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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>

58 cadets were commissioned as second lieutenants on 3 May 2019: 19 commissioned into the Georgia Army National Guard; 39 Commissioned regular Army; 50 were men, and 8 were women.



Please help make the Corps of Cadets greater than it already is! Put this new video on your social media channels and share with all people you know who might be interested in enrolling in the Corps of Cadets, or who know someone who might be interested: other parents, friends at work, high school professional counselors, JROTC instructors, and anybody else who may want to know about the Boar's Head Brigade.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YpOD0I94Jz4&feature=youtu.be>

Congratulations to our Ranger Challenge Team at the Sandhurst Military Skills Competition at West Point! They bested last year's 4th place performance with a 3^d place standing behind two West Point teams out of a field of 49 teams on 14-17 April. They won the ROTC Cup for a second year in a row beating all ROTC teams.



COL Matthews, UNG '94, will replace COL (Ret) Palmer as Commandant of Cadets. Palmer's last day is 30 June. Matthews reports later this summer. He is completing 26 years of service in Air Defense and Intelligence. His wife, Sarah is a UNG alumna, and their daughter is enrolled at UNG. They have two other younger children.



We are very proud that COL (Ret) Palmer has been inducted into the ROTC Hall of Fame for his steadfast and long-standing devotion to the Corps of Cadets and the Army's commissioning mission.



Save the date for our next [symposium](#)

CPT Mike Rose, UNG '12, won the 2019 Best Ranger Competition at Ft. Benning on 14 Apr out of a field of 54 teams. He is the only Ranger to win three time. GEN Townsend, UNG '82, spoke at the awards ceremony. Rose's little brother was competing at Sandhurst at the same time.



Help us recruit! If you know any high school sophomore, junior, or senior (or the parent of) who is considering a military program in college, please tell them to come to **National leadership Challenge Weekend on 3-5 November 2019** to learn about the Corps of Cadets at UNG! More info: <https://ung.edu/military-college-admissions/visit/nlc.php>

Georgia Gold, American Treasure development initiative is a fundraiser for the sole benefit of the Corps of Cadets. With a goal of \$93,145,000, the vision is to "Secure and strengthen the Corps of Cadets at the University of North Georgia". All contributions benefitting Cadets will count toward our goal. Contact Phil Collins at phil.collins@ung.edu. We encourage alumni, friends and family of the Corps to participate in this vital fundraising effort. <https://unggive.org/corps-of-cadets/> 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