

LTC PHILLIP ROBINSON
Kentucky Army National Guard

LTC Phil Robinson is a native of Louisville, Kentucky and began his 26-year military career on March 26, 1996, as an enlisted Soldier in the 202nd Army Band, Kentucky Army National Guard. He is a 2019 U.S. Army War College graduate and attended University of Louisville, Kentucky earning a bachelor's degree in music, a master's degree in Education and a Commission into the Aviation Branch in 1999 through ROTC.

Upon Commissioning, he served in the Headquarters, Headquarters Company, 63rd Aviation Group as the Executive Officer. Following the Army Aviation Officer Basic Course, LTC Robinson continued his active service as the Active Guard/Reserve (AGR) Training Officer for Company F, 135th AVIM where he also served as a Platoon Leader and later the Production Control Officer. He served with the 45th Enhanced Separate Infantry Brigade (CJTF Phoenix) in Afghanistan as the J3 Air and Task Force Battle Captain. He has served in the Program Executive Office for Aviation with the Utility Helicopters Project Office where he served as the Assistant Product Manager for Fielding and Transformation of the UH-60A/L Fleet and earned a rating as a Program Manager in the Acquisition Corps. In this capacity, he deployed to Kuwait overseeing the desert modifications for the UH60 fleet in 2005. He Commanded Company F, 135th AVIM on a split deployment to Camp Arifjan, Kuwait and Balad, Iraq from 2006 to 2007 and continued Command through the reorganization to Company B, 351st ASB. After Company Command, LTC Robinson has served consecutively as the Assistant S3 and S3 for 63rd Theater Aviation Brigade while on the CBRN Consequence Management Response Force (CCMRF) and the Command and Control Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear Response Element-B (C2CRE-B) mission in support of US Army North. LTC Robinson commanded the 1204th Aviation Support Battalion while continuing to support the C2CRE-B mission of US Army North and later returned to the 63rd Theater Aviation Brigade as Executive Officer followed by service as the Mobilization and Readiness Branch Chief and the Deputy J3 for the Joint Force Headquarters, Kentucky National Guard. He concurrently serves as the Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics (DCSLOG) J4 for the Joint Force Headquarters, Kentucky National Guard and as a Faculty Instructor, First Year Studies, U.S. Army War College.

LTC Robinson and his wife Beth reside in Harrodsburg, Kentucky with their six children, Bailey, Avery, Casey, Wyatt, Shelby and Oliver.