



U.S. Army Joint Munitions Command

LIEUTENANT COLONEL ALICIA M. MASSON COMMANDER, RADFORD ARMY AMMUNITION PLANT

Lieutenant Colonel Alicia M. Masson assumed command of Radford Army Ammunition Plant on June 12, 2015. Lt. Col. Masson is from Vancleave, Mississippi, and was commissioned through the Reserve Officer Training Corps in 1999, graduating from the University of Colorado, with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Economics and Political Science and a minor in Chemistry.

Her previous assignments include: Squadron Chemical Officer, Regimental Support Squadron (2nd Armored Cavalry Regiment) Platoon Leader (Recon/Decon); Executive Officer, 87th Chemical Company, 4th Aviation Squadron; deploying to Afghanistan and Kuwait in support of the 18th Airborne Corps and Operation Enduring Freedom; Assistant Regimental S3 (2nd Armored Cavalry Regiment); Brigade Adjutant, 555th Combat Engineer Brigade; deploying and commanding a mixed Headquarters and Light Engineer Company to Iraq, in support of the 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault) and Operation Iraqi Freedom; Chief, Officer Training Department, U.S. Army Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear School; Battalion Executive Officer, 84th Chemical Battalion, Brigade S3, 3rd Chemical Brigade; Department of Defense Interagency Fellow with duty at the Defense Threat Reduction Agency; Chief of Staff, Afghan Security Forces Development for the NATO ISAF Joint Command (Kabul, Afghanistan); Strategic Planner, Joint Staff, J5, Pentagon; deploying again to Afghanistan, NATO HQ Resolute Support, in support of the Commander, Resolute Support and the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.



Her awards include the Bronze Star Medal, Defense Meritorious Service Medal (2), Meritorious Service Medal, Joint Service Commendation Medal (3), Army Commendation Medal (2), Army Achievement Medal (2), National Defense Service Medal (3), Afghanistan Campaign Medal (3), Iraq Campaign Medal, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, Humanitarian Service Medal, the Non Article V NATO Medal (2) and Parachutist Wings.

She is a graduate of Baylor University, with a Master's Degree in Public Policy and Administration, concentration on International Policy, 2008. Lt. Col. Masson is a graduate of Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear Basic and Advanced courses, Command and General Staff College, Technical Hazardous Material Course and the Defense Nuclear Weapons School. She is a member of the National Defense University 2008 Class, Program for Emerging Leaders.

