



# BIOGRAPHY

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

## MAJOR WRENDY K. RAYHILL

Major Wrendy K. Rayhill is the Operations Officer at Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps (AFROTC) Detachment 025, Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona. She is responsible for detachment operations, recruiting, and education functions. Major Rayhill oversees cadre training, and professional development. She leads, recruits, trains, mentors, counsels, and evaluates 175 qualified men and women as prospective Air Force officers. Additionally, Major Rayhill is an Assistance Professor of Aerospace Studies, where she instructs Aerospace 401/403: National Security, Leadership Responsibilities, and Commissioning Preparation.

Major Rayhill earned her commission and graduated from the U.S. Air Force Academy in 2013. She began her career as an Acquisitions Officer with a Cyberspace Operational-Experience (OPEX) assignment. As an Acquisitions Officer, Major Rayhill has served as a program manager and as a Military Fellow at Blue Origin through the Education with Industry Program. Prior to assuming her current position, she was the Product Support Program Manager for a highly classified more than \$8 billion Deputy Secretary of Defense-directed strategic combat system.



## EDUCATION

2013 Bachelor of Science in Systems Engineering Management, U.S. Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs, Colo.

2014 Undergraduate Cyber Training, Keesler AFB, Miss.

2016 Master of Business Administration, University of South Carolina, Columbia

2017 Air Force Fundamentals of Acquisitions Management, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio

2018 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

2023 Air Command and Staff College, by correspondence, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

## ASSIGNMENTS

1. August 2013 – March 2014, Student, Undergraduate Cyber Training, Keesler AFB, MS.

2. April 2014 – May 2015, Deputy Operations Flight Commander, 20th Communications Squadron, Shaw AFB, SC (January 2015–August 2015, Crew Commander, Air Forces Central Command Network Operations Security Center, Shaw AFB, SC)

3. June 2015 – April 2017, Plans & Programs Flight Commander, 20th Communications Squadron, Shaw AFB, SC. (July 2016–January 2017, Deputy Operations Flight Commander, 379th Expeditionary Communications Squadron, Al Udeid Air Base, Qatar)

4. May 2017 – August 2019, Project Manager, Advanced Systems and Development Directorate, Space and Missile Systems Center, Kirtland AFB, NM.

5. September 2019 – June 2020, Education with Industry Fellow, Blue Origin, Kent, WA.

6. July 2020 – July 2022, Program Manager, Department of the Air Force Rapid Capabilities Office, Joint Base Anacostia-Bolling AFB, Washington D.C.

7. August 2022 – May 2023, Education Officer, Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps, Detachment 025, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ.

8. June 2023 – Present, Operations Officer, Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps, Detachment 025, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ.

**MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS**

Defense Meritorious Service Medal

Joint Service Commendation Medal

Air and Space Commendation Medal

Air and Space Achievement Medal with oak leaf cluster

**EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION**

Second Lieutenant May 29, 2013

First Lieutenant May 29, 2015

Captain May 29, 2017

Major October 1, 2022

*(Current as of July 2023)*