professional certifications.

CW5 Bell's awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit with 1 oak leaf cluster, the Bronze Star Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal with 6 oak leaf clusters, the Joint Service Commendation Medal, the Army Commendation Medal with 1 oak leaf cluster, the Joint Service Achievement Medal, the Army Achievement Medal with 4 oak leaf clusters, the Army Good Conduct Medal, 2nd award, the National Defense Service Medal, 2nd award, the Afghanistan Campaign Medal, the Iraq Campaign Medal, the Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, the Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, and the NATO Medal. He also earned the Parachutist Badge and Joint Meritorious Unit Award. He is a recipient of the Signal Corps Regimental Association's Order of Mercury – Silver Award.

