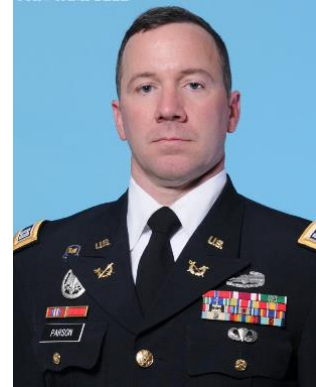


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MAJOR JOHN C. PARSON

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Major John C. Parson received a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Economics and Business from The Virginia Military Institute and was commissioned into the United States Army in 2001; he has served as an Artillery Officer, Infantry Officer, and a Judge Advocate. He also earned a Juris Doctorate from Charleston School of Law 2011. His military education includes the Artillery Officer Basic Course, Infantry Captain Career Course, Judge Advocate Officer Basic Course, Judge Advocate Officer Advanced Course, NATO Legal Advisor Course, Contact Attorneys Course, Cyber Law Course, and the Special Victims Unit Investigators Course.

Major Parson joined the Commandant's Department in 2017. He is currently a member of the Virginia Army National Guard and serving as the Brigade Judge Advocate for 91st Cyber Protection Brigade, Bowling Green, VA. His previous assignments include: , Brigade Judge Advocate, 116th Infantry Brigade, Command Judge Advocate, Staunton, VA, Combined Joint Operations Center-Jordan, Amman Jordan; Chief, Operational Law, 29th Infantry Division, Ft. Belvoir, VA; Judge Advocate- Investigator, National Guard Bureau-Office of Complex Investigations, Arlington, VA; Division (G3) Operations Officer, 101st Airborne Infantry Division (Air Assault), Ft. Campbell; KY; 3-16th Field Artillery, Battalion Fire Direction Officer; B/3-16th Field Artillery, Battery Fire Direction Officer; B/2-8th Infantry Battalion, Company Fire Support Officer; 4th Infantry Division (Mechanized), Ft. Hood, TX. His deployments included two tours in Iraq from 2003-2004 and 2006-2007, as well as, a tour in Jordan 2016-2017.

His military awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal, the Army Commendation Medal (3), the Army Achievement Medal (3), Army National Guard Components Achievement Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, Iraq Campaign Medal with Campaign Stars, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal (2), the Global War on Terrorism Medal, the Armed Forces Reserve Medal with "M" Device, Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Ribbon (3), Army Valorous Unit Citation Award, Army Meritorious Unit Citation, the Combat Action Badge, Parachutist Badge, German Armed Force Proficiency Badge, and the Dutch Military Proficiency Badge

He is a licensed attorney, admitted to practice before the Supreme Court of the United States, Commonwealth of Virginia, and various military courts and tribunals.

Major Parson is married to Christina Parson and they have two children Sophia and Ethan.