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# Lieutenant Colonel Bernard R. Lindstrom

## District Engineer

### *Biography*



Lieutenant Colonel Lindstrom took command of the Nashville District on July 20, 2007. As the District Engineer, Lt. Col. Lindstrom is responsible for directing all the water resource activities of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers throughout the Cumberland River Basin, and navigation and regulatory matters in the Tennessee River Basin, an area of more than 59,000 square miles. The Nashville District covers parts of seven states and employs more than 650 federal workers in 60 offices, branches and sections.

Prior to his arrival at Nashville District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, LTC Bernard R Lindstrom served as the Construction Management Chief in the 18<sup>th</sup> Theater Army Engineer Brigade, Heidelberg, Germany.

LTC Lindstrom was commissioned a 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant in the Corps of Engineers in 1988. He has served in engineer leadership positions from platoon leader through company commander. He was a Platoon Leader in the 16<sup>th</sup> Engineer Battalion in Bamberg, Germany, Company Commander in the 317<sup>th</sup> Engineer Battalion, Fort Benning, Georgia, Operations Office and Executive Officer in the 94<sup>th</sup> Engineer Battalion in Vilseck, Germany, and in Baghdad, Iraq. He then served as the Brigade Executive Officer in the 18<sup>th</sup> Engineer Brigade in Heidelberg, Germany and in Baghram, Afghanistan.

LTC Lindstrom also served in Joint Task Force Provide Promise, in Naples, Italy, and in Zagreb, Croatia, and as a Team Leader and Executive Officer for 3-315<sup>th</sup> Engineer Regiment, Training Support in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

LTC Lindstrom earned an Associate of Science degree from Georgia Military College, a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering from Mercer University, and a Master's in Business Administration from Benedictine College. He is a graduate of the Command and General Staff College, and the Engineer Officers Career Course and Basic Course.

His awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, Army Commendation Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, Global War On Terrorism Service Medal, Afghan Campaign Medal, and Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal.

LTC Lindstrom is married to the former Cara Jane Scully of Atlanta, Georgia. They have three sons, John William Kip 11, Alexander Ray 8, and Ray William 4 months.