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Meet 2020-2021 Class Member

Neal Schau

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Neal Schau has been the DKC Operations Manager at 3M DeKalb since July 2019. He was born and raised in northwest Iowa. Following high school, Neal graduated from Iowa State University with a bachelor's degree in Supply Chain Management before starting his career with 3M. In addition to his undergraduate degree, Neal has graduated from the University of Minnesota with an MBA from the Carlson School of Management with a focus on Finance and International Business. With 3M Neal has worked at 3M Ames (Iowa), 3M Hutchinson (Minnesota), 3M Meriden (Connecticut), and 3M Knoxville (Iowa) prior to accepting a position at 3M DeKalb. In addition to his career with 3M, Neal is currently serving as a member of the Iowa Army National Guard with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. He has completed over 24 years of service and is a combat veteran that served in Afghanistan (2004-2005) and Iraq (2011). Neal and his wife Lisa live in Sycamore with their four children.



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