

# **BIOGRAPHY**



## UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

### MAJOR CHARLES C. BERRY II

Major Charles C. Berry II is the Commander, 36th Contracting Squadron, Andersen Air Force Base, Guam. As commander, he leads 45 military and civilian contracting professionals responsible for the management portfolio of contracts supporting Andersen Air Force Base and Joint Region Marianas valued at \$506M. He is also responsible for providing comprehensive acquisition support through the issuance of construction, service, and supply contracts valued at \$100 million annually. In addition, he formulates acquisition strategies, and executes contracting actions in support of peacetime, contingency, and wartime operations.

Major Berry is a native of Decatur, Georgia. He received a Bachelor's of Science degree in Marketing, Management, and Research from Troy University Montgomery in May 2007. Major Berry received his commission after successful completion of Officer Training School in August 2007. Prior to his current position, he completed an Air Force Fellowship in Honolulu Hawaii with United States Indo-Pacific Command Strategy and Policy Division and Daniel K. Inouye Asia Pacific Center for Security Studies. During his fellowship he served as the United States Indo-Pacific Command major Global



Campaign Plan Annual Joint Assessment facilitator and academic liaison for United States and Partner Nations' Indo-Pacific security practioners.

#### **EDUCATION**

- 2007 Bachelor of Science degree in Marketing, Management, and Research, Troy University Montgomery, Montgomery, AL
- 2008 Air and Space Basic Course (In-Residence), Maxwell Air Force Base, Montgomery, AL
- 2011 Squadron Officer School (In-Residence), Maxwell Air Force Base, Montgomery, AL
- 2012 Master of Business Administration with a focus in advertising, Oklahoma Christian University, Edmond, OK

#### **ASSIGNMENTS**

- Sep 07 Sep 10, Acquisition & Infrastructure Flight Commander, 35th Contracting Squadron, Misawa Air Base JPN
- 2. Sep 10 Oct 12, Contracting Officer, KC-10 CLS, Oklahoma City Air Logistics Center, Tinker Air Force Base, Oklahoma City, OK
- 3. Oct 12 Aug 13, Contracting Officer, Umbrella ESS, Air Force Life Cycle Management Center, Tinker Air Force Base, Oklahoma City, OK
- 4. Aug 13 May 14, Program Manager/Executive Officer to the Director, International Training and Education Directorate, JBSA-Randolph, San Antonio, TX
- May 14 Jul 16, Chief, Strategic Communications, Command Action Group, Air Education and Training Command, JBSA-Randolph, TX
- 6. Jul 16 May 18, Chief of Contracting, Special Operations Command, Pacific, Camp Smith, HI
- 7. Jun 18 Jun 19, Air Force Asia Pacific Strategic Fellow, Air War College, Maxwell Air Force Base, AL (stationed in Honolulu, HI)
- 8. Jun 19 Present, Commander, 36th Contracting Squadron, Andersen AFB, Guam

#### **SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTS**

Jul 16 - May 18, Chief of Contracting, Special Operations Command, Pacific, Camp Smith, HI

#### **MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS**

Defense Meritorious Service Medal Meritorious Service Medal Joint Service Commendation Medal

Air Force Commendation Medal with three oak leaf clusters

Joint Service Achievement Medal

Air Force Achievement Medal with one silver and three oak leaf clusters

Joint Meritorious Unit Award

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award

Air Force Organizational Excellence Award

Air Force Good Conduct Medal

National Defense Service Medal

Afghanistan Campaign Medal

Iraq Campaign Medal

Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal

Nuclear Deterrence Operations Service Medal

AF Overseas Ribbon Long

Air Force Expeditionary Service Ribbon with Gold Border

Air Force Longevity Service with four oak leaf clusters

USAF NCO PME Graduate Ribbon

Small Arms Expert Marksmanship Ribbon with star

Air Force Training Ribbon

NATO Kosovo Medal

### **EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION**

Second Lieutenant August 2007 First Lieutenant August 2009 Captain August 2011 Major July 2017

(Current as of July 2019)