

## **Command Sgt. Maj. Hector Davila**

### **Command Senior Enlisted Leader**



Command Sgt. Maj. Hector Davila was born in Mexico and raised in Los Angeles, Calif. where he graduated from Roosevelt High School.

He entered the U.S. Army in 1981 and completed Basic and the Infantry Advance Individual Training Infantry training at Fort Benning, Ga. Command Sgt. Maj. Davila served in a variety of assignments and positions culminating in his present assignment as the Command Senior Enlisted Leader for the Joint POW/MIA Accounting Command. Prior to this assignment, he served from Jul. 2008 – Jun. 2009 as the Command Sgt. Maj. for the Iraq Assistance Group supporting Operation IRAQI FREEDOM.

Command Sgt. Maj. Davila's duties and assignments have taken him to the 1st Battalion, 7th Infantry (M), Ashenfenburg, Germany; the 6th Battalion, 31st Infantry (M), Fort Irwin, Calif.; the 3rd Battalion, 36th Infantry (M), Kirchgoens, Germany; the 3rd Battalion, 17th Infantry, 7th Infantry Division (L), Fort Ord, Calif., where he participated in Operation JUST CAUSE in the Republic of Panama; the 7th Ranger Training Battalion, Fort Bliss, Texas; the 1st Battalion, 27th Infantry, 25th Infantry Division (L), Schofield Barracks, Hawaii; the 25th Infantry Division (L), Schofield Barracks, Hawaii; the 1st Battalion, 27th Infantry Division (L), Schofield Barracks, Hawaii; the 1st Battalion, 196th Infantry (AC/RC), Fort Shafter, Hawaii; the U.S. Army Sergeants Major Academy (Student Class 52/Staff), Fort Bliss, Texas; the 2nd Battalion, 1st Infantry Regiment, Stryker Brigade Combat Teams, Fort Wainwright, Alaska, where he participated in Operation IRAQI FREEDOM from Aug. 2005 – Nov. 2006; and Command Sgt. Maj., Headquarters Senior Enlisted Advisor, U.S. Pacific Command, Camp H.M. Smith, Hawaii.

Command Sgt. Maj. Davila completed a Bachelor of Science Degree with Excelsior College. His military education includes: Ranger School; Primary Non-Commissioned Officer's Course; Airborne School; Malaysian Combat Tracking School; Jungle Operations Training Course; Light Fighter Combat Leader Course; Military Operations on Urban Terrain Training Course; Air Assault Course; Basic Non-Commissioned Officer Course (Commandant's List); Air Transportability/Hazards Cargo Course; Instructor Training Course; Light Leader Course; Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention and Control Course; Advance Non-Commissioned Officer Course; Pathfinder Course; Tactics Certification Course; First Sergeant Course; Master Fitness Trainer Course; U.S. Army Sergeants Major Academy, Class 52; Command Sergeant Major Course; and the Asian Pacific Orientation Course.

Command Sgt. Maj. Davila's awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal (1st Oak Leaf Cluster); Defense Meritorious Service Medal; Meritorious Service Medal (4th Oak Leaf Cluster); Army Commendation Medal; Army Achievement Medal (4th Oak Leaf Cluster); Good Conduct Medal (9th award); National Defense Service Medal with Star; Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal; Joint Meritorious Unit Award (1st Oak Leaf Cluster); Valorous Unit Award; Non-commissioned Professional Development Ribbon (4th award); Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Ribbon (7th award); Ranger Tab; Combat Infantry Badge (Star); Expert Infantry Badge; Airborne Badge; Pathfinder Badge; Air Assault Badge; and the German Marksmanship Cord (Schutzenschnur).

Command Sgt. Maj. Davila has been married for 27 years to the former Gabriela Galicia of Los Angeles, Ca. They have three children, Cristina, Hector M. and Veronica, and three Grandchildren, Adrian, Angel, and Noah.