

graduate of Trinity University in San Antonio, Texas. He holds a Masters Degree in International Relations from Troy State University. Brigadier General Pillsbury assumes the position of Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics, United States Army Europe, and 7th Army, Heidelberg, Germany. Pillsbury said, "The assignment to the DDC has been a remarkable experience. The everyday contributions the DDC makes to support the warfighter with the right item at the right time is tremendous." Pillsbury went on to state, "My family and I have enjoyed living and working in the central Pennsylvania area. The community's warmth and friendship have been gratifying."

Colonel (Promotable) Gainey's most recent assignment was as Chief, Joint Operations Division, USTRANSCOM, Directorate of Operations and Logistics (TCJ3/J4), Scott Air Force Base, Illinois.

Colonel (Promotable) Gainey was commissioned in the Transportation Corps upon graduation from Old Dominion University in 1978. After graduation, she served as a platoon leader in a Medium Truck Company and Assistant Battalion S2/3 in the 28th Transportation Battalion in Mannheim, Germany. Upon returning to the United States in 1981, she attended the Transportation Officer Course and then became Chief of the Container Freight Division of the Military Ocean Terminal Bay Area, Oakland, California.

From 1984 to 1987, she commanded the 5th Transportation Company (Heavy Boat) on Ford Island and served as the S-4 for the 45th Support Group, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii. In 1989, she received her Masters in Business Administration from Babson College in Wellesley, Massachusetts and then attended the Command and General Staff College from 1989 to 1990.

After graduation, she was assigned as a Contracting Officer at Army Munitions and Chemical Command, Rock Island Arsenal, Rock Island, Illinois.

She deployed to Saudi Arabia in support of Operation Desert Shield/Storm in 1991, and served as the Deputy Commander of the 2nd Area Support Group and as the S-3 for the 702nd Transportation Battalion.

Upon returning to the United States in 1992, she became the Division Transportation Officer for the 24th Infantry Division.

She became the Executive Officer for the DISCOM in July 1993.

From 1994 to 1996 she commanded the 6th Transportation Battalion (Truck). After command, she attended the US Army War College in Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

From 1997 to 1998 she served as a Special Assistant to the Chief of Staff of the Army. In July 1998, she assumed command of the 7th Corps Support Group located in Bamberg, Germany and relinquished command in July 2000.

Her most recent assignment was as Chief, Joint Operations Division, USTRANSCOM Directorate of Operations and Logistics, Scott AFB, Illinois.

Colonel (Promotable) Gainey's awards include the Bronze Star Medal, Legion of Merit, Meritorious Service Medal with Four Oak Leaf Clusters, Joint Service Commendation Medal, Army Commendation Medal with Three Oak Leaf Clusters, Southwest Asia Medal, and Kuwait Liberation Medal.

As Colonel (Promotable) Gainey begins her tenure as DDC Commander, she states, "I need to be all the soldier I can be in order to support the Sailors, Airmen, Marines, and all of the civilians that are deployed."

On September 4, 2002, Colonel (Promotable) Gainey was promoted to the rank of Brigadier General in a ceremony officiated by Major General Richard A. Hack, USA, Chief of Staff, Army Materiel Command.

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