

# **BIOGRAPHY**



## UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

#### **MAJOR JESSE D. WHITE**

Maj Jesse White is the Recruitment Flight Commander, Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps (AFROTC) Detachment 001, University of Alaska Anchorage, where he oversees the recruiting, educating and commissioning of officer candidates. He administers the Professional Military Training program for ROTC cadets, while also serving as an Assistant Professor of Aerospace Studies within the university. Maj White commissioned through the ROTC program at University of Alaska Anchorage in 2009. Prior to his current assignment, Maj White served as the International/ NATO Education Director for Electronic Warfare Training, AETC, Pensacola Naval Air Station FL, where he was an academic and flight instructor for Combat System Officer Students.

### **EDUCATION**

2009 Bachelor of Science, Aviation, University of Alaska Anchorage

2015 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

2017 Master of Science, Aviation Safety, Embry-Riddle, Daytona Beach Fl.

#### **ASSIGNMENTS**

- 1. August 2009-September 2011, Student, 562 Flying Training Squadron, Randolph AFB, Tx.
- 2. September 2011-March 2018, COBRA Ball Mission Compartment Commander; Instructor: Senior

Formal Training Unit Evaluator; Executive Officer; Flight Commander, 45th Reconnaissance Squadron, Offutt AFB, Ne.

- 3. March 2018-June 2021, Flight/ Academic Instructor; International Education Director, 479 Operations Support Squadron, Pensacola Naval Air Station, Fl.
- 4. June 2021-Present, Recruiting Flight Commander, Air Force ROTC Detachment 001, University of Alaska Anchorage

#### FLIGHT INFORMATION

Rating: Senior Combat Systems Officer

Flight hours: More than 2,100

Aircraft flown: T-43, RC-135S, T-1A

#### MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Air Force Meritorious Service Medal

Air Force Commendation Medal with 2 oak leaf clusters

Air Force Aerial Achievement Medal

#### OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

2012 US Air Force General and Mrs. Jerome F. O'Malley Award Best Reconnaissance Crew of the Year

## EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant August 2, 2009 First Lieutenant August 2, 2011 Captain August 2, 2013 Major June 1, 2019 (Current as of June 28th 2021)

