COLONEL SEAN T. MCGARRY



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Colonel Sean McGarry assumed duties as the Dean in July 2020. Prior to his arrival at The Judge Advocate General's School, he was assigned to 1st Armored Division where he served as the Staff Judge Advocate for the Division and Fort Bliss. Other previous assignments include service as an Armor Platoon Leader at 1st Armored Division in Baumholder,

Germany; V Corps Legal Services Attorney and Trial Counsel in Wiesbaden, Germany; USARPAC Chief of International & Operational Law, Fort Shafter, HI; National Training Center Observer/Controller, Fort Irwin, CA; USARAF/SETAF Deputy Staff Judge Advocate, Vicenza, Italy; Security Agreement Secretariat Counsel, USF-I; Legislative Counsel at the Office of the Chief of Legislative Liaison, MDW; Staff Judge Advocate at 7th Army JMTC, Grafenwoehr, Germany; Strategic Initiatives Officer at the Office of The Judge Advocate General, MDW.

COL McGarry received his commission as an Armor Officer from Colorado State University in 1992, where he also received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Management. He is a 1995 graduate of St. Thomas University Law School, where he earned a Juris Doctorate. In 1996 he graduated from the Armor Officer Basic Course and in 2005 from the Judge Advocate Officer Basic Course. COL McGarry is admitted to practice before the Supreme Court of the United States, the U.S. Court of Appeals, and the Supreme Court of Florida. He has completed the Judge Advocate General Graduate Course, earning a Master of Laws (LLM) degree. He is also a graduate of Airborne School, Ranger School, the Command and General Staff College, and the U.S. Army War College.

Colonel McGarry's awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star Medal with 1 OLC, the Defense Distinguished Service Medal, Defense Meritorious Service Medal with OLC, the Meritorious Service Medal with 3 OLC, the Joint Service Commendation Medal, the Army Commendation Medal with 2 OLC, Joint Service Achievement Medal, the NATO Medal, the OIF and OEF Campaign Medals, the Parachutist Badge, and the Ranger Tab.

COL McGarry is married to Marie Travers McGarry. They have two children, Aidan and Malia.