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Lieutenant Colonel Peter A. Steinig Deputy Commander, Pittsburgh District



Biography

Lieutenant Colonel Peter A. Steinig received his commission as a second lieutenant in the Corps of Engineers through the ROTC program in 1987. Prior to his assignment as the Deputy District Engineer, Pittsburgh District, Lieutenant Colonel Steinig served as the Operations Officer of the 16th Engineer Battalion, 1st Armored Division during its year long deployment to Baghdad, Iraq in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom.

Lieutenant Colonel Steinig's previous assignments include command and staff positions in Germany, Kuwait and the United States. During his tour in Germany, he served as the Logistics Officer of the Engineer Brigade, 1st Armored Division and deployed to NATO Headquarters Skopje, former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia as the Joint Engineer, and managed numerous construction projects to improve the country's infrastructure for use by NATO forces. Lieutenant Colonel Steinig was stationed at Camp Doha, Kuwait and served as the Deputy Gulf Region Engineer in support of the Transatlantic Programs Center and its numerous construction projects in Kuwait, Bahrain and Qatar. Before moving to Kuwait, he was stationed at Fort Carson, Colorado and served as a battalion executive officer and operations officer of a training support battalion working with both Army Reserve and National Guard engineer units throughout the Northwestern and Western United States to support each unit's training requirements. Following Lieutenant Colonel Steinig's graduation from the US Army Logistics Management College as an Operations Research Systems Analyst, he was assigned to Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri and worked as a project officer in the Maneuver Support Battle Lab. While stationed there he worked on the development of a future combat engineer system as well as managed an experiment to determine the effectiveness of combat engineers operating out of Bradley Fighting Vehicles. Prior to his tour in his functional area, Lieutenant Colonel Steinig was stationed at Fort Stewart, Georgia and served as the battalion's personnel officer of the 92nd Engineer Battalion and then commanded, C Company, 11th Engineer Battalion, 24th Infantry Division. During his company command, he led his company on a rapid deployment to Kuwait in support of Operation Vigilant Warrior. Steinig's first duty station was Fort Hood, Texas where he served as platoon leader in A Company, 8th Engineer Battalion and the company executive officer of E Company, the battalion's ribbon bridge company. It was during this time that he deployed to Saudi Arabia in support of Operations Desert Shield and Storm.

Lieutenant Colonel Steinig is a graduate of Texas Tech University with a Bachelors of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering Technology. He has completed the Engineer Officers Basic and Advanced Courses and the US Army Command and General Staff College.

Lieutenant Colonel Steinig's awards and decorations include: Bronze Star (2-OLC), Meritorious Service Medal (2-OLC), Joint Service Achievement Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal, Presidential Unit Citation, Meritorious Unit Citation, Army Superior Unit Award and Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. He has earned the parachutist badge.