

## Colonel Brian J. Slotnick

Commander, 595<sup>th</sup> Transportation Brigade

Colonel Brian Slotnick is a native of Toms River, New Jersey. He was commissioned through Officer Candidate School in 2003. He graduated from Randolph-Macon College with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Economics in 2002. His military schooling includes the Ordnance Officer's Basic Course, Combined Logistics Captain's Career Course, Command and General Staff College, and Navy War College. He holds a Master of Business Administration from the College of William and Mary as a Major General James Wright Fellow, and a Master of Arts in National Security Strategic Studies from the Naval Warfare College.

He has served in numerous positions as an Army Logistician at multiple echelons of leadership. His most recent assignments were as Professor of Military Science at Northeastern University in Boston, MA; Commander of the 299th Brigade Support Battalion, 2nd Armor Brigade Combat Team, 1st Infantry Division at Fort Riley, KS; Support Operations Officer, 7th Transportation Brigade, Fort Eustis, VA; Chairman of the Basic Officer Leadership Department, Fort Lee, VA; Operations Officer, Combined Security Training Command-Afghanistan (CSTC-A), Kabul, Afghanistan; Executive and Operations Officer, 2nd Cavalry Regiment Support Squadron, Vilseck, Germany; Materiel Readiness Branch Plans Officer, United States Army Europe, Heidelberg, Germany; Rear Detachment Commander and Commander Bravo Company, 215th Brigade Support Battalion (BSB), Fort Hood, TX.

Colonel Slotnick has three combat deployments to Iraq and Afghanistan and operational deployments to INDOPACOM and EUCOM.

His awards and decorations include: Bronze Star Medal (with one Oak Leaf Cluster), Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (with three Oak Leaf Clusters), Army Commendation Medal (with two Oak Leaf Clusters), Army Achievement Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal, Iraq Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Korea Defense Service Medal, NATO Non-Article 5 Medal, Navy Unit Commendation, Joint Meritorious Unit Award, Meritorious Unit Commendation, and the Combat Action Badge.

Colonel Slotnick and his wife have two children.

