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COL Dale Snider was commissioned into the Corps of Engineers in 1993 from Texas Tech University and most recently commanded the 1st Engineer Brigade at Fort Leonard Wood, MO. He was the USEUCOM Deputy Engineer; commanded the Base Support Battalion in Northern Kuwait;



served as the Assistant Director of the Civil Works Directorate at Headquarters, U.S. Corps of Engineers (USACE); served as the Operations Officer of the 65th Engineer Battalion, deployed to northern Iraq in 2008 – 2009; served as the Assistant Division Engineer for the 25th Infantry Division (Tropic Lightning), deployed to northern Iraq from 2006 - 2007; served as a USACE resident office Project Manager in San Antonio, Texas for the Fort Worth District; served as a Forward Engineer Support Team Leader for the Corps of Engineers in 2003 to Afghanistan; and served as the Alpha Company Commander of a combat heavy construction company in the 52nd Engineer Battalion.

COL Snider's military schooling includes the Army War College, Command and General Staff College, Combined Arms Services Staff School, Engineer Officer Basic and Field Artillery Officer Advanced Courses; Airborne School, Air Assault School, Air Crew Basic Course, and the Advanced Individual and Basic Training Courses.

COL Snider's civilian education includes an M.S. in National Security from the Army War College, an M.S. in Construction Management from Texas A&M University, and a B.A. in Geography from Texas Tech University.

COL Snider's primary military awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, Defense Superior Service Medal, Bronze Star Medal (1OLC), and Meritorious Service Medal (2 OLC). He is the recipient of the Army Engineer Association's Silver and Bronze de Fluery Medal and The Major General Aubrey "Red" Newman Medal.



