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Sergeant Major Michael White serves as the Chief Military Science Instructor for the Virginia Military Institute. A native of Wadsworth, Ohio, SGM White enlisted in the Army and attended One Station Unit Training at Fort Moore, Georgia where he trained as an Infantryman.

SGM White has served in all Infantry leadership positions from Team Leader to Sergeant Major. Additionally, SGM White served as a Drill Sergeant, Senior Drill Sergeant, Observer Coach – Trainer and Battle Staff Course Instructor.



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SGM White and his wife Amanda reside in Fishersville, Virginia, with their ten year old daughter, Sidney.