

# Conference of Women's Army Corps Directors at Fort Des Moines, Iowa



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## Description

Attendees at the Conference of WAC Staff Directors, held at Fort Des Moines, Iowa. First row, left to right: Major Evelyn B. Nicholson, Major Susan Gornick, Major Marion C. Lichty, Lieutenant Colonel Geraldine P. May, Captain Katheryn Painton, Captain Shirley Odell, Major Grace M. Barth, Colonel Westray B. Boyce, Lieutenant Colonel Helen Woods, Major Helen Hedekin, Major Margaret E. Perry, Major Ruth Kerr, Major Alice W. Brown, Lieutenant Colonel Mary Hallaren. Second row, left to right: Major Eleanor J. Garber, Lieutenant Elizabeth Hatch, Lieutenant Eleanor Walker, Captain Lucille Tombs, Lieutenant Colonel Emily C. Davis, Captain Esther Pease, Lieutenant Colonel Mary Louise Milligan, Major Frances A. Clements, Captain Virginia Phelps, Major Edith Toffaletti, Major Alice McNiff, Major Dorothy Harms, Captain Arlene C. Scheidenhelm, Lieutenant Colonel Anna W. Wilson, Major Miriam Riley. Third row, left to right: Lieutenant Colonel Florence K. Murray, Major Louise K. Smith, Major Helen Gardiner, Major Elizabeth Gilbert, Major Elizabeth Stearns, Major Jessie Morris, Major Helen T. Walthall, Major Wilma Hague. Fourth row, left to right: Major Helen Hart, Major Katherine Marshall, Major Celestina McKay, Major Treila M. Welch, Captain Barbara Rhode, Lieutenant Rita V. Nash, Captain Margaret West. Fifth row, left to right: Captain Agnes Oberwortman, Lieutenant Colonel Mary C. Freeman, Major Gwendolyn Watson, Lieutenant Colonel Cora Webb Bass, Lieutenant Colonel Jessie Pearl Rice, Lieutenant Colonel Katherine R. Goodwin, Lieutenant Colonel Dorthea A. Coleman. Sixth row, left to right: Captain Helen Magoon, Captain Sara R. Martin, Lieutenant Colonel Betty Bandel, Major Jack S. Phillips, Major Pauline Linch, Lieutenant Colonel Mary Agnes Brown. Seventh row, left to right: Major Elizabeth E. Hardesty, Captain Helen Westerdale Wood, Captain Emily U. Miller, Major Doris E. Epperson, Lieutenant Colonel Elizabeth C. Strayhorn.

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