



LTC Eli Adams

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Lt. Col. Eli Adams hails from Olmsted Falls, Ohio. He was commissioned in the United States Army Corps of Engineers on 1 June 2002 from the United States Military Academy at West Point, New York.

In his most recent assignment, LTC Adams served as Branch Chief for Infrastructure and Engineering in the J4 Logistics Directorate for the United States European Command in Stuttgart, Germany. He led theater-level coordination of 65 European Deterrence Initiative (EDI) MILCON projects totaling \$1.6 Billion, including real estate and environmental protection programs across 16 nations. He also represented the command in numerous engagements with Allied nations and supervised US contributions to the NATO Security Investment Program valued at \$580 Million.



His previous assignments include Platoon Leader, Company Executive Officer, and Battalion S2 in the 84th Engineer Battalion Combat (Heavy) where he deployed twice in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom in 2004 and 2006. He then served as Facility and Construction Plans Officer in the office of the Deputy Chief of Staff Engineer for US Army Pacific in Fort Shafter, Hawaii. Afterwards, he served as Company Commander in both 2-9 Combined Arms Battalion (Infantry) and 1st Brigade Special Troops Battalion in Camp Casey and Camp Hovey, Korea from 2009 to 2011. He then returned from overseas to serve as Project Engineer in Omaha District, Northwestern Division, US Army Corps of Engineers at Fort Carson, Colorado between 2011 and 2013.

After attending the Army Command and General Staff Officer College in 2013, LTC Adams was assigned as Battalion Executive Officer for Brigade Special Troops Battalion, Area Support Group-Kuwait, US Army Central Command with service in Camp Beuhring, Kuwait where he supported Operation Inherent Resolve in 2015 and 2016. In 2016, he was assigned as Battalion Executive Officer for the 15th Engineer Battalion, 18th Military Police Brigade in Grafenwoehr, Germany, where he led planning and sustainment for engineer operations in 20 countries and 3 geographic combatant commands.

LTC Adams earned a Bachelors of Science Degree in Engineering Management from the United States Military Academy and a Masters of Science Degree in Engineering Management from the University of Missouri – Rolla. He is a licensed engineer with the State of Colorado and a certified Project Management Professional. He is also a graduate of the Army Command and General Staff Officer College.

LTC Adams military awards and decorations include the Combat Action Badge, Air Assault Badge, Bronze Star Medal with 1 Oak Leaf Cluster, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal with 2 Oak Leaf Clusters, Army Commendation Medal with 1 Oak Leaf Cluster, and the Army Achievement Medal. His unit awards include the Joint Meritorious Unit Award, the Meritorious Unit Commendation, and the Army Superior Unit Award. He also has been awarded the Bronze Order of the Engineer DeFleury Medal.

LTC Adams is married to the former Jana Beale of Higginsville, Missouri, and has three daughters – Juno, Janelle, and Juliana.

