



U.S. ARMY MATERIEL COMMAND

First Sergeant Daniel Shannon **389th Army Materiel Command Band**

First Sergeant Daniel Shannon was born in Ketchikan, Alaska and began his Army Career in 1992. After graduating from the Armed Forces School of Music as a Saxophone Player he was assigned to the 18th Army Band, Fort Devens Massachusetts; 8th Army Band Seoul Korea; 25th ID Band Schofield Barracks, Hawaii; 392nd Army Band Fort Lee, Virginia; 2nd ID Band Oujongbu, Korea; 98th Army Band Fort Rucker, Alabama; 8th Army Band Seoul, Korea; 389th Army Band in Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland; the School of Music in Norfolk, Virginia; Headquarters U.S. Army Recruiting Command in Fort Knox, Kentucky; 101st Airborne Division Band (Air Assault) at Fort Campbell, Kentucky; and the 389th Army Materiel Command Band in Redstone Arsenal, Alabama. During Operation Enduring Freedom XIII-XIV, First Sergeant Shannon served as the forward commander of the 101st Airborne Division Band for a period of 11 months in Regional Command - East, Afghanistan.



First Sergeant Shannon has served in many of the band support operations to include Administration Supervisor, Security Supervisor, Training NCOIC, and Supply & Logistics Supervisor. His other duties have included NCO Academy Deputy Commandant, ANCOC Small Group Leader, Training Developer, Unit Anti-Terrorism Officer, Travel Approving Official, Ammunition Supervisor, IMO, ISSO, Web Page Developer, Drum Major, Jazz Combo NCOIC, Showband NCOIC, Music Support Team Leader (deployed), Section Leader, Unit Armor; CBRN (NBC) NCO, Barracks NCOIC, Key Control specialist, Tactical Vehicle Driver, and sound reinforcement.

First Sergeant Shannon's military education includes: Primary Leadership Development Course, Field Sanitation Course, NBC (CBRN) Officer course, Small Arms Maintenance Course, Air Assault Course, Basic Non-Commissioned Officer's Course, Commander's Safety Course, Combatives Level 1 Instructor Course, Systems Approach to Training Course, Unit Anti-Terrorism/Force Protection Course, Middle Manager's Course, Basic Instructor's Course, Small Group Instructor's Course, and the Advanced Non-Commissioned Officer's Course, and the First Sergeant Course.

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