



United States Army Center for Initial Military Training

Staff Sergeant Jacob Miller 2015 Drill Sergeant of the Year Active Component

Drill Sergeant Jacob Miller was born in Monmouth, Illinois. He graduated from Monmouth High School, Monmouth, Illinois, and entered the United States Army in November 2006. He completed Military Police One Station Unit Training at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, in April 2007.

Drill Sergeant Miller's assignments include 59th Military Police Company, 759th Military Police Battalion, Fort Carson, Colorado; 472nd Military Police Company, 793rd Military Police Battalion, Fort Wainwright, Alaska; 28th Military Police Detachment, 793rd Military Police Battalion, Fort Wainwright, Alaska; Echo Company, 787th Military Police Battalion, Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri; Charlie Company, 787th Military Police Battalion, Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri; and Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Maneuver Support Center of Excellence, Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri. His Deployments include Operation Iraqi Freedom 07-08 and 10.



Drill Sergeant Miller's military education includes the following: Protective Service Training, Domestic Violence Intervention Training, Warrior Leaders Course, Nuclear, Biological, Chemical Sustainment Course, Combat Life Saver Course, Conventional Physical Security Crime Prevention Course, Special Reaction Team Training Phase 1, Advance Leaders Course, Anti-Terrorism Officer Basic Course, Drill Sergeant School, Combative Level 1, Basic Instructor Training, Master Fitness Training, Master Resiliency Training, and 141 hours of training through the Army Distance Learning Program. He has 72 semester hours of college credit towards a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice from California Coast University.

Drill Sergeant Miller's awards and decorations include: the Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal with Valor, Army Commendation Medal (4 oak leaf clusters (OLC)), Army Achievement Medal (10 OCL), Army Good Conduct Medal (2nd Award), National Defense Service Medal, Iraqi Campaign Medal (2), Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Non-commissioned Officer Professional Development Ribbon (2), Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Ribbon (3), Combat Action Badge, Basic Rifle and Pistol Marksmanship Badge (Expert), Drill Sergeant Identification Badge, German Armed Forces Badge for Military Proficiency (Gold). He has distinguished himself by being selected as the Leadership Awardee for Military Police Advance Leaders Course (Class 501-12), Top 20% during Military Police Advance Leaders Course. Drill Sergeant Miller was recognized as the 2015 Maneuver Support Center and Fort Leonard Wood Drill Sergeant of the Year. He is currently serving as the 2015 Drill Sergeant of the Year (Active Component) at the Center for Initial Military Training, Fort Eustis, Virginia.