



**COLONEL
DAVID G. HANSEN
CLASS R2-59**

Colonel Hansen's initial assignment was to 3rd Missile Battalion, 15th Artillery in Cleveland, Ohio. He then commanded the 66th Artillery Detachment in Europe and served as an Instructor in the USAREUR School, followed by a tour in Vietnam as a Sub-Sector Advisor with the ARVN 7th Infantry Division.

He commanded a battery and served as the 74th Artillery Group S-3 in Kansas City, Kansas prior to a second tour in Vietnam with Headquarters Military Assistance Command Vietnam. He then served as ROTC Assistant Professor of Military Science at the University of Indiana followed by a tour in Germany with the 56th Air Defense Artillery and the 74th Artillery Group, where he served as a Battalion Executive, Group Executive and finally Deputy Group Commander.

He later served as Executive Officer, 31st Air Defense Artillery Brigade in Miami, Florida. At Fort Bliss he was Commander 2nd Battalion, 56th ADA and then the Deputy Brigade Commander of the ADA School Brigade. He culminated his career as Director, Department of National Security and Strategy at the U.S. Army War College.

Colonel Hansen's decorations include the Legion of Merit, the Bronze Star Medal w/ 2 OLC, the Meritorious Service Medal w/ 2 OLC, the Joint Services Commendation Medal, the Army Commendation Medal w/ 3 OLC and the Combat Infantryman Badge.