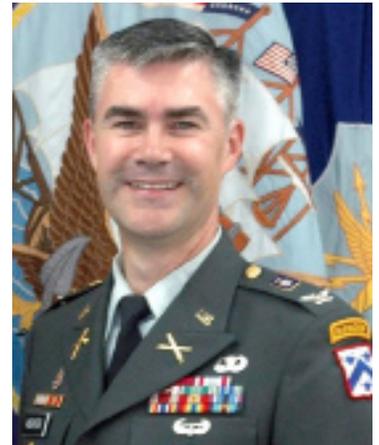




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COL Thomas Weafer was commissioned a 2LT in the Field Artillery upon graduation from West Point in 1978.

During his first assignment he served as a platoon leader, battery executive officer, and battalion adjutant for 2-6 FA; and as the aide-de-camp for the ADC-S of 3rd Armored Division in Hanau, Germany. He was later assigned as a staff officer in 9th Infantry Division Artillery at Fort Lewis, WA and then commanded a 155mm howitzer battery in 3-34 FA at Fort Lewis. In 1991-1992 he served as the division G-3 Plans officer for the 25th Infantry Division at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii and then became the battalion executive officer for 7-8 FA at Schofield Barracks. Assigned to Fort Sill, OK in 1996 as the battalion commander for 1-30 FA, he later became the Fort Sill Deputy Garrison Commander.

COL Weafer's other staff assignments include two tours at Army Personnel Command -- first as an assignment officer for Field Artillery captains, and later as the Chief of Field Artillery Branch; and an assignment as a Readiness Planner in J7, The Joint Staff, in the Pentagon. More recently, COL Weafer served as the Director of the Office of Policy, Planning, and Analysis at the United States Military Academy. In that position he served as the special assistant to the Superintendent for strategic planning, institutional research, program integration, and oversight of the Cadet Leader Development System.

COL Weafer became the Director of the Command and General Staff School at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, in July 2005. In this position, COL Weafer supervised a major revision of the School's curriculum, established three satellite campuses on the east coast, and managed the transition of the faculty from a predominantly military one to a faculty comprised primarily of retired officers. COL Weafer became the Assistant Deputy Commandant of the Command and General Staff College in July 2007.

Colonel Weafer's military education and training includes the US Army Command and General Staff College, the School of Advanced Military Studies (Masters in Military Art and Science), the Armed Forces Staff College, and the US Army War College (Masters in National Strategic Studies). He has earned the Parachutist and Air Assault badges, the Ranger Tab, and is qualified as a Joint Specialty Officer.

He is married, and he and his wife have one son.