



BIOGRAPHY



LIEUTENANT COLONEL PATTY A. PATTEN

Lt Col Patty A. Patten is currently, Assistant Professor of Aerospace Studies, AFROTC Det 005, Auburn University, Auburn, AL. In this capacity, she instructs junior level courses on leadership such as effective supervision, mentoring, ethics and professionalism. She has the responsibility for training, mentoring and preparing cadets to become Air Force Officers. Lt Col Patten received her Bachelor of Science Degree in Social Science from Chapman University in Orange County, CA. and her Executive Master of Business Administration from Auburn University-Montgomery, AL. She is also working on her Ph.D in Higher Education Admin. Lt Col Patten earned her commission through the Academy of Military Science at McGhee-Tyson ANGB, TN. Lt Col Patten is a Logistics Officer and Force Support Officer. In addition, Lt Col Patten has served in a myriad of positions, such as Director of Staff for Air Force Cyber College; Division Chief, Guard & Reserve Matters for USCYBERCOM; Labor Relations Specialist, State Equal Employment Officer and Assistant Inspector General for the Alabama Air and Army National Guard. She is also proud of her nine years of prior enlisted service as a Personnel Specialist. Lt Col Patten has deployed in support of OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM/OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM.



EDUCATION

- 1992 Basic Military Training, Lackland AFB, TX
- 1992 Personnel Apprentice Technical Training School, Kessler AFB, MS
- 1997 Airman Leadership School, Maxwell AFB, AL
- 1999 Community College of the Air Force, Associate Degree in Human Resources/Personnel Admin.
- 2004 Academy of Military Science, McGhee Tyson AGB, TN
- 2004 Logistics Readiness Officer Course, Lackland AFB, TX
- 2005 Air & Space Basic Course, Maxwell AFB, AL
- 2007 U.S. Army Inspector General School, Ft. Belvoir, VA.
- 2007 Secretary of the Air Force Inspector General Training Course, Joint Base Anacostia - Bolling
- 2011 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, AL
- 2017 Air Command & Staff College, Maxwell AFB, AL
- 2019 Air War College (currently)

ASSIGNMENTS

- Oct 92 - Mar 99 Assistant NCOIC Unit Orderly Room, Travis AFB, CA
- Mar 99 - Apr 00 Relocations Technician, Peterson AFB, CO
- Apr 00 - Jun 01 NCOIC, MPF Customer Service, Peterson AFB, CO
- Jun 01 - Jul 02 Medical Service Journeyman, Vandenberg AFB, CA
- Jul 02 - Sep 03 Personnel Craftsman, Vandenberg AFB, CA
- Sep 03 - Jun 04 Supply Specialist, 187 Fighter Wing, Montgomery AL
- Jun 04 - Apr 09 Logistics Readiness Officer, 187 Fighter Wing, Montgomery AL
- Apr 09 - Jan 18 Force Support Officer, Joint Forces Headquarters, Headquarters Alabama National Guard, Montgomery, AL
- Jan 18 - Jan 19 Logistics Readiness Officer, Headquarters Alabama Air National Guard, Montgomery, AL

Jan 19 - present

Instructor, Assistant Professor of Aerospace Studies, AFROTC
Detachment 005, Auburn University, Auburn, AL

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Meritorious Service Medal
Air Force Commendation Medal
Air Force Achievement Medal with 3 Oak Leaf Clusters
Air Force Good Conduct Medal with 2 Oak Leaf Clusters
Air Reserve Forces Meritorious Service Medal with 7 devices
National Defense Service Medal with 1 device
Iraq Campaign Medal with 1 device
Global War on Terrorism Service Medal
Humanitarian Service Medal
Nuclear Deterrence Operations Service Medal
Armed Forces Reserve Medal with 1'M' device

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND ASSOCIATIONS

Military Officers Association of America

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Airman Basic	May 28, 1992
Airman First Class	July 14, 1992
Senior Airman	November 14, 1994
Staff Sergeant	November 1, 1999
Second Lieutenant	June 25, 2004
First Lieutenant	June 25, 2006
Captain	June 25, 2008
Major	June 25, 2012
Lieutenant Colonel	June 5, 2018

(Current as of March 2021)