

Master Warrant Officer J.C. (Chris) Mader



MWO Mader was born and raised in Chilliwack and is a graduate of Chilliwack Senior High School.

He joined the Canadian Armed Forces in 1990 and after training as a combat engineer at Royal Canadian School of Military Engineering (RCSME) at Gagetown, New Brunswick he joined 1 Combat Engineer Regiment (1 CER) serving first at Chilliwack and later at Edmonton.

After almost 10 years with 1 CER, MWO Mader was again posted to CFSME in 2000 now as a Sgt. After a combination of employment and training he moved back to 1 CER in Edmonton in 2005 now as a Troop Warrant.

From 2009 until 2011 MWO Mader was at the Canadian Manoeuver Training Centre at Wainwright, Alberta where he was the Engineer Observer Controller Trainer. Following this assignment he was posted to 39 CER in 2011 as the Regimental Operations Warrant Officer Where he remained until 2015.

In 2015 MWO Mader was appointed Squadron Sergeant Major of 54 Engineer Squadron.

During the period 1992 through 2008 MWO Mader served on a number of overseas deployments including:

1992 - 1993	Op Harmony Croatia
1994	Op Cavalier Bosnia
1997 – 1998	Op Paladium Bosnia
2006	Op Enduring Freedom
2008	Op Athena

MWO Mader lives in Chilliwack. He and his wife, Claire have one child, Damon. In his civilian occupation he is employed with Black and MacDonald Ltd.