



B.G. Wright

B.G. Wright is a Monticello, Kentucky native and a U.S. Army Colonel (retired). He began his military career as an enlisted soldier in Monticello's Battery C, 1st Battalion, 623rd Field Artillery – the unit of his brother, father, and grandfather. He was later commissioned and commanded C Battery. Later in his career, he commanded the overall battalion, 1st Battalion, 623rd Field Artillery, with units throughout southern Kentucky. He is a veteran of Operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm, serving with the 623rd, and was awarded the Bronze Star for service in combat.

Colonel Wright has held several legislative positions including posts with the Office of the Secretary of the Army and the National Guard Bureau, both at the Pentagon; and was a military fellow to the U.S. Senate Committee on Appropriations. B.G. was a White House military aide to President Clinton and is a graduate of the U.S. Army Command and General Staff Officer's College and attended the Army War College.

He is currently a professional staff member for the U.S. House of Representatives, Committee on Appropriations and oversees all federal funding for NASA and the National Space Council. Prior to this position, he provided Congressional oversight for Department of Defense programs including: the Afghanistan war; the Iraq and Syria wars; international security assistance worldwide, including funding for Ukraine; he recommended funding levels for National Guard and Reserve Equipment Accounts. He has traveled extensively in his official capacity, taking part in over 75 Congressional delegations to provide diplomatic engagement with Heads of State, Foreign Ministers, Ambassadors, and high-ranking U.S. civilian and military officials. Combined with personal travel, he has visited 51 states and territories, 95 countries, and every continent.

Prior to his service with the House, B.G. served as a professional staff member for the U.S. Senate Committee on Appropriations, a designated liaison to the U.S. Senate Committee on Armed Services, and to the U.S. Senate National Security Working Group.

B.G. Wright's experience includes 25 years of legislative experience overlapping 22.5 years of military service.

Mr. Wright holds degrees from the University of Kentucky, Eastern Kentucky University, and a graduate degree from the University of Louisville.