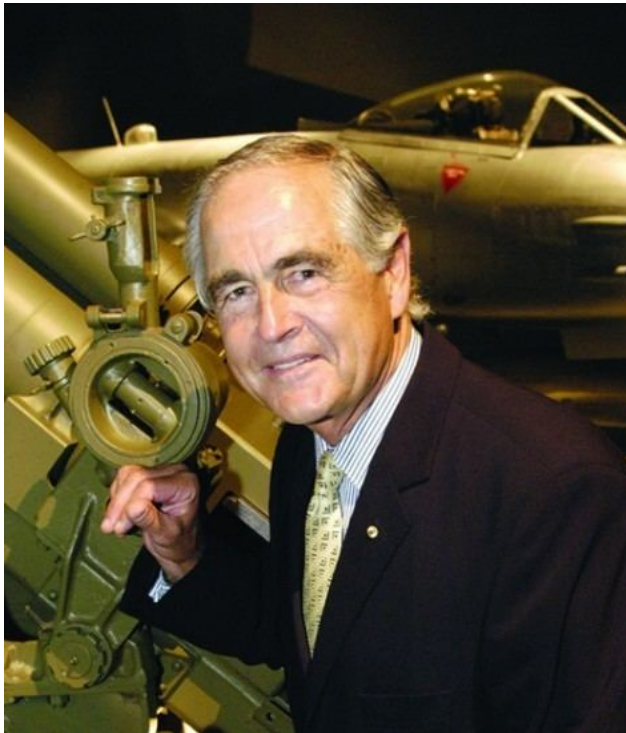


Major General Steve Gower, AO (retired)



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Major General Stephen Newman "Steve" Gower AO is a retired Australian Army officer and former director of the Australian War Memorial (AWM). During his time in the Army he saw combat as an artillery forward observer during the Vietnam War in 1966 and 1967. He is also the author of the books *Guns of the Regiment* (1981) and *Options for an Australian Defence Technological Strategy* (1982).

Gower was educated at Unley High School and Prince Alfred College, he entered the Royal Military College, Duntroon in 1959. On graduation in 1961, he received a commission as a lieutenant in the Royal Australian Artillery.

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