



**BIOGRAPHY** 



## **Sergeant Major Edward Mitchell**

Senior Enlisted Advisor

SGM Mitchell currently serves as the Senior Enlisted Advisor for the NATO Communications and Information Agency. As the Senior Enlisted Advisor, SGM Mitchell advises the General Manager, Chief of Staff and staff on matters pertaining to troop welfare and morale. He advises on assignments and reassignments, utilization, promotions and privileges and discipline for all enlisted ranks within the NCI Agency.

Most recently, SGM Mitchell served in the US Army's 516th Signal Brigade in Fort Shafter, Hawaii, United States. Prior to that post, SGM Mitchell served in the 307th Expeditionary Signal Battalion from 2019 to 2020 as the Operations Sergeant Major.

From 2018 to 2019, SGM Mitchell served in the 30th Signal Battalion as the Network Modernization Pacific Project Manager. Prior to that post, SGM Mitchell served in the 112th Signal Battalion as the Operations Sergeant Major and Theater Signal Support Company Sergeant Major from 2015 to 2017.

SGM Mitchell also served as the Sergeant Major for the Joint Network Operations Control Center-Afghanistan from 2014 to 2015.

SGM Mitchell enlisted in the active Army and completed Basic Combat Training in 1996 and advanced individual training as an Satellite Communications Systems Operator / Maintainer in July 1997. His awards include the Bronze Star, the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal, the NATO Article 5 Medal and the Bronze Order of Mercury.

SGM Mitchell's military and civilian education includes all levels of the Non-commissioned Officer Professional Development System, Airborne School, Static Line Jumpmaster's course, Army Basic Instructors Course, Small Group Leaders' Course, Commanders' and First Sergeant Course, Space 100, NATO Command Senior Enlisted Leader course, and he is a graduate of the United States Army Sergeant Major Academy Ft. Bliss, Texas (Class NR 45). He also holds Associate's Degree in Applied Science from the Thomas Edison State University.

SGM Edward Mitchell was born in Toledo, Ohio. He married the former Liliana Cardozo Toro of Bogota, Colombia on 25 October 2006. They moved to Brussels from Honolulu, Hawaii in 2021. They have two children, Haley and Isabella. SGM Mitchell also has a son, Aidan, who is serving in the West Virginia National Guard and attending the University of West Virginia.

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