



## David Kuhn

David grew up in Gettysburg, Pennsylvania and graduated high school in 1973. After graduation, David enlisted in the army as an armored crewman. He completed his basic training at Ft. Dix, New Jersey and his advanced armor crewman training at Ft. Knox.

During his tenure in the army, David held every position as an armored crewman and served as a Platoon Sergeant, First Sergeant, and Sergeants Major. As the Intelligence Non-Commissioned Officer for the 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion 37<sup>th</sup> Armor, David served on the battle staff of the battalion and participated in combat operations in Iraq during the First Gulf War. Later as a Sergeants Major, he provided training and support for peace keeping operations in Bosnia/Herzegovina. His major assignments include First Sergeant, Company C 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion 37<sup>th</sup> Armor, Directorate of Training Sergeants Major for the 7<sup>th</sup> United States Army Training Command and United States Army Europe, and Chief Enlisted Advisor, Kentucky Army National Guard. He has graduated every leadership course required by the army and culminated his military education by graduating from the United States Army Sergeants Major Academy in January 1995. He retired from the military in February 2002. His major awards include a Bronze Star, Meritorious Service Medal, 4<sup>th</sup> award, Army Commendation Medal, 2<sup>nd</sup> award, Army Achievement Medal, NATO Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal, 9<sup>th</sup> award.

After retiring from the military, David worked as an assistant manager at a local auto parts store. In 2004 he served on a government contract working with Arabic translators, for the military, involved in the conflict in Iraq before accepting his current position as Program Coordinator (East), Veterans Employment and Training, Commonwealth of Kentucky, in October 2006.

David earned his Associate Degree in Management from the University of Maryland, Overseas Division, in 1999 and completed his Bachelors Degree in Business Administration at Sullivan University in 2006. He is married to his wife of 30 years, Gitti, and has a daughter, Jennifer.