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In January 2014, CPT McLean enlisted as an 19D Cavalry scout into the Virginia Army National Guard then completed Basic Combat Training and Advanced Individual Training at Fort Benning, Georgia. Shortly after his enlistment, he joined the Virginia State University's ROTC program where he received his commission on May 18, 2019, as a Transportation Officer.

Thereafter he completed BOLC at the Army Logistics University, Fort Lee, Virginia, on March 10, 2020. After completing BOLC he was assigned to 1710 Transportation Company as a Platoon Leader. Regarding additional duties, CPT McLean served as the Safety Officer for 1710 Transportation company. He was an extremely active Platoon leader with his Platoon which led him to serve as the Logistics Officer for JTF Dogwood as a 2LT located in Sandston VA in August 2020. Where he managed all logistical resources of the task force, which includes 23 vehicles, 4 DLX tents, all testing resources for the operational needs. In addition, he made all logistical coordination's with VDEM, VDH, JOC, ESF16, and all testing labs.



CPT McLean Began Active-Duty orders with the Recruiting and Retention Battalion in May 2021 where he operated in dual roles as the Basic Branch and Specialty Branch Manager assisting the Officer Strength Manager with the placement of all officers within the state of Virginia. CPT McLean has played a significant role in R&R successfully exceeding its officer mission for 3 years. While McLean served on ADOS with R&R he also served as an M-Day OCS Instructor with the 3-183rd Reginal Training Institute.

CPT McLean is a native of Hampton Virginia where he met his wife Fawn McLean. Together they have two children, Grady and Gabriel. CPT McLean his bachelor's degree in sociology and minor in military science from Virginia State University. He received His master's degree in psychology from Liberty University.