



BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

TECHNICAL SERGEANT KURT P. LANTZ

TSgt Kurt P. Lantz is the NCOIC, Administration Management, Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps (AFROTC) Detachment 159 at the University of Central Florida. He assists with recruiting, administration and evaluation activities for more than 250 prospective Air Force officers attending the University. He performs functional oversight on a \$1.1M cadet pay entitlements program to include tuition, textbook and stipend. Additionally, he oversees the cadet life-cycle for all personnel actions ranging from medical, physical fitness, security clearance, enlistments and commissioning.

TSgt Lantz was born and raised in Mount Union, Pennsylvania, and graduated from Mount Union Area High School (Honors) in 2011. He enlisted into the Air Force in September 2012 and graduated technical training in February 2013 for Knowledge Operations Management.



EDUCATION

2015 Associates of Applied Science, Business Management, Central Texas College
2015 Airmen Leadership School, Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson, AK
2016 Associates of Applied Science, Information Management, Community College of the Air Force
2022 Non-Commissioned Officer Academy, Tyndall AFB, FL

ASSIGNMENTS

1. September 2012–November 2012, Basic Military Trainee, 322nd Training Squadron, Lackland Air Force Base, Texas
2. November 2012–February 2013, Knowledge Operations Trainee, 336th Training Squadron, Keesler AFB, MS
3. February 2013–February 2016, Commander's Support Staff Tech, 673d Contracting Squadron, Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson, Alaska
4. March 2016–March 2017, Commander's Executive, 821st Air Base Group, Thule Air Base, Greenland
5. March 2017–September 2017, Wing Executive Administration Craftsman, 86th Airlift Wing, Ramstein Air Base, Germany
6. September 2017–May 2019, NCOIC, Commander's Admin Support Staff, 3rd Air Force, Ramstein Air Base, Germany
7. May 2019–March 2021, Enlisted Executive to the Deputy Commander, United States Air Forces in Europe and Air Forces Africa, Ramstein Air Base, Germany
8. April 2021–Present, NCOIC, Administration Management, AFROTC Detachment 159, University of Central Florida, Orlando, Florida

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Air Force Meritorious Medal
Air Force Commendation Medal with one oak leaf cluster
Air and Space Force Achievement Medal
Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with two oak leaf clusters
Air Force Good Conduct Medal with one oak leaf cluster

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

2014 Pacific Air Forces Outstanding Contracting Support of the Year
2014 Air Force Outstanding Contracting Support Award of the Year
2015 Senior Airman Below-The-Zone
2015 11th Air Force Outstanding Administration Airman

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Airman Basic	September 25, 2012
Airman	March 25, 2013
Airman First Class	January 25, 2014
Senior Airman	March 25, 2015
Staff Sergeant	May 1, 2017
Technical Sergeant	February 1, 2021

(Current as of August 29, 2023)