

BRIGADIER GENERAL JAMES D. CAMPBELL

The Adjutant General, Maine



Brigadier General James D. Campbell assumed duties as the 39th Adjutant General of the Maine National Guard & Commissioner of the Maine Department of Defense, Veterans, and Emergency Management on August 11, 2012.

General Campbell was commissioned as a Regular Army Infantry Officer through the University of Maine ROTC program upon graduation from Colby College in 1986. General Campbell was the Officer Distinguished Honor Graduate of his US Army Ranger School class, and then served in several Infantry command and staff positions in Hawaii and Germany. His final assignment while in the Regular Army was as an Assistant Professor of Military Science at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. General Campbell left the Regular Army and joined the Maine Army National Guard in 1995. He served as an Active Guard Reserve (AGR) officer for over 16 years.

After joining the Maine Army National Guard, General Campbell served in a variety of assignments, including command of Company B, 3rd Battalion 172nd Infantry Regiment (Mountain), and command

of the 11th Civil Support Team (WMD) from 2003 to 2005. He subsequently served as a senior plans officer for the Combined Joint Special Operations Task Force-Afghanistan.

In 2007, General Campbell was assigned as the Deputy Director of Operations for the Maine Army National Guard, and then served as Brigade Executive Officer at the 52d Troop Command. In 2011 he was selected to serve as the Deputy Chief, Operations Plans Division, US Central Command at MacDill Air Force Base in Tampa, Florida. General Campbell is a qualified 59A, Army Strategist.

EDUCATION:

1986 Colby College, Bachelor of Arts, History, Waterville, Maine
1995 Harvard University Graduate School, Special Student (Non-degree), History
1997 University of Maine, Master of Arts, European History, Orono, Maine
2003 University of Maine, Doctor of Philosophy, British History, Orono, Maine
2007 Fletcher School of Law & Diplomacy, Tufts University, International Security Studies Fellow

ASSIGNMENTS:

1. June 1987—June 1989, Rifle Platoon Leader, Company A, 3rd Battalion 22nd Infantry Regiment, 25th Infantry Division (Light), Schofield Barracks, Hawaii
2. June 1989—July 1990, Battalion Support Platoon Leader, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3rd Battalion 22nd Infantry Regiment, 25th Infantry Division (Light), Schofield Barracks, Hawaii
3. June 1991—April 1992, S4, 1st Battalion 15th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Infantry Division (Mechanized), Schweinfurt, Germany
4. April 1992—October 1993, Commander, Company A, 1st Battalion 15th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Infantry Division (Mechanized), Schweinfurt, Germany

5. January 1994—August 1995, Assistant Professor of Military Science, ROTC Cadet Command, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Massachusetts
6. August 1995—August 1996, Senior Tactical Officer (OCS), MEARNG Regional Training Institute, Camp Keyes, Augusta, Maine
7. August 1996—October 1998, Commander, Company B and Detachment 1 Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3rd Battalion, 172nd Infantry Regiment (Mountain), Brewer, Maine
8. October 1998—June 1999, S3, 3rd Battalion 172nd Infantry Regiment (Mountain), Jericho, Vermont (concurrently served as Full Time Training Officer, 52nd Troop Command, Bangor, Maine)
9. June 1999—June 2002, Assistant Professor of Military Science, ROTC Cadet Command, University of Maine, Orono, Maine
10. June 2002—January 2003, Brigade S3, 52nd Troop Command, Bangor, Maine
11. January 2003—June 2003, Deputy Commander, 11th Civil Support Team (Weapons of Mass Destruction), Waterville, Maine
12. June 2003—August 2005, Commander, 11th Civil Support Team (Weapons of Mass Destruction), Waterville, Maine
13. August 2005—November 2005, Executive Officer, 521st Troop Command, Bangor, Maine
14. November 2005—May 2006, Plans Officer, Combined Joint Special Operations Task Force-Afghanistan
15. May 2006—May 2007, Senior Service College Fellow, Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University, Medford, Massachusetts
16. May 2007—February 2009, Deputy G3, Maine Army National Guard, Camp Keyes, Augusta, Maine
17. February 2009—May 2011, Brigade Executive Officer, 52nd Troop Command, Bangor, Maine
18. June 2011—August 2012, Deputy Division Chief, J3 Operations Plans Division, US Central Command, MacDill Air Force Base, Tampa, Florida
19. August 2012—Present, Adjutant General, Maine National Guard, Joint Force Headquarters, Augusta, Maine

JOINT DUTY ASSIGNMENTS:

1. January 2003-August 2005, Deputy Commander/Commander, 11th Civil Support Team (Weapons of Mass Destruction), Waterville, Maine
2. November 2005-May 2006, Plans Officer, Combined Joint Special Operations Task Force-Afghanistan
3. June 2011-August 2012, Deputy Division Chief, J3 Operations Plans Division, US Central Command, MacDill Air Force Base, Tampa, Florida
4. August 2012-Present, Adjutant General, Maine National Guard, Joint Force Headquarters, Augusta, Maine

AWARDS AND DECORATIONS:

Bronze Star Medal
 Defense Meritorious Service Medal
 Meritorious Service Medal with Silver Oak Leaf Cluster
 Army Commendation Medal with Three Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters
 Army Achievement Medal with Three Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters
 Army Reserve Component Achievement Medal
 National Defense Service Medal with Bronze Service Star
 Afghanistan Campaign Medal with Bronze Service Star
 Global War on Terrorism Service Medal
 Humanitarian Service Medal
 Armed Forces Reserve Medal with Bronze Hourglass and M device
 Army Service Ribbon
 Overseas Service Ribbon with Numeral 2
 Army Reserve Component Overseas Training Ribbon with Numeral 5
 NATO Non-Article Five Campaign Medal (Afghanistan – ISAF)
 Joint Meritorious Unit Award with Oak Leaf Cluster

Combat Infantryman's Badge
Expert Infantryman's Badge
Ranger Tab
Parachutist Badge
Pathfinder Badge
Air Assault Badge
Ram's Head Device

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTIONS:

Second Lieutenant 10 May 1986
First Lieutenant 28 November 1987
Captain 1 January 1991
Major 2 August 1995
Lieutenant Colonel 8 September 2003
Colonel 1 May 2011
Brigadier General 11 August 2012