



BLUE GRASS CHEMICAL ACTIVITY BIOGRAPHY



LTC Andrew "Jack" Morgan

Commander
Blue Grass Chemical Activity

LTC Andrew "Jack" Morgan was born in West Virginia and was commissioned through the Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC) as a Distinguished Military Graduate (DMG) after graduating with a Bachelor of Science from Marshall University, Huntington, West Virginia. He then earned a Master of Science degree in Zoology from North Carolina State University, Raleigh, North Carolina.

His military career began with enlisting in 1993 as a US Army Reserve Combat Engineer. His military career as a commissioned officer began in 1996 as the Battalion Chemical Officer of 3-8 CAV, 1st Cavalry Division at Fort Hood, Texas. He then served as platoon leader and executive officer of 181st Chemical Company, 2nd Chemical Battalion also at Fort Hood. He was then assigned to DIVARTY, 82nd Airborne Division, Fort Bragg, North Carolina and subsequently commanded the 21st Chemical Company (Airborne) and deployed a majority of the company to Operation Iraqi Freedom. Following command, he attended NC State to receive his Masters and taught Chemistry at the United States Military Academy at West Point, New York. Following ILE, he served as Operations Officer and Executive Officer for 83rd CBRN Battalion at Fort Polk, Louisiana. He then served as brigade Executive Officer for the 1st Maneuver Enhancement Brigade also at Fort Polk. He then served as Division Chemical Officer for the 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault) where he deployed to Operation Enduring Freedom.

LTC Morgan's military awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal (two awards), Meritorious Service Medal (five awards), Army Commendation Medal (three awards), Army Achievement Medal, Army Superior Unit Award, the National Defense Service Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal, Iraqi Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Ribbon, NATO Medal, the Air Assault Badge, and the Senior Parachutist Badge.

