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education

2001 – 2003

RICE UNIVERSITY, JONES GRADUATE SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT

HOUSTON, TX

Candidate for Master of Business Administration degree, May 2003.

Finance, Consulting, Energy and Toastmasters clubs.

Awarded Jones Graduate School Academic Scholarship.

Selected for M.A. Wright investment fund.

1993 – 1997

LAFAYETTE COLLEGE

EASTON, PA

Bachelor of Arts Degree in Economics and Business, 1997.

Awarded the American Legion Scholastic Excellence Award,

Military Order of the World Wars Ribbon, and R.O.T.C. Scholarship.

Financed education through an Army Reserve Officers Training Corps Scholarship.

experience

1997 – 2001

UNITED STATES ARMY, ORDNANCE CORPS CAPTAIN

1999 – 2001

Headquarters Company, 544th Maintenance Battalion, Fort Hood

KILLEEN, TX

Logistics (Maintenance) Officer (Captain)

Planned, directed, coordinated and supervised the logistical and operational maintenance and supply matters for the direct and general support maintenance companies within the battalion. Analyzed, planned, and coordinated contingency logistical mission support requirements. Assisted in the planning, directing and managing of logistical operations in support of over 50,000 soldiers in the Third Mobile Armored Corps.

- Managed and tracked the battalion's annual external mission expenditures, totaling in excess of \$5 million.
- Supervised the completion of over 15,000 work requests, with fewer than 2% over 60 days old.
- Managed cost avoidance initiatives showing a savings to the Third Corps in excess of \$200,000.
- Implemented an innovative information tracking system that reduced production backlog by over 15%.
- Directly supervised, coordinated and trained 4 Officers and 12 Enlisted personnel.

1998 – 1999

Headquarters Company, 544th Maintenance Battalion, Fort Hood

KILLEEN, TX

Logistics (Maintenance/Deployment) Officer (First Lieutenant)

Planned, managed and supervised the maintenance of over 500 pieces of automotive, track and support equipment worth in excess of \$36 million. Planned, implemented and evaluated operational maintenance programs. Planned, coordinated and managed the deployment of the largest maintenance battalion in the Army with over 950 soldiers.

- Deployed over 500 pieces of equipment and 900 soldiers to the field without incident.
- Consistently maintained an Operational Readiness Rate of over 95% for the battalion.
- Implemented a new maintenance program to streamline the battalion calibration and oil analysis program which resulted in a 0% delinquency rate.
- Selected ahead of peers to serve as logistical advisor to the Multifunctional Logistics Taskforce Commander during the annual Third Corps Tactical Operations Command Exercise.

1997 – 1998

664th Ordnance Company, 553rd Corps Support Battalion, Fort Hood

KILLEEN, TX

Platoon Leader (Second Lieutenant)

Led, managed, and trained a 42-soldier maintenance and service platoon. Supervised and managed the maintenance, accountability, deployment and use of over \$5 million worth of organizational equipment. Managed and supervised the maintenance and transportation of the entire 181 soldier company with equipment valued in excess of \$9 million.

- Awarded Battalion Honor Platoon twice, out of 20 platoons in the battalion.
- Awarded Most Deployable Platoon in the battalion as a result of innovative training.
- Planned, coordinated and deployed entire platoon and all equipment to JRTC in support of the 1st Calvary Division's Bosnia Mission Rehearsal Exercise at Fort Polk, Louisiana.
- Directly supervised, coordinated and trained 42 Enlisted personnel.

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Traveled throughout Asia and North America. Enjoy sports, reading and travel. Conversant in Mandarin Chinese.