



BIOGRAPHY

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

CAPTAIN PATRICK W. BOSS

Captain Patrick William Boss is the Operations Flight Commander and an Assistant Professor of Aerospace Studies (APAS) at Detachment 159, Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps (AFROTC) at the University of Central Florida (UCF), Orlando, Florida. He leads all training and evaluation activities required to develop and support more than 250 prospective Air Force officers attending the university.

Captain Boss enlisted in the United States Air Force in June 2010 and was an emergency manager. In June 2016, Captain Boss commissioned and cross-trained into the Acquisitions career field and was quickly moved to Chemist/Biologist Career Field. Captain Boss has deployed multiple times in support of OPERATION INHERENT RESOLVE, OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM-HORN OF AFRICA, and OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM. He and his wife Debbie have five children: Hunter, Dominic, Vincenzo, Camilla, and Vivienne.

EDUCATION

2005 Bachelor of Science, History, University of Connecticut
2015 Bachelor of Science, Environmental Science Fish and Wildlife Management, American Military University
2020, Master of Science, Biology, Western Kentucky University
2020 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell Air Force Base, AL.
2023 Graduate Certificate in Global Health and Global Health Engagement, Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences

ASSIGNMENTS

1. December 2010-June 2014, NCOIC Emergency Management Plans and Operations, Davis-Monthan AFB, AZ
2. January 2013-August 2013, 1 ECEG, TOC Manager Al Udiad, Qatar/Afghanistan,
3. June 2014-March 2016, Combat Skills Instructor, 421st CST, JBMDL, NJ
4. March 2016-March 2017, Missile Student, 392CTS, Vandenberg SFB, CA
5. March 2017-August 2019, Program Manager, AF CBRN Defense Systems, Aberdeen Proving Grounds, MD
6. April 2018-January 2019, LNO CBRND CENTCOM, Syria/Iraq
7. August 2019-July 2022, Wildlife Biologist/Operations Officer AFSEC/SEFW, Kirtland AFB, New Mexico
8. July 2021 – Present, Assistant Professor of Aerospace Studies, AFROTC Detachment 159, University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Bronze Star
Meritorious Service Medal
Joint Service Commendation Medal
Air Force Achievement Medal with 2 oak leaf clusters
Iraq Campaign Medal
Inherent Resolve Campaign Medal



Global War on Terrorism Service Medal

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant	June 17, 2016
First Lieutenant	June. 17, 2018
Captain	June. 17, 2020

(Current as of August 2023)

