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First Sergeant Kelvis Melo is the senior enlisted advisor of the Fargo Military Entrance Processing Station, and supports the USMEPCOM mission of evaluating applicants by applying Department of Defense standards in processing and determining eligibility for military service.

He enlisted in the Army at the Albany MEPS in 2009.

1st Sgt. Melo served as petroleum supply specialist, 41st Fires Brigade, Fort Cavazos, Texas; aircraft refueler, 12th Combat Aviation Brigade Katterbach, Germany; career counselor, 504th Military Intelligence Brigade, Fort Cavazos, Texas; senior career counselor, Arctic Support Command Brigade, Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson, Alaska. He deployed to Kuwait in 2014 in support of Operation Enduring Freedom and to Afghanistan in 2018 in support of Operation Freedom's Sentinel.

His military education includes Basic, Advanced and Senior Leader Courses, Equal Opportunity Leaders Course, Career Counselor Course, Master Resilience Course, Army Retention Course, Postal Supervisor Course, Postal Operations Course, Emergency Response Medical Technician Basic Course, Petroleum Vehicle Operator Course, Fuel Handlers Course, Field Sanitation Course, Hazmat Course and Unit Prevention Leader Course. He earned an Associate of Science in business management and administration from Central Texas College.

His awards and decorations include two Meritorious Service Medals, one Joint Service Commendation Medal, five Army Commendation Medals, one Joint Service Achievement Medal, eight Army Achievement Medals, the Career Counselor Badge and other various service medals and ribbons.