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Q & A

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Why did you choose a career as a DA Civilian?

I chose to be a DA Civilian to make an impact on Soldiers' lives. **As a Reserve Soldier myself, my goal was, and always will be, to make an impact on the lives of those around me,** whether that be through mentorship, training or support.

What are the benefits of working as a DA Civilian?

The most important benefit of being a DA Civilian is **being a part of a community focused on supporting and developing the next generation, all while having the flexibility to make an impact, not only on the military,**

but also my family. I have done a lot of things that provided a lasting impact, and to me, that is what it means to be, and a benefit of being, a DA Civilian.

What do you like most about your job/career as a DA Civilian?

I enjoy being a part of the community, but more importantly, **I have a passion for training and mentoring Soldiers to excel.**

What is your most memorable experience as a DA Civilian?

My most memorable experience is **implementing change in doctrine that will impact how our military safely executes explosive hazards operations in the future.**

What advice would you give to others considering becoming a DA Civilian?

Find your passion, and seek it out. Take every opportunity to be innovative, creative, motivated and conscientious about who you will influence because it **takes both civilians and Soldiers working as a team to be successful.**

