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Corps of Cadets updates and the Institute for Leadership and Strategic Studies (ILSS) annual report can be found here:
<http://ung.edu/institute-leadership-strategic-studies/updates-reports.php>

Major General James (Jamie) Jarrard (UNG '88) will move from Commanding General Special Operations Joint Task Force – Operation Inherent Resolve, to Director of Operations, U.S. Special Operations Command, MacDill AFB.

LTC Alan Kehoe (UNG '00) assumed command of 1st Battalion, 3d U.S. Infantry Regiment in the “Old Guard” in Washington DC.



Cadet LTC Bryton Wenzell earned the Paul Hutcherson Outstanding Student Award from the Alumni Association for a male and female student who demonstrates the highest ideals of citizenship through their accomplishments on campus or in home or community life.

Congratulations to our Ranger Challenge Team! On 14 April, our team won the Sandhurst ROTC Cup beating all other ROTC teams in the nation placing 4th overall. Winners: U.S. Air Force Academy (1st place), Canadian Royal Military Academy (2nd place), UK, Sandhurst Red Team (3rd place), UNG (4th place) followed by West Point Gold Team (5th place). Lieutenant General Caslen, West Point Superintendent, personally congratulated us as being the 1st ROTC team to ever lead the competition which we did earlier in the day before being over taken by the Air Force and international teams. These teams won, but they come from much larger Corps of Cadets.



On 4-5 May, 75 cadets graduated of whom 58 commissioned as second lieutenants. 42 commissioned active duty and 16 commissioned into the Georgia Army National Guard. 30 cadets were Distinguished Military Graduates. Top three branches: infantry (10), armor (6), quartermaster (6). 34 cadets commissioned in December 2017, and we anticipate a total of 110 commissions for the year by the end of this summer. Also, General Townsend, UNG '82 and Commanding General of TRADOC spoke at the commencement for the College of Arts and Letters on 4 May.

Major General Stephen Fogarty (UNG '83), chief of staff, U.S. Cyber Command, will receive his third star and take command of Army Cyber Command. [Read the story.](#)

This summer, 75 cadets will travel to 24 countries for study abroad experiences, internships, cadet exchanges with foreign military academies, professional development and conferences, Cadet Troop Leader Training (CILT), Cadet Practical Field Training (CPFT), and the Cultural Understanding and Leadership Program (CULP).

[Georgia Gold, American Treasure](#) development initiative is on-going for the sole benefit of the Corps of Cadets. With a goal of \$93,145,000, the vision of the initiative is to “Secure and strengthen the Corps of Cadets at the University of North Georgia”. All contributions benefitting Cadets will count toward our goal. For more information, contact Phil Collins at phil.collins@ung.edu. We encourage alumni, friends and family of the Corps to participate in this vital fundraising effort.

If you're interested in hearing more about the Institute for Leadership and Strategic Studies, and you are visiting Dahlonega, we'd like to schedule a one-hour personal briefing for you. Please contact Keith Antonia at keith.antonio@ung.edu