



SFC Carlos Lane

Sergeant First Class Carlos Lane hails from Atlanta, Georgia. SFC Carlos Lane enlisted in the U.S. Army on 26 August 2004 as an 11B - Infantryman. He attended One Station Unit Training at 1st Battalion, 50th Infantry Regiment, 198th Infantry Training Brigade, Fort Benning, Georgia. His first duty assignment was with 5th Battalion, 20th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Stryker Brigade Combat Team, 2nd Infantry Division, Fort Lewis, Washington until May 2011. While there, he served in various duty positions to include Rifleman, Grenadier, Automatic Rifleman, Radiotelephone Operator, Squad Leader, and Assistant Operations Sergeant. In May 2011, he was reassigned to 2nd Battalion, 19th Infantry Regiment, 198th Infantry Training Brigade, Fort Benning, Georgia where he served as a Drill Sergeant. In May 2013, he was reassigned to 2nd Battalion, 87th Infantry Regiment, Fort Drum, New York where he served as a Heavy Weapons Section Leader and Antiarmor Platoon Sergeant. In February 2015, SFC Lane was reassigned to 2nd Battalion 15th Field Artillery, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 10th Mountain Division, Fort Drum, New York. While assigned, he served as a Platoon Sergeant for a Regional Force Protection Team in Afghanistan. Upon returning from Afghanistan, he was reassigned to the Fort Drum Noncommissioned Officer Academy in January 2016 where he served as a Small Group Leader, Chief of Operations, and Quality Assurance NCO. In January 2019, he was reassigned to Fort Riley, Kansas to the 1st Infantry Division G3 where he served as the Current Operations Noncommissioned Officer In Charge and Operations Senior Sergeant (Forward) in Poland. He was later reassigned as a Platoon Sergeant for a Mechanized Platoon in 1st Battalion, 18th Infantry Regiment, 2nd Infantry Brigade Combat Team, 10th Mountain Division in September 2020. He was reassigned as an Assistant Operations Sergeant for 2nd Brigade, 1st Infantry Division from September 2021 to March 2022. SFC Lane is currently assigned as a Military Science Instructor for the Kansas State University Senior Reserve Officer Training Corps, Kansas. SFC Lane has deployed twice to Iraq in support of OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM and deployed once to Afghanistan in support of OPERATION FREEDOM'S SENTINEL and served on one EUROPEAN DETERRENCE MISSION in Poland.

SFC Lane's military education includes the Javelin Gunnery Course, Combat Lifesaver Course, Drill Sergeant Course, Unit Prevention Leader Course, Equal Opportunity Leader Course, Master Resilience Trainer Course, Lessons Learned Course, Company Commander's/First Sergeant's Pre-Command Course, Bradley Transition Course, Army Retention Course, Basic Leaders Course, Combatives Level 2, Advanced Leaders Course, Senior Leader Course, Company Intelligence Course, Sniper Course, Army Basic Instructor Course, Foundation Instructor Facilitator Train-the-Trainer, Common Faculty Development-Instructor Course Train-the-Trainer, and Small Group Instructor Course.



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SFC Lane's awards and decorations includes the Army Commendation Medal (11 OLC), Army Achievement Medal (6 OLC), Army Good Conduct Medal (6th Award), National Defense Service Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal (1 Campaign Stars), Iraq Campaign Medal (2 Campaign Stars), the Noncommissioned Officer Professional Development Ribbon (Numeral 3), Army Service Ribbon, the Overseas Service Ribbon (Numeral 4), and the North Atlantic Treaty Organization Medal. His unit Awards includes the 2 Meritorious Unit Citations and the Valorous Unit Award. SFC Lane has also been awarded the Expert Infantryman's Badge, Combat Infantryman's Badge, Drill Sergeant Badge, and the Basic Instructor Badge.