



## MAJ James C. Parry

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Maj. James Parry is the assistant product manager of the Army Training Information System (ATIS) — a product office within PEO EIS's Army Data and Analytics Platforms portfolio. In this role, he assists with the material development of ATIS, providing Soldiers and leaders with a single Army enterprise capability to manage, schedule, develop, report and deliver Army training.

Parry was born at the Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio. He attended the University of Northern Colorado where he received a Bachelor of Science in sports medicine in 2009. After graduating, he joined the Army and was commissioned in July 2011 as a chemical officer at Officer Candidate School in Fort Benning, Georgia.

Afterwards, he attended the Chemical Officer Basic Course at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri from August to December 2011. Upon completion, he attended the Basic Airborne Course at Fort Benning in January 2012. He was then assigned to Headquarters Detachment, 4<sup>th</sup> Battalion, 7<sup>th</sup> Special Forces Group (Airborne) (SFG(A)) at Eglin Air Force Base (AFB), Florida, where he served in the S3 of the battalion as the chemical officer in charge from February 2012 to September 2015. While at 4/7 SFG(A), Parry successfully completed a combat tour with 4/7 SFG(A) from April to October 2013 in support of Operation Enduring Freedom in Kandahar, Afghanistan, where he worked in the Operations Center as the battle captain.

After being selected at Civil Affairs Assessment and Selection in July 2015, Parry attended the Army Special Operations Forces (ARSOF) Captain's Career Course, followed by the Civil Affairs Qualification Course from October 2015 until March 2016. Upon completion, he was assigned to D Company (D CO), 91<sup>st</sup> Civil Affairs Battalion, 95th Civil Affairs Brigade (Special Operations) (Airborne), where he deployed twice as a team chief of a civil affairs team in support of Special Operations Command Africa, once to Niger Team 142 from June to December 2017, and again to Somalia from November 2018 to May 2019. Afterwards, Parry served as the D CO/91<sup>st</sup> Civil Affairs Company civil military operations cell chief from May to October 2019. Then he served as a civil affairs requirements officer for U.S. Army Special Operations Command from October 2019 to October 2020. After voluntarily transferring to the Acquisition Corps, he attended the Army Acquisition Professional Course from October to December 2020.

Parry's military education includes: Officer Candidate School, Chemical Basic Officer Leader's Course, Civil Affairs Assessment and Selection, ARSOF Captain's Career Course, Special Operations Language Training (French), Joint Special Operations University Introduction to Design Thinking Course, Exploitation Analysis Course, Special Forces Network Development Course, Joint Logistics University Capabilities Development Course, Civil Affairs Qualification Course, Basic Airborne Course, Survival Evasion Resistance and Escape High Risk (Level C) Course, and the Special Operations Jumpmaster Course.

His awards and decorations include: the Bronze Star Medal, Joint Service Commendation Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Joint Service Achievement Medal, NATO International Security Assistance Force Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal, Overseas Service Ribbon, Army Achievement Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Army Service Ribbon and Parachutist Badge.