

Tom, was a baby EOD tech. Went straight to EOD schools out of basic training serving as an Army EOD tech for 21 years from 1970 to Dec 1991. He retired with the rank of Sergeant Major.

He completed his EOD training at Indianhead in May of 71, He was then assigned to 64th EOD, Ft Benjamin Harrison, IN, 21st EOD, K-town FRG, 548th EODCC & 87th EOD, Presidio of SF, 5 years at Picatinny Arsenal, NJ doing Army R & D writing foreign manual for 60 Series, 146th EOD, West Point, and 21st EOD, Zeigenberg, FRG. While at the 21st EOD, he was assigned TDY to the Gulf War with the 800 Material Management Command, responsible for all Classes of supplies deployed from Germany to the Gulf War. While at the Gulf War. He managed to get reassigned to the 543rd EODCC for the duration of the War.

Tom since retirement had the honor of being hired as an IT Technician working for a Tricare subcontractor for both active-duty military and for Veterans for 18 years. Just recently this summer of 2024, he was hired to again set up call centers for T5 – Tricare.

Tom has been a member of #1050 since 2014. He recently became the NATEODA Media Director dealing primarily with Facebook.