



BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

STAFF SERGEANT DONALD R. VO

SSgt Donald Ray Vo is the Noncommissioned Officer-in-Charge of Cadet Administration, Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps (AFROTC) Detachment 010 at the University of Alabama in Tuscaloosa. His responsibilities include recruiting, motivating, training, educating and evaluating Air Force officer candidates aspiring to become Air Force Officers in a 4-year college-level program. He also extends those services to candidates at four cross-town schools--University of West Alabama, Stillman College, and Marion Military Institute. He is the Detachment focal point for approximately 135 officer candidates and 5 active duty military members on staff. He oversees information flow to HQ AFROTC, Air Force Personnel Center, The Department of Defense Medical Examination Review Board and the Pentagon. In addition to his unit support functions, he is also responsible for processing and tracking taskers, personnel records, evaluations, decorations, awards, physical fitness, pay and medical records for the officer candidates and detachment personnel.

SSgt Vo is from California and entered the Air Force in March 2013. Upon completion of Basic Military Training, he graduated from Keesler Air Force Base, Mississippi in Knowledge Operation in July 2013. In 2016, he has also participated in an exercise New Horizons in Dominican Republic working with civil engineers, and medical professional in a joint training exercise for building schools and medical clinics for the locals.



EDUCATION

2013 Basic Military Training, Lackland AFB, Texas
2013 Knowledge Operations Technical Course, Keesler AFB, Mississippi
2017 Airman Leadership School, Student, Nellis AFB, Nevada
2019 Associate of Applied Science in Information Management, Community College of the Air Force
2021 Bachelor of Arts in Management, American Military University

ASSIGNMENTS

1. March 2013 - May 2013, Trainee, Basic Military Training, Lackland AFB, Texas
2. May 2013 - July 2013, Student, Knowledge Operations Apprentice Course, Keesler AFB, Mississippi
3. July 2013 – January 2017, Knowledge Operations Manager, Nellis AFB, Nevada
4. February 2017 – October 2019, Squadron Administrator, Nellis AFB, Nevada
5. November 2019 – January 2021, Non-Commissioned Officer in Charge, Commander Support Staff, Nellis AFB, Nevada
6. February 2021 – Present, Non-Commissioned Officer in Charge, Cadet Administration, AFROTC/Det010, University of Alabama

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Air Force Achievement Medal with one oak leaf cluster

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION:

Airman	March 2013
Airman First Class	May 2013
Senior Airman	September 2015
Staff Sergeant	November 2018

(Current as of 8 April 2021)