SOLE –
The International Society of Logistics

Designation Programs for the Army’s Sustainers:
The SOLE-Army
Demonstrated Logistician (DemLOG) Program

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About SOLE

SOLE - The International Society of Logistics
is a non-profit international professional society
composed of individuals organized to enhance the art
and science of logistics technology, education and
management.
SOLE-Army Demonstrated Logistics Program (DemLog) designations are provided based on logistics experience, formal civilian education, and military training:

- Demonstrated Logician (DL)
- Demonstrated Senior Logician (DSL)
- Demonstrated Master Logician (DML)

Enlisted Soldiers going before local promotion boards can receive promotion points, when authorized, as either Technical Certification (DL) or Military Training (DSL/DML). All soldiers can have the awards posted to their ERB/ORB and a copy included in their OMPF.

Offsetting Additive examples:
- Functional “Order” induction (e.g., St. Martin, Samuel Sharpe)
- Professional certifications
- Sig Sigma Black Belt

It’s not about how long … but how much of the whole logistics enterprise you know/have experience in.
Application Process

With anywhere from 300-500 applications in-house the process can take **60-90 days** from receipt by SOLE!

- Applicants from other than the United States must be current students at the US Army Logistics University (ALU) at the time of application; or documented BOLC/CLC3/TLog grads. *(Allied Officers)*
- **Correct Application Form** (dated January 2017 – newest form)
- **Supporting Documentation** (copies only) -
  - ORB / ERB / ACRB / CRB – all that are applicable
  - DA 1059 – ALC/SLC/WOBC/WOAC/LOG-C3/TLog if not on your ORB/ERB
  - College Transcripts – unofficial copies of enrolled-degree program work. [NOTE: Do not submit North Central Institute military service/training “ACE credit hour equivalency” assessments.]
  - Order of St. Martin/Christopher/Barbara; Samuel Sharpe – copies of all awards (not nominations)
  - DD 214 – if prior enlisted/service
  - OERs/NCOERs – only those that document log experience that can’t be easily identified from your ORB/ERB (i.e., combat deployment experience evaluations)
  - Copies of professional certifications (e.g., PMP, CPIM/CFIM, Certified Food Service Manager, etc.)
  - Civilian Resume – if retired; or a DA civilian employee/civilian contractor
- **Return Address** (US Mailing Address or Home of Record) –
  - If overseas, only in “federal format” (CMR xxx Box xxx; PSC xxx Box xxx; or Unit xxx Box xxx)
- **Return Receipt** (confirming receipt at SOLE) – mail by USPS Priority Mail; FedEx/UPS courier
  - SOLE can **not** provide receipt acknowledgement or evaluation status
- **$50 Money Order** (US Post Office money order; or Bank Check only) –
  - The fee is **NON-REFUNDABLE** … it’s an evaluation fee, **not** a guarantee of an award.
- Awards are mailed USPS first class, **not** e-mailed

**PRIORITY IS GIVEN TO ARMY PROMOTION/WARRANT OFFICER/SEPARATION/RETIREMENT BOARD APPLICATIONS**
• The Army functional proponent – not SOLE – determines what qualifies for promotion points.

• Upon award, all US Army designation recipients will receive a letter that provides instructions on how to enter the applicable designation code on the Officer Record Brief or Enlisted Record Brief.

• The individual – not ALU or SOLE – is solely responsible for submission of the award for inclusion in his/her personnel records.

  *Keep a copy of the letter and certificate for future posting extensions.*

• Non-US awardees will receive the SOLE (rather than the US Army) pin.

• Pins for all others will be issued upon separation from active service, upon request.

• The award does not expire. You are entitled to use the highest level of awarded designation your entire career.
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