

SPECIALIST CAMRON GIULIANI

303rd MI Battalion, 504th Battlefield Surveillance Brigade

CSM Doug Russell Award 2012 Recipient



A native of Westville, Illinois, Camron Giuliani attended Westville High School. During his junior and senior years, he also attended Danville Area Community College where he studied Advanced Electronic Technology. He enlisted in the Army in 2009 as a 35N Signals Intelligence Analyst, graduating in the top 10 percent of his class at Goodfellow Air Force Base. In March 2011 he reported to the 504th Battlefield Surveillance Brigade (BFSB) at Fort Hood, Texas. He attended the Low-Level Voice Intercept FOUNDRY course at Camp Williams, Utah and the SIGINT Terminal Guidance FOUNDRY course prior to deploying to Afghanistan in support of Operation ENDURING FREEDOM.

SPC Carmon Giuliani deployed from June 2011 to June 2012 to Paktika Province, Afghanistan in support of Combined Joint Task Force-1 while serving as a Low Level

Voice Intercept (LLVI) operator for Alpha Company, 303rd Military Intelligence (MI) Battalion, 504th BFSB. While deployed, he singularly developed an LLVI collection and reporting ingestion tool which closed a 10-year Signals Intelligence (SIGINT) gap in Regional Command-East. SPC Giuliani successfully integrated all tactical ground-based LLVI collection into the United States SIGINT system allowing for worldwide analysis of LLVI data in a format fused with data from operational and national SIGINT systems, DCGS-A (Distributed Common Ground Station-Army). His efforts towards increasing effective tactical reporting and dissemination, a feat greatly outside his level of responsibility, resulted in an overall increase of theater SIGINT support.

During his deployment, SPC Giuliani demonstrated superior dedication to the mission when Combat Outpost (COP) Margah was attacked with 111 rounds of indirect fire, small arms fire, and a vehicle-borne improvised explosive device. Throughout the attack SPC Giuliani relayed over 50 reports of insurgent activities which provided the

maneuver unit with locational data to launch counter fire despite low visibility due to weather. SPC Giuliani completed more than 40 dismounted missions in support of C/2-28 Infantry to provide early warning of enemy operations and indications of probable enemy engagement. His real-time intelligence provided maneuver elements advance warning which deterred nine planned ambushes and eliminated three enemy spotters.

While on watch, SPC Giuliani analyzed and logged over 5,500 real-time intercepts and provided more than 2,100 threat warning tippers to maneuver elements on the ground which denied the enemy use of ambush tactics. His threat tippers produced more than 1,400 time-sensitive reports and he presented over 70 intelligence briefs to the battlespace commander and senior leadership, ultimately furnishing a critical view of the early warning environment.

SPC Giuliani was personally recognized by and received coins from the International Security Assistance Force (ISAF) Commander, General John R. Allen, the Combined Joint Task Force-I Commander, Major General William C. Mayville, and the Sergeant Major of the Army, SMA Raymond Chandler III for his contribution to Operation ENDURING FREEDOM. The Intelligence Surveillance Reconnaissance Technical Advisor for the Army Cryptologic Operations Office, Ms. Callie Walker, paid a special visit to COP Margah to see how SPC Giuliani's ingestion tool worked. After her visit, she was able to incorporate what she learned from SPC Giuliani into the LLVI Standard Operating Procedure. SPC Giuliani's actions significantly contributed to the mission, the US SIGINT system, and ultimately the MI Corps, and will continue to impact the Intelligence community for many years to come.



SPC Camron Giuliani (left) and SGT Jeffrey Landis, both SIGINT Analysts with Company A, 303rd MI Bn, 504th BFSB, look at a map prior to training on West Fort Hood.