



**CH (MAJ) Heeja Han, EDD
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Chaplain (Major) Heeja Han, a native of Seoul, South Korea, attended Presbyterian University and Theological Seminary, where she earned a Bachelor of Arts degree, a Master of Divinity degree, and Master of Arts degree in Christian Education. She earned a Master of Theology degree in Christian Education from Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary and a Doctor of Education degree in Leadership Education from Spalding University. She spent 16 years as an educator/ pastor in civilian ministry prior to joining the Army as a Chaplain.

Chaplain Han joined the Army as a Reserve Chaplain in April of 2011 and was assigned to 399th Regiment, 4th BN of the Reserve Officer Training Corps at Fort Knox, KY. She attended Chaplains Basic Officer Leaders Course in September 2011, and was commissioned into active duty in 2013. Chaplain Han's first assignment was at Camp Carroll, South Korea serving with the 498th CSSB. After serving at Camp Carroll, she moved to Fort Campbell, KY where she served with the 184th EOD. Her next assignment was in Baumholder, Germany where she served in the 5th BN, 7th ADA. Her follow-on assignment was at the United States Military Academy at West Point, NY, where she served as a Regimental Chaplain for the United States Corps of Cadets. She currently serves as an ECPE Director for the School for Spiritual Care - Army CPE at the Institute for Religious Leadership at Fort Jackson, SC.

Chaplain Han's military educational attainment include graduation from Chaplain Basic Officer Leader Course, Chaplain Captain Career Course, and Command and General Staff Officer Course.

Chaplain Han's awards and decorations include the Meritorious Service Medal (2 Oak Leaf Clusters), the Army Commendation Medal, the Army Achievement Medal (3 Oak Leaf Clusters), the National Defense Service Medal, the Global War on Terrorism Medal, the Korea Defense Service Medal, the Army Service Ribbon, the Overseas Service Ribbon with the numeral 2. Chaplain Han is also the recipient of the Honorable Order of Saint Barbara award.