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I entered active duty February 1982, and was sent to Fort Jackson, SC for basic training.

After realizing that I was not cut out to climb telephone poles, installing heavy cable, I transferred to the Finance Corps.

I served in various positions, from team leader, to first sergeant, to Sergeant major.

I was selected as the first to hold the position of brigade level equal opportunity advisor, ensuring commanders were equipped with the training and knowledge to maximize human potential and ensure fair treatment for all persons based solely on merit, performance and potential in support of readiness.

In my last duty assignment, I served as a member of the Army Board for Correction of Military Records, which is the highest level of administrative review within the Department of the Army, with the mission to correct or remove injustices from Army military records.

Currently, I am a life member of the Disabled American Veterans, where I serve as a Chapter Service Officer, responsible for providing information about benefits and gathering information to assist in obtaining benefits and services available to veterans, their dependents and survivors.

