COL James "Jim" A. Beaulieu 130th Engineer Brigade Commander



COL Jim Beaulieu is a native of Nashua, NH, and commissioned as an Engineer Officer in 2000 after graduating from the University of Massachusetts, Amherst. His first assignment was with the 94th Engineer Battalion in Vilseck, Germany where he served from 2000 to 2003 as a Platoon Leader and Company Executive Officer. Following the Engineer Captains Career Course, COL Beaulieu was assigned to Headquarters, 555th Engineer Brigade at Fort Lewis, WA where he served as the Assistant Brigade S4 and Brigade Construction Officer. In July 2005, he took command of the 570th Sapper Company, 14th Engineer Battalion while deployed to Iraq in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. After completing company command, COL Beaulieu was assigned as a Military Assistant, Department of the Army G-1, Washington, DC where he served from 2008 to 2009. After attending graduate school at Georgetown University, he was assigned as an Assistant Professor in the Defense and Strategic Studies Department,

United States Military Academy from 2010 to 2012. Following the US Army Command and General Staff College, he was assigned as the Battalion Operations Officer and then Battalion Executive Officer for 326th Brigade Engineer Battalion, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault). After departing Fort Campbell, he attended the US Army's School of Advanced Military Studies (SAMS) prior to deploying to Afghanistan as the Director CJ5, Combined Security Transition Command – Afghanistan (CSTC-A). Following deployment, COL Beaulieu was assigned as the Division Engineer and Deputy G3, 10th Mountain Division (Light Infantry) prior to commanding the 41st Brigade Engineer Battalion, 2nd Brigade Combat Team from 2018 to 2020. Following battalion command, COL Beaulieu assumed duties as the Engineer Officer Branch Chief, Human Resources Command where he served until summer 2022. From 2022-2023, COL Beaulieu attended senior service college as a fellow in the Advanced Strategic Leadership Studies Program (ASLSP), SAMS at Fort Leavenworth, KS. Following graduation, he served as the Military Faculty and Seminar Leader for ASLSP where he instructed on military strategy and joint warfighting.

COL Beaulieu holds a Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology from the University of Massachusetts, Amherst, a Master of Science in Engineering Management from the Missouri University of Science and Technology, a Master of Art in Security Studies from Georgetown University, a Master of Business Administration from the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, and 2x Master of Military Art and Science from the School of Advanced Military Studies, Fort Leavenworth, KS. He is also a certified Project Management Professional.

COL Beaulieu's awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, five Meritorious Service Medals, five Army Commendation Medals, Joint Service Achievement Medal, two Army Achievement Medals, Afghanistan Campaign Medal, Iraq Campaign Medal, Kosovo Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service and Expeditionary Medals, NATO Medal, Presidential Unit Citation, Meritorious Unit Citation, Sapper Tab, Combat Action Badge, Parachutist Badge, and Air Assault Badge.

COL Beaulieu is married to the former Stephanie Chase of Potomac, MD. They have four children – Alexa (18), Jack (15), Luke (11), and Matthew (8).