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Major Larry M. Gwinn is the commander of the Beckley Military Entrance Processing Station.

He enlisted in the Army at the Beckley Military Entrance Processing Station 1989, and completed Basic Combat Training at Fort Knox, Kentucky, and Advanced Individual Training at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri. His assignments include combat engineer, 1092nd Engineer Battalion, Army National Guard, Richwood, West Virginia; Abrams Tank crewman and commander, A Company, 2nd Battalion, 72nd Armor Regiment, 2nd Infantry Division, Camp Casey, Republic of Korea; Abrams Tank gunner, A Troop 1st Squadron, 16th Cavalry Regiment, Fort Knox; Abrams Tank commander, A Company, 3rd Battalion, 67th Armor Regiment, 4th Infantry Division, Fort Hood, Texas; instructor, Basic Noncommissioned Officer Course, United States Army Noncommissioned Officer Academy, Fort Knox; armor platoon sergeant, C Company, 1st Battalion, 1-8 Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division, Fort Carson, Colorado.



Major Gwinn attended Officer Candidate School at Fort Benning, Georgia, and received his commission in April 2006. His assignments include armor platoon leader and battalion human resources adjutant, 1st Battalion, 8th Infantry Regiment, Fort Carson, Colorado; operations plans officer and human resources plans officer, 583rd Special Troops Battalion, 593rd Sustainment Brigade; and division strength manager and chief, human resources plans and operations officer, Headquarters, 7th Infantry Division, Joint Base Lewis-McChord, Washington.

Major Gwinn's professional military education includes Officer Candidate School, Armor Officer Basic Course, Adjutant General Captains Career Course, and Air Command and Staff Course. He earned an Associate of Arts in General Studies from Central Texas College, Killeen, a Bachelor of Science in Human Resource Management from the University of Louisville, Kentucky, and a Master of Business Administration in Human Resource Management from Columbia Southern University, Orange Beach, Alabama.

His military awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, two Meritorious Service Medals, five Army Commendation Medals, five Army Achievement Medals and various unit and service medals and ribbons. He also earned the Combat Arms Badge and Silver Recruiting Badge.