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USA-IRL Command Sergeant Major

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Command Sergeant Major (CSM) Evelin Montealegre is native from Mexico. She enlisted in the U.S. Army in January 1994 and attended Basic Combat Training at Fort Jackson, S.C. followed by Advance Individual Training at Fort Monmouth, N.J. becoming a Religious Affairs Specialist (56M).

CSM Montealegre has served in every leadership position from Team Leader to Command Sergeant Major. CSM Montealegre's stateside tours have included Fort Lee, V.A., Fort Jackson, S.C., Fort Bliss and Fort Sam Houston, T.X., and Fort Belvoir, V.A. Her overseas include Germany, Italy, and Hawaii. She has deployed to Afghanistan, Iraq, Kuwait, Qatar, Bosnia Herzegovina, Kosovo, Croatia, Bulgaria, Djibouti, Somalia, Slovenia, Romania and Georgia for combat and peacekeeping operations.

CSM Montealegre's military education includes the Basic Leader course, Advanced Leadership Course, Senior Leadership Course, Basic Instructor Course, Planning Programming Budget and Execution System Course, Army Logistic Management College Acquisition Management Special Topics course, Field Sanitation course, Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training Course, Combative Level I, Combat Leader Course, Battle Staff NCO Course, Drill Sergeant School, Basic Airborne Course, Master Resiliency Trainer Course, Security Cooperation Planner's Course, BN & BDE Pre-Commander/Command Sergeant's Major Course, WTU Cadre Course, and she is a U.S. Army Sergeants Major Academy graduate of class 65. She is currently enrolled with Excelsior College in pursuit of her bachelor's Degree on Business Management.

CSM Montealegre's awards and decorations include the Bronze Start Medal, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (7th award), Army Commendation Medal (4th OCL); Army Achievement Medal (3rd OCL), Good Conduct Medal (8th Award); National Defense Service Medal (2nd Award); Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal; NCO Professional Development Ribbon with numeral 5; Army Service Ribbon; Army Overseas Ribbon (Numeral 7); National Defense Service Ribbon, Iraq Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal, NATO Medal, Kosovo Campaign Medal, Drill Sergeant badge, Parachute badge and she is a Sergeant Audie Murphy and Sergeant Morales recipient.



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