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Lt Col Moody was born Tauranga in 1964 and grew up in Mt Maunganui and Auckland. He attended Auckland Grammar School and Auckland University.

Lt Col Moody attended Officer Cadet School (NZ) from Jul 1986, graduating to the Royal Regiment of NZ Artillery in Jun 1987.

Lt Col Moody served in a number of regimental and staff appointments in the NZ Army. He has had the privilege of overseas postings including; serving with 47 Regiment, Royal Artillery, UK over the period 1993-94, attending the inaugural year of the Australian Command and Staff College at Western Creek in 2001, posted as a Liaison Officer to the Australian Land Warfare Development Centre, Puckapunyal 2002-03, and is currently the Military Advisor in the New Zealand High Commission Canberra.

Lt Col Moody has served in a number of operational environments, his first being a deployment to East Timor in September 1999 serving with the Gen Cosgrove-led International Force East Timor (INTERFET) and remaining for the transition to the UN Transitional Assistance Force. He has served twice in Afghanistan, first with the NZ Provincial Reconstruction Team in Bamyán Province in 2005 and then serving on HQ International Security Assistance Force in Kabul in 2010-11. His most recent deployment was in command of the New Zealand Contingent in the Multinational Force and Observers in the Sinai desert in late 2013.

Lt Col Moody is married to Julie and they have two teenage daughters, Holly and Charlotte. His interests are rugby and reading about international relations.