

United States Army
Brigade CSM
Shane K. Aki

Command Sergeant Major
1-306 Infantry Battalion
188th Infantry Brigade
First Army Division East



Command Sergeant Major Shane Aki is a native of Kona, Hawaii and enlisted in the Army in October 1987. He received his Basic and Advanced Individual Training as an Infantryman at Fort Benning, GA. After the completion of Basic and Advanced Individual Training, CSM Aki served with 4th Battalion, 23rd Infantry, 9th Infantry Division at Fort Lewis, WA as a Driver; 1st Battalion, 506th Infantry, 2nd Infantry Division (Stands Alone) at Camp Greaves, Korea as a Gunner ; 5th Battalion 16th Infantry as a Gunner and 1st Battalion 16th Infantry as a Squad Leader, 1st Infantry Division at Fort Riley, KS who deployed to Desert Storm/ Shield/ Provide Comfort ; 2nd Battalion 64th Armor as a Section Sergeant, 1st Squadron 4th Cavalry as a Platoon Sergeant deployed to Bosnia and 1st Battalion 77th Armor as a Fire Direction Chief, 1st Infantry Division at Schweinfurt, Germany; 3rd Battalion 502nd Infantry, 101st Airborne Division at Fort Campbell, KY as a Section Leader; 2nd Battalion 58th Infantry One Station Unit Training (OSUT) at Fort Benning, GA as a Senior Drill Sergeant; 1st Battalion 17th Infantry as an Operations and Platoon Sergeant, 1st Brigade 72nd SBCT and 1st Battalion 5th Infantry as a First Sergeant, 1st Brigade 25th SBCT at Fort Wainwright, AK deployed to OIF; University of Missouri Science and Tech ROTC program, Rolla, MO as a Senior Military Instructor (SMI); Sergeants Major Academy at Fort Bliss, TX as a student and 2nd Brigade 1st Infantry Division at Fort Riley, KS as the Operations Sergeant Major.

CSM Aki has attended numerous military schools and training courses to include Drill Sergeant School, Airborne School, Air Assault School, Battle Staff Course, First Sergeant Course, Master Fitness Course, and Infantry Mortar Leaders Course.

CSM Aki is a graduate of the Warrior Leaders Course, Advance and Senior Leaders Noncommissioned Officer Course, The United States Sergeants Major Academy (Class 62), He obtained an Associate's Degree in General Studies from Excelsior College, NY.

CSM Aki's awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Service Medal with 1 OLC, Meritorious Service Medal with 1 OLC, Army Commendation Medal with 6 OLCs, Army Achievement Medal with 1 Silver leaf, Good Conduct Medal (8th award), National Defense Medal with 2 bronze stars, Armed Forces Expedition Medal, Southwest Asia Service Medal with 3 bronze stars, Iraqi Campaign Medal with 2 bronze stars, Kuwaiti Defense Service Medal, Armed Forces Service Medal, Humanitarian Service Medal, NATO Medal, Global War on Terrorism Medal, NCO Professional Development Ribbon with numeral 4, Army Service Ribbon, 2 Combat Infantryman Badges, Expert Infantryman Badge, Basic Airborne Badge, Air Assault Badge, and Drill Sergeant Badge.