



Mr. Venson L. Herron

Army Instructor, Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps



Mr. Herron is a native of Denton, TX. After graduating from Denton High School in 1987, Venson attended North Texas State University. At the end of his sophomore year at now the University of North Texas, Venson decided to enlist in the United States Army. During his service in the Army, Venson completed several deployments that included Operation Joint Endeavor to the former Yugoslavia; two deployments to Iraq for Operation Iraqi Freedom, Operation Iraqi Freedom 10-11, and Operation New Dawn; and one deployment to Afghanistan for Operation Enduring Freedom XIV and Operation Resolute Support.



Venson's military education includes all levels of the Noncommissioned Officer Education System up to the Senior Leaders Course. He is a graduate of Airborne School, Air Assault School, Drill Sergeant School, Recruiting School, Equal Opportunity Leaders Course, Sexual Harassment/Assault Response Program Course, Basic Instructor Training Course, Combatives Level 1 and 2 Courses, and numerous other military courses.



Mr. Herron was awarded several military awards during his Army career. They include two Bronze Star Medals, four Meritorious Service Medals, six Army Commendation Medals, and eight Army Achievement Medals. Upon retiring from the Army after 23 years of service as a First Sergeant, Venson decided to complete his degree at the University of North Texas. He graduated with a B.S. in Emergency Administration and Planning. Venson currently serves as the Army Instructor for the Army Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps at Richardson High School in Richardson, TX.

