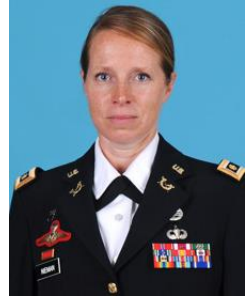


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Lieutenant Colonel Nieman has also served as Trial Counsel, XVIII Airborne Corps; Brigade Judge Advocate, 16th Military Police Brigade; Group Judge Advocate, 3rd Special Forces Group; Branch Chief, U.S. Army Defense Appellate Division; Attorney-Adviser, Office of the Judge Advocate General Administrative Law Division; and Deputy Staff Judge Advocate, United States Military Academy and West Point. She holds L.L.Ms from The Judge Advocate General's Legal Center and School and Columbia University (Comparative International Law). She is licensed to practice law in the state of North Carolina and before the Army Court of Criminal Appeals, the Court of Appeals for the Armed Forces, and the United States Supreme Court.

Lieutenant Colonel Nieman is authorized to wear the U.S. Army Senior Parachutist Badge, Combat Medic Badge, and Bronze Star Medal (2OLC). She and her husband, Major (Retired) Seth Nieman, have two young children, Finley and Ford. Her areas of focus include national security law, detention operations, intelligence law, Chinese law and legal institutions, and special operations and low-intensity conflict.