



Lieutenant Colonel Sula L. Irish

LTC Sula L Irish is a native of Maple Hill, North Carolina. She enlisted in the US Army Reserves in 1987 serving five years as a Transportation Specialist. She was commissioned in 1991 through the ROTC program at Franklin University in Columbus Ohio, earning a Bachelor's Degree in Computer Information Systems from DeVry Institute of Technology. She earned her Masters of Arts in Management from American Military University. She served in various command and staff positions throughout her 23 years of service.

Her assignments include: Commander, Alpha Detachment and Battalion S1/Adjutant, 15th Personnel Services Battalion, Fort Hood, Texas; Military Personnel Officer and Executive Officer, Alpha Detachment, 546th Personnel Services Battalion, Fort Hood Texas; Assistant Chief of Plans and Operations, 4th Infantry Division, Fort Hood Texas; Commander, Alpha Detachment, 38th Personnel Services Battalion, Kitzingen Germany; Brigade S3 and Chief of Personnel Services Division, 1st Personnel Command, Schwetzingen Germany; Deputy, Officer Management, V Corps, Heidelberg Germany; Battalion S1, Minneapolis Recruiting Battalion, Minneapolis Minnesota; Deputy Assistant Chief of Staff, G1 for the 1st Corps Support Command, Fort Bragg, North Carolina; Commander, San Jose Military Entrance Processing Station, USMEPCOM, Mountain View, California; Lieutenant Colonel Irish last served as the Human Resources Force Design Officer for the Capabilities Development and Integration Directorate, US Army Soldier Support Institute.

LTC Sula's professional military education includes Army Basic Training, Cargo Specialist Course, Primary Leadership Development Course, the Adjutant General Officer Basic Course, Adjutant General Advanced Course, Combined Arms Services & Staff School, Army Command and General Staff College, and the U.S. Army Airborne School.

Her awards and decorations include the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (3OLC), Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal (1OLC), National Defense Service Medal (w/Bronze Service Star), Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Armed Forces Reserve Service Medal, Noncommissioned Officer Professional Development Ribbon, Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Ribbon (w/numeral 2), the Joint Meritorious Unit Award, and the Basic Parachutist Badge.

LTC Irish is married to Brian Irish of St Louis, MO. They have two daughters, Shannon (18 years) and Kira (17 years).