



BIOGRAPHY

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Major Brandon C. Tyner is the commander of the Portland, Maine, Military Entrance Processing Station.

He enlisted in the Army at the Raleigh MEPS in January 2008, and earned his commission at Officer Candidate School, Fort Benning, Georgia, in July 2008.

Major Tyner served as battalion human resources officer, 83rd Chemical Battalion, Fort Polk, Louisiana; battalion human resources, 2nd Battalion, 325th Airborne Infantry Regiment, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, Fort Bragg, North Carolina; brigade strength manager, 2nd Airborne Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division Fort Bragg, and deployed as deputy human resources officer, Special Operations Joint Task Force-Afghanistan; battalion human resources, Brigade Support Battalion, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii; forward director, Human Resources, Special Operations Command-Central, Qatar; battalion intelligence and operations officer, Special Troops Battalion, Schofield Barracks; and group human resources officer in charge, 5th Special Forces Group (Airborne).

His professional military education includes Adjutant General Officer Basic and Advanced Courses, Airborne School, and Strategic Broadening Seminar. He earned a Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice from the University of North Carolina, Pembroke, and a Master of Military Operational Art and Science from Air University, Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama.

Major Tyner's awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, two Meritorious Service Medals, two Army Commendation Medals, the Joint Service Achievement Medal, two Army Achievement Medals, and various unit and service medals and ribbons.