



LIEUTENANT COLONEL EDWARD T. MILLIGAN US Army, Retired

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Lieutenant Colonel Edward Milligan is an alumnus of NSU's ROTC Program and a member of the Demon Regiment's 31st Battalion, Class of 1981. He commissioned in the Field Artillery Corps and has attended the Field Artillery Officer Basic Course and Cannon Battery Officers Course at the US Army Field Artillery Center and School, Fort Sill, OK.

His first assignment was as a Fire Support Team Chief, 3rd Battalion, 19th Field Artillery, Fort Polk, LA. He later served as the Assistant Division Artillery S-4 for the 5th Infantry Division, Fort Polk. He then attended the Quartermaster Officer Advanced Course at Fort Lee, VA. He was stationed in Pirmasens, Germany, as the Supply Officer for the 5th Combat Equipment Company before serving as the Battalion S-4 for Headquarters, Combat Equipment Battalion (West). He attended the Combined Arms Service Support School at Fort Leavenworth, KS, and then commanded Headquarters and Headquarters Company, US Army Logistics Center, Fort Lee, VA. He also served as a Logistics Plans Project Officer in the Directorate of Combat Development, US Army Quartermaster Center and School.

LTC Milligan served as an Assistant Professor of Military Science for Augusta College, Augusta, GA, prior to attending the US Army Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, KS. He returned to Germany as the Chief, Tank Automotive System Division, 200th Theater Army Material Management Center, Kaiserslautern, and had follow-on assignments as the Maintenance Operations Officer and the Group S3-Support Operations Officer for the 29th Area Support Group, 21st TAACOM.

LTC Milligan commanded the Germersheim Army Depot and 26th Area Support Team, 411th Base Support Battalion. He served in Heidelberg, GE, as the Area Support Group S2/3, Headquarters, 26th ASG. Later, he was assigned to Turkey as the Secretary of the General Staff, Allied Forces Land Southeast (NATO), Allied Forces South, Izmir, Turkey. He progressed to become the Director of Staff, Joint Command Southeast (NATO), Allied Forces South, and Deputy Director of Staff until 2002. He returned to Heidelberg to serve as Chief, Logistics Support Branch, US Army Europe G-4.

Following his retirement in 2004, LTC Milligan served as a civilian contractor, first as a Combat Service Support Analyst, then as the Battalion Executive Officer and Associate Professor of Military Science at the University of South Florida at Tampa. He entered the DOD civilian service with Installation Management Command and served 8 years in that organization. He currently serves as a Management Analyst, Resource Management Office, US Army Garrison, Fort Gordon, GA.

Lieutenant Colonel Milligan is an accomplished speaker, published author, and award-winning poet. In 2005, he founded the ETM Book Publishing Company.