

LIEUTENANT COLONEL KEITH B. BRACE



Lieutenant Colonel Keith B. Brace received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Administration from The Citadel and was commissioned an Infantry Officer as a Distinguished Military Graduate in 1991. He also earned a Masters Degree in Business Administration from The Citadel in 2002. His military education includes the Infantry Officers Basic and Advanced Courses, Combined Arms Services Staff School, and the Command and General Staff College.

Lieutenant Colonel Brace joined the Commandant's Department at The Citadel in 2011 after retiring from a 20 year Army career. His previous assignments include: Professor of Military Science at Wake Forest University; S3/Operations Officer, 3-61st Cavalry Squadron, Ft. Carson, CO; G3/Training Officer, 7th Infantry Division, Ft. Carson, CO; Chief Battalion Training Officer and Company Training Officer, 3-307th Training Support Battalion, Mt. Pleasant, SC; Assistant Battalion S3/Operations Officer and Commander, HHC and B Company, 1-18th Infantry Battalion, Schwienfurt, Germany; and Platoon Leader, Company Executive Officer, and Battalion S1/Adjutant, 1-505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, Ft. Bragg, NC. His deployments include a tour in Bosnia from October 1996-April 1997 and a tour in Iraq from October 2006-August 2007.

His military awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, the Bronze Star Medal, the Purple Heart, the Meritorious Service Medal (3), the Army Commendation Medal (3), the Army Achievement Medal (4), the National Defense Service Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the Iraqi Campaign Medal, the Global War on Terrorism Medal, the Armed Forces Service Medal, the NATO Medal, the Combat Infantryman Badge, the Expert Infantryman Badge, the Ranger Tab, and the Senior Parachutist Badge.

Lieutenant Colonel Brace is married to Amy Brace and they have two children; Sara and Niko (Citadel Class of 2019).