



**United States Army Soldier Support Institute
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Master Sergeant Keith E. Wells, a native of Colonia, NJ, entered the United States Army as a Personnel Records Specialist on 14 February 1991. He attended Basic Training and Advance Individual Training at Fort Jackson, South Carolina.

Master Sergeant Wells' previous assignments include: 520thPSC, Bad Kreuznach, Germany; USAADACEN, Fort Bliss, Texas; 2ID, Korea; TIE-Jackson, Soldier Support Institute, Fort Jackson, South Carolina; 214th Aviation Battalion, Manheim, Germany; USAREUR HQ, Heidelberg, Germany; 3rd Cavalry Regiment, Fort Hood, Texas; and SHAPE Battalion, Mons, Belgium. He has held numerous positions such as Squad Leader, Section Sergeant, Senior Small Group Leader, Small Group Leader, Operations Sergeant, and First Sergeant. He previously served as the Operation Sergeants Major, and Executive Officer for the United States Army Sergeants Major Academy, Fort Bliss, Texas, and the Deputy Commandant for the NCO Academy, USASSI Ft. Jackson SC.

Master Sergeant Wells' awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (7th Award), Army Commendation Medal (3rd Award), Army Achievement Medal (4th Award), Army Good Conduct Medal (8th Award), National Defense Service Medal (2nd Award), South West Asia Service Medal, Global War Terrorism Service Medal, Noncommissioned Officer Professional Development Ribbon (4th Award), Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal, Overseas Service Ribbon (5th Award), Korean Defense Service Medal and the German Schützenschnur Badge (Bronze).

Master Sergeant Wells' military and civilian education include: Primary Leadership Development Course, Basic Noncommissioned Officer Course, Advanced Noncommissioned Officer Course, First Sergeant's Course, Commandant's Pre-Command Course and Training Manager Course. He holds a Bachelor of Arts Degree (Magna Cum Laude) in Organizational Management, from Ashford University