



## **COMMAND SERGEANT TOM DOW**

### **Command Sergeant Major**

### **U.S. Army Security Assistance Training Management Organization**

Command Sergeant Major Tom A. Dow Jr. entered the Army on July 2, 1997 from Syracuse, New York and conducted One Station Unit Training as an 11B, Infantryman at Fort Benning, Georgia.

He has served in every leadership position through Battalion CSM. His assignments include Fort Lewis, Washington; 2<sup>nd</sup> Infantry Division LRSD, Camp Hovey, Korea; 3-505th PIR, 82nd Airborne Division, Fort Bragg, North Carolina; Drill Sergeant, Fort Benning; Platoon Sergeant, Fort Campbell, Kentucky; First Sergeant, Fort Campbell; First Sergeant, Northern Warfare Training Center, Fort Wainwright Alaska; Operations Sergeant Major, Fort Wainwright, Alaska; Operations Sergeant Major, 1st Battalion, 30th Infantry, Fort Stewart; Georgia; Command Sergeant Major, 3rd Battalion, 15th Infantry Regiment, Fort Stewart; Command Sergeant Major, Task Force 1 JRTC Operations Group, Fort Polk, Louisiana.



His combat deployments include two deployments with the 82nd Airborne Division to Afghanistan (2002) and Iraq (2004), and two tours with the 101st Airborne Division to Iraq (2007) and Afghanistan (2010-2011).

CSM Dow's military education includes the Warrior Leader Course, Advanced Leader Course, Senior Leader Course, Sergeants Major Course, Drill Sergeant School, Air Assault School, Pathfinder Course, U.S. Army Ranger School, Airborne School, Jump Master Course, and Summer and Winter Mountaineering Course.

He holds a Bachelor of Science in Business Management, and his awards and decorations include: Bronze Star Medal (3rd Award), Meritorious Service Medal (5th Award), Army Commendation Medal with Valor, Army Commendation Medal (6th Award), Army Achievement Medal (6th Award), Good Conduct Medal (7th Award), National Defense Service Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Service Medal (two bronze service stars) Iraq Campaign Service Medal (two bronze service stars), Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Korea Defense Service Medal, Armed Forces Service Medal, Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal, Noncommissioned Officer Professional Development Ribbon (5th Award), Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Ribbon (4th Award), NATO Medal, Ranger Tab Senior Parachutists badge Drill Sergeant Badge, Air Assault Badge, Pathfinder Badge, Combat Infantryman's badge, Expert infantryman's Badge, Combat Infantryman's Badge, and The Order of Saint Maurice (Centurion).

CSM Dow is married and has three children.