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Emmanuel CHIVA

**CHIEF EXECUTIVE OF THE DGA
French Ministry of Armed Forces**

Emmanuel Chiva was appointed Chief executive of the Direction générale de l'armement (DGA, French Defense Procurement Agency) of the French Ministry of Armed Forces on July 29th, 2022.

A graduate of the Ecole Normale Supérieure, Emmanuel Chiva also holds a PhD in biomathematics and artificial Intelligence. Former auditor and advisor for IHEDN (French National Institute for Higher Defense Studies).

Since 2018, Emmanuel Chiva was the director of the Defense Innovation Agency and member of the executive committee of the DGA. He, notably, created the Defense Innovation Fund and the « Red Team » initiative.

Before joining the Ministry, Emmanuel Chiva founded and managed thirteen companies in the field of AI and military simulation. As an expert in AI, complex systems and biomimeticism, he authored more than twenty-five papers on innovation.

He is a Chevalier of the Legion of Honour.



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