



Captain Kyle D. Fails, Sr. is a native of Greenville, AL. He enlisted in the Army on June 10, 1991 and served 13 years in the Infantry. He was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Field Artillery through the U.S. Army Officer Candidate School, Ft. Benning, GA in December 2004. He earned a Bachelor of Science Degree in Human Resource Management from Troy State University in 2002 and a Master of Science Degree in Human Resource Management and from Troy State University in 2006.

Captain Fails' military education includes the Advance Non-Commissioned Officer Course, U.S. Army Drill Sergeant's Course, Field Artillery Officer Basic Course, Adjutant General Captain's Career Courses, and the Soldier Support Institute's Staff and Faculty Instructor Course.

Captain Fails has served in several leadership and staff positions to include: Company Executive Officer, HHC, 1st Heavy Brigade Combat Team, Camp Hovey, Korea; Brigade Strength Manager, 1st Heavy Brigade Combat Team, Camp Hovey, Korea; and Battalion S1, 2nd Battalion, 35th Infantry Regiment, 25th Infantry Division, Schofield Barracks, HI, and Small Group Team Leader, Advanced Officer Training Division, Adjutant General School, Soldier Support Institute, Ft. Jackson, SC.

Captain Fails' awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal (with one oak leaf cluster), the Army Commendation Medal (with three oak leaf clusters), the Army Achievement Medal (with eight oak leaf clusters), the Meritorious Unit Commendation, the Non-Commissioned Officer Professional Development Ribbon (with number 3 device), the Drill Sergeants Badge, the Expert Infantryman Badge, the Combat Action Badge, and the Adjutant General's Corps Regimental Association Achievement Medal. He was selected as the Soldier Support Institute Instructor of the Quarter for 1st Quarter/Fiscal Year 2012.

Captain Fails has completed one combat tour in Iraq.

Captain Fails is married and have two children.