



Artillery OCS Hall of Fame

Brigadier General Bienvenido R. Castro Fort Riley Class 18-49

Brigadier General Bienvenido R. Castro was commissioned a Field Artillery Officer upon graduation from Officer Candidate School at Fort Riley, Kansas. His initial duty assignment was as Battery Officer, 20th Battalion Combat Team (Philippine Expeditionary Forces to Korea) during the Korean Campaign.

His subsequent duty assignments include:

Operations Officer, Signal School Branch, Philippine Army School Center.

Assistant Operations Officer, Headquarters, Philippine Army School Command.

Tactical and Supply Officer, University of the East, Philippine ROTC.

S-2 Officer, 8th Battalion Combat Team, Philippine Army.

Commander, Company B, 8th Infantry Battalion, 1st Infantry Division.

Officer, Head Ranger Department, Philippine Army School Center.

Chief, Procurement and Separation School Section, OJI, General Headquarters, Camp Aquinaldo, Philippine.

Chief, Training and Operation Branch, Headquarters G-3, Philippine Army.

Assistant G-3, Headquarters, Philippine Army.

Commander, 1st Special Forces Group, Fort Magsaysay, Philippines

Chief Liaison, 1st Philippine Civic Action Group to Vietnam (PHILCAG).

Commander, 10th Infantry Battalion, 1st Infantry Division, Philippines.

Superintendent, Manila Reserve Officers Training Corps, Philippines.

Commanding General, Lanao Civic Action Force, Philippine.

Director, ROTC, Washington TC, CAT, and Youth Affairs, General Headquarters, Armed Forces of the Philippines.

President, Military Tribunal, NR3.

Commanding General, Armed Forces of the Philippines Training Center.

General Castro's decorations include: Distinguished Service Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster and the Bronze Star Medal.