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BIOGRAPHY



Colonel Michael C. Derosier

Commander, Vicksburg District

Colonel Michael C. Derosier assumed the duties of Commander, Vicksburg District, Vicksburg, Mississippi on July 26, 2016. He came to the District after serving as the Deputy Commander, Mississippi Valley Division.

Prior to that, he graduated from the United States Naval War College in Newport, Rhode Island (2014-2015), served as the military assistant to the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works) at the Pentagon (2012-2014), and Commander of the Detroit District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (2010-2012).

Derosier was commissioned a second lieutenant in 1992 after earning a Bachelor of Science degree in civil engineering from the United States Military Academy, West Point, New York. His previous assignments include platoon leader, company executive officer and assistant brigade leader, 41st Engineer Brigade, Fort Drum, New York; (Operation Continue Hope, Somalia and Operation Uphold Democracy, Haiti); company commander, B Company, 62nd Engineer Battalion, Fort Sill, Oklahoma; project engineer, Far East District, Chunchon, South Korea; resident engineer, Schriever Air Force Base, Omaha District, USACE, Colorado Springs, Colorado; plans officer, I Corps, Fort Lewis, Washington; battalion operations officer and executive officer, 14th Engineer Battalion, Fort Lewis, Washington (Operation Iraqi Freedom); and brigade operations officer and executive officer, 555th Engineer Brigade, Fort Lewis, Washington (Operation Iraqi Freedom).

Derosier earned a Master of Science degree in civil engineering from the University of Colorado-Boulder in 2000, a Master of Military Art and Science from the School of Advanced Military Studies in 2005, and a Master of Arts degree in National Security and Strategic Studies from the United States Naval War College in 2015. His military education includes U.S. Army Ranger, Sapper, Airborne and Air Assault courses, the Engineer Officer Basic and Advanced Courses, and the Command and General Staff College.

Derosier is a registered professional engineer in the State of Missouri. He is married, and his wife, Monica, hails from Mentor, Ohio.