

MR. James A. Porter
Assistant Professor of Military Science, Kansas State University

Professional Experience

- June 2000 – Present: Assistant Professor of Military Science, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS
- June 2000 Retired from active duty as a Major
- July 1997 – June 2000: Operations Officer, 3rd Brigade, 75th Division (TS), Fort Riley, KS
- July 1995 – June 1997: Logistics Automation Officer, U. S. Army Combined Arms Support Command, Fort Lee, VA
- January 1995 – April 1995: Support Operations Officer, 225th Forward Support Battalion, Uphold Democracy, Haiti
- May 1994 – June 1995: Support Operations Officer, 225th Forward Support Battalion, Schofield Barracks, HI
- June 1993 – April 1994: Division Supply and Maintenance Officer, 25th Infantry Division, Schofield Barracks, HI
- June 1991 – June 1993: Assistant Professor of Military Science, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO
- May 1990 – June 1991: Battalion Executive Officer, 187th Ordnance Battalion, Fort Jackson, SC
- February 1988 – May 1990: Company Commander, HHC, 187th Ordnance Battalion, Fort Jackson, SC
- November 1986 – Jan 1988: Deputy AcofS, G4, 2nd Armored Division (Forward), Garlstedt Germany
- January 1985 – November 1986: Brigade Ammunition Officer, 2nd Armored Division (Forward), Garlstedt Germany
- August 1983 – June 1984: Division Ammunition Officer, 7th Infantry Division, Fort Ord, CA
- August 1981 – August 1984: Rifle Platoon Leader and Company Executive Officer, 1st Battalion, 32nd Infantry Regiment, Fort Ord, CA

Training

- 1990 U. S. Army Command and General Staff College
- 1984 Ordnance Officer Advance Course
- 1981 Infantry Officer Basic Course

Education

- 1980 B.S. Biology, University of Alaska- Anchorage

Awards and Decorations

- Meritorious Service Medal with five oak leaf clusters
- Army Commendation Medal with two oak leaf clusters
- Army Achievement Medal with two oak leaf clusters
- National Defense Service Medal
- Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal
- Armed Forces Reserve Medal
- Army Service Ribbon
- Overseas Service Ribbon (2d award)
- Expert Infantryman Badge
- Parachutist Badge

Family

Wife: Betty

Children: Ryan, Christi, Kevin, Brianne, Kaitlyn, Joshua, Matthew, Jason, Tatiana, Ashley, Luke, Makenzie, and Isaiah.