



## **Major John B. Pineau**

### **Program Manager, Innovative Readiness Training (IRT), USARC, Fort Liberty, NC**

MAJ Pineau is a native of Rochester, New York, and joined the US Army Reserve in 2009 as an Officer Candidate (O9S). He attended Basic Combat Training (BCT) at Fort Moore, Georgia in JUL 2009 and completed Officer Candidate School (OCS) immediately following. He commissioned as an Ordnance 2LT in JAN 2010. Upon completion of Ordnance Basic Officer Leadership Course (BOLC) in AUG 2010, he immediately deployed to Camp Arifjan, Kuwait with the 718TC BN ISO Operation ENDURING FREEDOM. MAJ Pineau promoted to 1LT in JUN 2011 during his deployment.

Upon returning from that deployment, MAJ Pineau joined the staff of the 275 Combat Sustainment Support Battalion at Fort Gregg-Adams, VA, where he served for approximately 4 years and promoting to Captain. MAJ Pineau was then placed in command of the 818 Support Maintenance Company located in Fort Meade, MD where he commanded from OCT 2014 to SEP 2017.

After completing his company command time, MAJ Pineau assumed the role of BN Executive Officer of the 55SUS BDE Special Troops BN where he served for approximately 18 months. His next assignment was with the 80 Training Command as the Maintenance OIC in the G4 section. MAJ Pineau promoted to major in JUL 2019 while in this position.

In MAR 2020, MAJ Pineau began his second deployment. MAJ Pineau deployed with the NATO Special Operations Component Command – Afghanistan/Special Operations Joint Task Force – Afghanistan ISO Operation FREEDOM'S SENTINEL serving as the Headquarters Commandant.

Upon returning from his deployment to Afghanistan, MAJ Pineau joined the staff of the USARC G-37 where he has served on ADOS for three years in a variety of roles including Executive Officer of the directorate and OIC of the USARC YTB/ATB (FY23 & 24) and Mission Readiness Brief (FY23).

MAJ Pineau's military education includes Ordnance BOLC, Logistics Captains Career Course (CCC), Company and First Sergeant Pre-Command Course (CFSCC), and Command and General Staff Course (CGSOC) (ILE CC and AOC). His civilian education includes a B.S. in Economics with *cum laude* distinction and departmental honors from State University of New York (SUNY) College at Oneonta, Oneonta, NY and a Master's of Business Administration (MBA) with a concentration in Finance from Franklin University, Columbus, OH.

His awards and decorations include the Meritorious Service Medal (1 Bronze OLC), Army Commendation Medal with "C" device, Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal, Army Reserve Component Achievement Medal (3 Bronze OLC), National Defense

Service Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal (1 Bronze Star), Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Armed Forces Reserve Medal (Bronze Hourglass, "M" device), Army Service Ribbon, Army Overseas Service Ribbon (Numeral 2), NATO Non-Article 5 Medal.

MAJ Pineau is married to his wife Jennifer of 14 years and has one daughter, Abigail, who is nine. He is currently attached to the U.S. Army Reserve Command at Fort Liberty and resides in Lake Monticello, VA.