

# COL James R. McKee

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## **The Judge Advocate Generals Corps, US Army**

1994 - Present

### *Program Manager, Special Victim Counsel Program*

Responsible for the strategic operations and policy updates for the Army's Special Victim Counsel Program. Work directly for the Assistant Judge Advocate General for Military Legal and Operations (MLO), Office of The Judge Advocate General. Coordinate all aspects of the Special Victim Counsel Program with the OTJAG Legal Assistance Policy Division, OTJAG Criminal Law Division, OTJAG Personnel, Plans and Training Office and The Judge Advocate General's Legal Center and School (TJAGLCS). Coordinate with Headquarters Department of the Army, G1, on the development and delivery of legal services for victims in conjunction with the Sexual Harrasment/Assault Response Program and provide reports on the progress of the Special Victim Counsel Program as mandated by Congress.

## **Other Assignments in The Judge Advocate Generals Corps, US Army**

- ✓ *Deputy Staff Judge Advocate, for Commander, United States Forces – Afghanistan, Kabul, Afghanistan*
- ✓ *Chief of Training Policy Branch, Office of The Staff Judge Advocate General, Pentagon, Washington D.C. (2011-2012). Educating Legal Personnel.*
- ✓ *Director of Future Concepts Directorate and Deputy, Training Development Directorate, The Judge Advocate General's Legal Center and School, Charlottesville, VA (2008-2011). Developing educating materials for Soldiers and doctrinal materials for the entire Army. Courses taken in Blackboard to develop course material.*
- ✓ *Deputy Staff Judge Advocate, Task Force Iron, Multi National Division-North, Iraq (2007-2208). Mentoring, training, and educating legal personnel.*
- ✓ *Command Judge Advocate, 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade Combat Team, Tikrit, Iraq (2004).*
- ✓ *Officer-in-Charge Schweinfurt Legal Center, 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade, 1<sup>st</sup> Infantry Division, Schweinfurt, Germany, (2003-2005).*
- ✓ *Chief, Military and Civil Law, 1<sup>st</sup> Infantry Division, Wurzburg, Germany (2002-2003).*

- ✓ *Deputy, International and Operational Law, United States Army Europe, Heidelberg, Germany (2000-2001).*
- ✓ *Trial Defense Attorney, Hanau, Germany (1998-2000).*
- ✓ *Trial Counsel, 4<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division, Fort Carson, CO and V Corps, Hanau, Germany (1995-1998).*
- ✓ *Chief of Claims, 4<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division, Fort Carson, CO (1994).*

**Pike County 66<sup>th</sup> Judicial District, Court of Common Pleas** 1992-1993  
*Law Clerk*

**United States Attorney's Office of Northern District of NY** 1989-1991  
*Law Clerk*

## **Education**

*Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, KS* 2005-2006

*The Judge Advocate General's School, Charlottesville, VA* 2001-2002

- Masters in Military Law

*Syracuse University Law School* 1989-1991

- Jurist Doctorate

*Syracuse University* 1982-1988

- Bachelor Of Science, Political Science

## **Deployments in Support of the United States of America**

- 16<sup>th</sup> CSG, IFOR/SFOR Bosnia-Herzegovina 1996
- HQ, KFOR, Pristina, Kosovo, 2001
- Legal Advisor, G-5, Deputy G-3, OIF I, ARFOR-Turkey, 2003
- Command Judge Advocate, OIF-2, Tikrit, Iraq, 2004
- Task Force Iron, Multi-National-North, OIF VII, Tikrit, Iraq, Sep 07-Jul 08
- USFOR-A, OEF, Afghanistan, Jun 12 – Jul 13