

Colonel Edgar G. Colinsky (Class 3-66)

Colonel Edgar G. Colinsky was commissioned a second Lieutenant upon graduation from the Artillery Officer Candidate School Class 3-66 at Fort Sill, Oklahoma on February 21, 1966. He served in numerous positions as a Field Artilleryman. He served with the 5th Battalion, 2nd Field Artillery, at Fort Bliss. He then commanded Battery A of that battalion in Vietnam.

He also commanded the 316th Chemical Company, and two batteries in the 144th Field Artillery in California. He served with multiple units in California in numerous staff positions. He was a special troops battalion commander in the 311th Corps Support Command (COSCOM) and a command liaison officer for the 6325th Individual Mobilization Augmentee (IMA) detachment.

His decorations include the Meritorious Service Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters and the Army Commendation Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters.