

# Biography



*Mrs. Mercedes Spough*

Human Resource Manager

U.S. Army Parachute Team, "Golden Knights"

## Personal Statistics

Hometown: Hope Mills, North Carolina

School Attended: Ashford University

## Biographical Sketch

Mrs. Mercedes Spough is the Human Resource Manager for United States Army Parachute Team the "Golden Knights".

Mrs. Spough began her career when she enlisted in the Army as a Human Resources Specialist "42A" in 2004. She served at Ft. Hood and Germany before leaving the service in 2006. She continued to serve her country in 2007 by becoming a Department of the Army Civilian (DAC). She has held positions servicing both military and civilian personnel as a Human Resources Assistant and Program Support Specialist. Mrs. Spough has served in various commands as a DAC, to include Fort Hood Garrison, Fort Hood Warrior Transition Brigade, Fort Bragg Special Operations Recruiting Battalion (Airborne), and 1st Special Forces Command (Airborne).



During her tenure, she has received the Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal, Meritorious Civilian Service Medal, Civilian Service Commendation Medal (3), and Civilian Service Achievement Medal. She has also received the Hood Hero Award and the 1st Special Forces Command Civilian of Excellence Award.

During Mrs. Spough's spare time, she enjoys spending quality time with her husband and four children.

