



United States Navy Biography

LIEUTENANT COMMANDER ANTHONY HARRIS DIRECTOR, OFFICER OF THE DECK PHASE II COURSE, MARITIME SKILLS TRAINING CENTER, PACIFIC

Lt. Cmdr. Anthony Harris is a San Diego, California native. He graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy in 2007 earning a Bachelor's of Science Degree in Oceanography and was commissioned as a Surface Warfare Officer.

Afloat, Lt. Cmdr. Harris served his Division Officer tours aboard the USS Curts (FFG 38) as the Force Protection and Visit Board Search and Seizure (VBSS) Officer and as Maritime Expeditionary Security Squadron (MSRON) Six, Boat Detachment, Officer in Charge. His Department Head Tours were aboard USS Russell (DDG-59) and USS New Orleans (LPD-18) as Operations Officer. He recently completed a tour as the Commanding Officer, Coastal Riverine Squadron THREE, Alpha and Bravo Companies where he completed a 5th Fleet deployment and his command earned the Battle Efficiency Award.



Ashore, Harris completed a Global Support Assignment tour attached to U.S. Central Command (USCENTCOM) Forward. While attached with CENTCOM J3 he served as a Team Leader for a Country Vulnerability Assessment Team. He has also served on staff for Commander, Naval Surface Forces Pacific in the N7 Tactics and Training department.

He is currently attached to the Mariner Skills Training Center, Pacific where he is serving as Director of the Officer of the Deck Phase II course.

Lt. Cmdr. Harris' personal awards include the Meritorious Service Medal, Joint Commendation Medal, Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal (Gold Star), Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal (Gold Star) and multiple unit and service awards.