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Chief Warrant Officer 5 Paul L. O'Meara entered the U.S. Army on 26 July 1981. He underwent Basic Training at McCullen, Alabama and Advanced Individual Training at the Redstone Arsenal, Alabama, as a 55G (Nuclear Weapon Specialist). He soon reclassified to Military Intelligence and was selected a Counterintelligence Agent.

As an enlisted soldier, CW5 O'Meara has served in a variety of leadership and staff positions. In April 1988, he was appointed as a Warrant Officer after completing the Warrant Officer Candidate Course and Warrant Officer Basic Course. As a Warrant Officer, CW5 O'Meara has served in several command, staff, leadership, and technical positions at the tactical, operational, and strategic/joint intelligence levels. As a Counterintelligence Technician/Special Agent, he supported U.S. operations in Bosnia, Afghanistan, Iraq, and several Special Operations and Counterespionage Investigations worldwide.

CW5 O'Meara is a graduate of the U.S. Army Warrant Officer Staff Course, the Joint Counterintelligence Training Academy, Joint Command and Control Staff Course for Information Operations, and holds Bachelor of Science in Science from Regents College.

CW5 O'Meara's awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, the Bronze Star Medal with one Oak leaf Cluster, the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal with five Oak Leaf Clusters, the Joint Service Commendation Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Joint Achievement Medal, the Army Achievement Medal with five Oak Leaf Clusters, the National Defense Service Medal with one Bronze Service Star, and the Joint Meritorious Unit Award with one Oak Leaf Cluster. Badges awarded include the Combat Action Badge, the German Marksmanship Badge and he is a recipient of the Field Artillery Order of Saint Barbara Award.