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Lieutenant Colonel Bratcha J. Kellum is the commander of the 12th Battalion and Baltimore Military Entrance Processing Station.

Lieutenant Colonel Kellum enlisted in the Army at the Jacksonville MEPS in 1994 and was commissioned through the United States Military Academy in 2000.

He served as assistant brigade human resources officer, 24th Corps Support Group, Fort Stewart, Georgia; company executive officer, 3rd Soldier Support Battalion, Fort Stewart and Kuwait; chief of modularity, 3rd Infantry Division (Mechanized), Fort Stewart; company commander, Delta Company, 369th Adjutant General Battalion, Fort Jackson, South Carolina; deputy human resources officer, Joint Task Force Bravo, Soto Cano Air Base, Honduras; instructor and small group leader, Adjutant General School, Fort Jackson; battalion human resources officer, 1st Battalion, 2nd Aviation Regiment, Camp Wonju, Republic of Korea; brigade human resources officer, 214th Fires Brigade, Fort Sill, Oklahoma; director of human resources and presidential communications officer, White House Communications Agency, Washington, District of Columbia; deputy division human resources officer and Task Force All-American human resources officer, 82nd Airborne Division, Fort Bragg, North Carolina; and deputy corps human resources officer and Task Force Dragon human resources officer, XVIII Airborne Corps, Fort Bragg.



Lieutenant Colonel Kellum completed the Intermediate Level Education Common Core and Qualification, Human Resource Management Course, Instructor Training Course, Company Commanders Course, Adjutant General Captains Career Course and Officer Basic Course, Airborne School, and Air Assault School. He earned a Bachelor of Science in Management from the United States Military Academy and a Master of Arts in Human Resources from Webster University.

His awards and decorations include the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, four Meritorious Service Medals, two Army Commendation Medals, the Joint Service Achievement Medal, the Army Achievement Medal, the Presidential Service Badge, the Parachutist Badge, the Air Assault Badge, Netherlands Jump Wings, and numerous unit and service medals and ribbons.