



Colonel Rodney S. Edenfield, Commander, 648th Maneuver Enhancement Brigade

COL Edenfield commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in the United States Army in April 2003. He graduated from Armstrong Atlantic State University in Savannah, Georgia earning a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Political Science and a minor in International Relations. He also received a Master of Arts in International Relations from The University of Oklahoma in 2018 and a Master of Strategic Studies from the United States Army War College in 2023.

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Prior to his assignment as the Comptroller (G8) and Deputy United States Property and Fiscal Officer for the GAARNG, COL Edenfield served as the United States European Command (EUCOM) Division Chief for Security Cooperation & Partnering, Division Chief for the Offices of Defense Cooperation – Support, EUCOM Senior Guard Advisor, and Army Senior Service Advisor to the EUCOM J5. Additional assignments include Commander of the 1st Battalion, 118th Field Artillery Regiment; Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff United States Army Pacific; Branch Chief, Current and Domestic Operation for the Army National Guard (at NGB), Battalion Executive Officer for Mission Training Complex – Fort Leavenworth; Chief, Doctrine Training and Tactics Detachment - Fires Center of Excellence, Fort Sill, Ok; Commander, Regional Training Support Maintenance Detachment – GA; and Commander, Headquarters-Headquarters Battery, 1st Battalion, 118th Field Artillery Regiment.

Among his decorations are the Defense Superior Service Medal, Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (with 4 oak leaf clusters), Army Commendation Medal (with 2 oak leaf clusters), Air Force Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal, Iraqi Campaign Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal, NATO Medal, Combat Action Badge and the Order of Saint Barbara.

COL Edenfield lives in Powder Springs, GA and is married to Cheryl G Edenfield. They have one son, Colin (11B, GAARNG) and a daughter, Cecilia. Their family attends Saint Cathrine of Siena Catholic Church in Kennesaw, GA.

