

Colonel (Ret.) Michael Scott McBride

Year of Commission: 1984

BA in Political Science



Col. McBride served as an infantry officer in a variety of roles, from rifle platoon leader to adviser to the Iraqi Army. As a Lieutenant Colonel, he commanded the 2nd Battalion, 35th Infantry Regiment in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. Once promoted to Colonel, he was assigned as the 101st Division's G3. Later, he assumed command of the 1st Brigade Combat Team of the same division and deployed in support Operation Iraqi Freedom. After command, he served as the senior liaison to the U.S. House of Representatives. Col. McBride earned numerous awards to include the two awards of the Legion of Merit and the three Bronze Star Medals, one with "V" device for valor in combat.

Year Inducted: 2013