



LIEUTENANT COLONEL INA JACKSON

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Lieutenant Colonel Ina S. Jackson, a native of Lake City, Florida was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in the Signal Corps in 2002 through Officer Candidate School at Fort Benning, Georgia.

After completing the Signal Officer Basic Course at Fort Gordon, Georgia, she was assigned to Korea, where she served as a Signal Platoon Leader, at Camp Carroll with 307th Signal Battalion. Following her assignment with the 307th Signal Battalion, LTC Jackson served as the Executive Officer for Charlie Company, 447th Signal Brigade, Fort Gordon, Georgia. She deployed to Qatar as the J6 Base Operations Officer in Charge, Special Operations Command Central, MacDill Air Force Base, Florida. After completing the Signal Officer Advanced Course, LTC Jackson served as a G6 Plans Officer, 101st Airborne Division, Fort Campbell, Kentucky. LTC Jackson later served as the Battalion Signal Officer with 801st Brigade Support Battalion, where she deployed to Afghanistan.

LTC Jackson joined the Acquisition Corps in 2010. Her acquisition assignments include: Team Leader, 610th Contingency Contracting Team, Mission Installation Contracting Command at Fort Jackson, South Carolina; Training and Readiness Officer in Charge, 419th Contracting Support Brigade at Fort Bragg, North Carolina and deployed as a Train Advise Assist Team Leader and Advisor, TAAC-West Afghanistan; Administrative Contracting Officer (Warranted) Defense Contract Management Agency-Springfield, Picatinny Arsenal, New Jersey. Lieutenant Colonel Jackson most recently served as the Brigade Executive Officer, 414th Contracting Support Brigade, Caserma Ederle, Italy.

LTC Jackson is a graduate of the Signal Officer Basic Course, Signal Officer Advanced Course, Army Acquisition Basic Course, the Army Acquisition Intermediate Contracting Course, the Intermediate Level Education Course, the FA51 Intermediate Qualification Course and the Command and General Staff College.

LTC Jackson holds a Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration from University of North Florida and she graduated from Troy University, where she earned a Master of Business Administration. She is a member of the Army Acquisition Corps and is Defense Acquisition Workforce Improvement Act (DAWIA) Level III certified in Contracting.

LTC Jackson's military awards and decorations include the Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Joint Service Achievement Medal, Army Achievement Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Korean Defense Service Medal, Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Ribbon, and NATO Medal.