



# WHAT IS THE REDLEGACY?

The Redlegacy is a U.S. Army Field Artillery School initiative designed to inspire and engage our Field Artillery Soldiers and leaders to renew our commitment to what it means to be a professional of our branch.

As we move further into the 21st Century, it's important for us to remember our history, our legacy and where we come from because it allows us to understand the importance of where we stand today, and where our young leaders will take us in the future. Being a Redleg is not a 9 to 5 profession; it's about maintaining our Nation's trust and never forgetting that we are on duty 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

In this interactive database, you will find biographies of great Redlegs who have set the foundation of professionalism for all of us – past, present and the future. This list, by all means, is not all-inclusive, but provides an appropriate illustration of the professional standards all Redlegs should aspire to achieve. In concert with the attributes and essential characteristics outlined by the “Army Profession Campaign,” each officer and NCO listed in this database is an exemplary role model who embodies the character, and competence and commitment that each member should possess in our profession.

This list also demonstrates the quality of service that the Field Artillery provides through a variety of experiences. To understand more about how a profession in the Field Artillery branch can provide the background and experience necessary to excel in high-level commands and leadership positions, please read, “Our Redlegacy History” by Dr. Boyd Dastrup.

Here, at the FA school, we are preparing our FA officers and NCOs for the challenges they will face in the current and future fight. By bringing awareness to our “Redlegacy” we hope to provide a context of learning that is tied to our past. By providing this connection we hope to continuously define the values and traits that distinguish the occupation of a Redleg as a unique and proud profession.

So going forward, I challenge each and every one of you, to become an advocate of our profession. As Redlegs, we are bonded unlike any other profession in the U.S. Army, and there's no reason why each and every Redleg among our ranks today and in the future shouldn't be able to achieve great and wonderful things.

Because after all, being in the Field Artillery is more than just a job; it is a profession.

King of Battle!  
Army Strong!