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She received her commission in May 1999 through Army ROTC at Norwich University, Northfield, Vermont.

Colonel Kutter served as executive officer, Adjutant General Headquarters, Headquarters Company, 8th Personnel Command, and postal platoon leader, Alpha Detachment, 509th Adjutant General Battalion, U.S. Army Garrison Camp Humphreys, Republic of Korea; test control officer, Dallas Military Entrance Processing Station; chief, Human Resources Readiness; adjutant, battalion human resources officer; and rear detachment commander, Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division, Fort Stewart, Georgia; evaluation systems and policy officer, The Adjutant General Directorate, Human Resources Command, Alexandria, Virginia; inter-agency fellow, Department of State, Washington, D.C.; human resources operations branch officer-in-charge, Special Troops Battalion, 101st Sustainment Brigade, Fort Campbell, Kentucky; brigade human resources officer, Task Force Sinai, Egypt; chief, Advanced Officer Training Division, Soldier Support Institute, Fort Jackson, South Carolina; joint policy integrator, Headquarters, Department of Army Human Resources, Pentagon, Washington, D.C.; and commander, 11th Battalion and St. Louis MEPS, USMEPCOM.

Colonel Kutter's military education includes the Adjutant General Officer Basic and Advanced Courses and the Command and General Staff College. She earned a Bachelor of Science in Accounting from Norwich University, a Master of Arts in Human Resources Development from Webster University, St. Louis, Missouri, and a Masters in National Strategic Studies from the United States Army War College.

Her military awards and decorations include the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Joint Service Achievement Medal, Army Achievement Medal, the Department of Army Staff Badge, The Norwegian Foot March Badge, and various service, unit and personal medals and ribbons.