



# BIOGRAPHY

## UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

### CAPTAIN JOANNE M. WHITLOCK

Capt Joanne M. Whitlock is the Operations Officer and an Associate Professor of Aerospace Studies at the Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps (AFROTC), Detachment 002, California State University, San Bernardino. In this capacity, she is directly responsible for the training, education and development of officer candidates into Air Force commissioned officers through a comprehensive college program.

Capt Whitlock was born and raised in Manila, Philippines and commissioned through Officer Training School in 2013 after serving as a Forensic Investigator in the civilian sector. Prior to her current assignment, Captain Whitlock was the Operations Officer for the 628th Logistics Readiness Squadron in Joint Base Charleston where she was responsible for the day-to-day operations of the most diverse squadron on base and assisted the Commander in managing the dynamic and varied mission requirements in support of Air Mobility Command's busiest installation and home of 41 C-17s. She has also served as the Chief of Mission Support for the AFCENT Air Warfare Center (AAWC), Al Dhafra Air Base, United Arab Emirates. Capt Whitlock has served in a variety of positions at base level and staff to include Officer in Charge, Flight Commander and two-time Executive Officer. In addition, Captain Whitlock was deployed to Niger, Africa where she served as the first ever Logistics Readiness Flight Commander at the 724 Expeditionary Air Base Squadron, the DoD's newest ISR air base and largest troop labor project in Air Force history.

#### EDUCATION

2010 Bachelor of Arts, Anthropology, University of West Florida, Pensacola, Florida

2013 Logistics Readiness Officer Course, JBSA-Lackland, Texas

2018 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, AL

2018 Master of Forensic Sciences, National University, San Diego, California

2022 Detachment Cadre Instructor Course, Air University, Maxwell AFB, AL

#### ASSIGNMENTS

1. Feb 2013 - Jan 2014: OIC, Vehicle Ops and Cargo Movement, 21st Logistics Readiness Squadron, Peterson AFB, CO

2. Jan 2014 - May 2014: OIC, Air Terminal and Passenger Movement, 21st Logistics Readiness Squadron, Peterson AFB, CO

3. May 2014 - Apr 2015: Executive Officer, 21st Mission Support Group, Peterson AFB, CO

4. Apr 2015 - Nov 2015: Assistant Installation Deployment Officer, 21st Logistics Readiness Squadron, Peterson AFB, CO

5. Nov 2015 - May 2016: Flight Commander, Materiel Management, 21st Logistics Readiness Squadron, Peterson AFB, CO

6. May 2016 - Nov 2016: Commander, Logistics Readiness Flight, 724 Expeditionary Air Base Squadron, Niger, Africa

7. Nov 2016 - Jan 2017: Flight Commander, Materiel Management, 21st Logistics Readiness Squadron, Peterson AFB, CO

8. Jan 2017 - Aug 2018: Strategy & Initiatives Officer, Logistics Readiness Division, NGB/A4, National Guard Bureau, JB Andrews

9. Aug 2018 - Jun 2019: Executive Officer to the Director Logistics and Installations, NGB A4, National Guard Bureau, JB Andrews

10. June 2019 - July 2020: Chief of Mission Support, AFCENT Air Warfare Center, Al Dhafra Air Base, United Arab Emirates

11. July 2020 - May 2021: Flight Commander, Vehicle Management, 628th Logistics Readiness Squadron, JB Charleston, SC

12. May 2021 - July 2022: Operations Officer, 628th Logistics Readiness Squadron, JB Charleston, SC

13. Jul 2022 - Sep 2022: Deputy Director, Agile Combat Employment Cell, JB Charleston, SC

14. Sep 2022 - Present: Operations Officer/Associate Professor of Aerospace Studies, AFROTC Det 002, California State University, San Bernardino, CA

#### MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Meritorious Service Medal w/ oak leaf cluster

Air and Space Commendation Medal w/ oak leaf cluster

Air and Space Achievement Medal

Joint Meritorious Unit Award

Meritorious Unit Award

Air and Space Outstanding Unit Award

Air and Space Organizational Excellence Award

Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal

Global War on Terrorism Service Medal

Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal

Air and Space Overseas Service Ribbon Short

Air and Space Expeditionary Service Ribbon

#### EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Captain: 15 Aug 2017