

Biography



Lieutenant Colonel Carlos Ramos

Commander

U.S. Army Parachute Team, "Golden Knights"

Personal Statistics

Hometown: Guayama, Puerto Rico
School Attended: Purdue University

Biographical Sketch

Lieutenant Colonel Carlos A. Ramos is a graduate of Purdue University with a Bachelor of Science in Industrial Engineering. He was commissioned through the Reserve Officer Training Corps program in December, 1997. LTC Ramos' assignments include: Rifle Platoon Leader, B Company, 2-327th BN, (AASLT), Anti-Armor Platoon Leader, D Company, 2-327th BN (AASLT), and Executive Officer, HHC, 2-327th BN (AASLT), Fort Campbell, KY. During his time he deployed to Kosovo in support of the NATO-led KFOR Mission. Upon finishing the Maneuver Captain's Career Course he served as the Operations Officer, D Company, and Assistant S3/S3-Air, HHC, 4th Ranger Training BN, Fort Benning GA. He traveled overseas where he served as the Operations Officer, E Co (ABN) (LRS), V Corps, Germany where he deployed in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. Upon his return from Germany he attended the United States Army John F. Kennedy Special Warfare and School Psychological Operations Qualification Course and Advance Regional Studies Course. Upon graduation, he served at all levels of leadership as a PSYOP Officer to include: Regional PSYOP Detachment Commander, A Co, and Tactical PSYOP Company Commander, C Company, 1st Military Information Support Battalion (A), 8th Military Information Support Group (A), conducting operational deployments to multiple countries in Central and South America and a combat deployment with the Combined Joint Special Forces Task Force – Afghanistan in support of Operation Enduring Freedom (OEF). LTC Ramos then attended Commanding General and Staff College at the Western Hemisphere Institute of National Security and Cooperation, where he received a Master's Degree in International relations from Troy University. After graduating CGSC, LTC Ramos was assigned to 1st Military Information Support Battalion (A), 8th Military Information Support Group (A) as the BN Operations Officer where he deployed with the Military Information Support Task Force – Afghanistan (MISTF-A) in support of OEF. Upon his return, he was then assigned as the 8th MISG (A) Group Operations Officer where he once again deployed with the 5th Military Information Support Battalion (A) MISTF-A in support of OEF. He last served as the 8th MISG (A) Group Executive Officer.



LTC Ramos' awards and decorations include: the Bronze Star (1 OLC), Meritorious Service Medal (1 OLC), Army Commendation Medal (6 OLC), Army Achievement Medal (1 OLC), National Defense Service Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Iraq Campaign Medal (3 CS), Afghanistan Campaign Medal (3 CS), Kosovo Campaign Medal (BS), Korea Defense Service Medal, NATO Medal, Overseas Service Ribbon, and Army Service Ribbon, Combat and Expert Infantryman Badges, Combat Action Badge, Master Parachutist Badge, Air Assault Badge and Ranger Tab.

