

JHMC Board of Directors (Profile)

MGEN. CARLIX P. DONILA (RET.)

Acting Director, JHMC Board of Directors Date of First Appointment: 20 May 2024

Age: 68 Citizenship: Filipino NOT holding more than five (5) positions in GOCCs and publicly-listed companies

Major General Carlix P. Donila (Ret.) is a member of the Board of Directors of the John Hay Management Corporation (JHMC), having been appointed on 20 May 2024. He brings to the Board decades of leadership and management experience in both military service and the civilian government sector.

MGen. Donila began his public service career when he entered the Philippine Military Academy (PMA) in 1974. He graduated in 1978 with a Bachelor of Science degree and was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in the Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP), joining the Philippine Air Force (PAF). The following year, he became a certified military pilot and went on to serve as an instructor pilot for eight years.

Over the course of his military career, MGen. Donila took on increasingly critical roles in personnel administration, operations, logistics, and training. He flew various aircraft types, including the Bell 212, BO 105, Puma, and UH-1H helicopters, while serving with the 250th Presidential Airlift Wing and other tactical units. His operational assignments, particularly as Director for Operations of the 3rd Tactical Operations Wing in Zamboanga City and as Group Commander of Tactical Operations Group 11 in Cotabato, placed him at the forefront of counterinsurgency efforts in Mindanao.

As a senior officer, he held key positions such as Executive Officer of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel at Camp Aguinaldo and Deputy Commander of the Air Education and Training Command. He was appointed Wing Commander of the 530th Air Base Wing in Zamboanga City and later served as Air Force Inspector General. He retired in 2012 with the rank of Major General, completing more than 38 years of honorable military service.

Following his retirement from active duty, MGen. Donila continued his commitment to public service. He served as Manager of the Inspectorate Division of the Philippine Postal Corporation in 2012–2017 and as a Human Resources and Administration Consultant at the National Printing Office from 2019 to 2022. In 2024, he joined JHMC as a Director.



He holds a Master's in Management with a specialization in Public Administration from the Philippine Christian University, a Master of Arts in Strategic Studies from Deakin University in Melbourne, Australia, and a Graduate Diploma in Defense Studies from Massey University in New Zealand.

MGen. Donila is actively involved in several civic and alumni organizations, including the Australia-Philippines Alumni Association, Philippine-New Zealand Alumni Association, PMA Alumni Association, and PMA Makatarungan Class of 1978 Association.

A recipient of numerous military awards and commendations, MGen. Donila is known for his exemplary service, principled leadership, and integrity. Outside his professional life, he enjoys practical shooting, biking, walking, badminton, and the occasional round of golf.