



BIOGRAPHY

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE



CAPTAIN JONATHAN A. ROBERTS

Captain Jonathan A. Roberts is an Assistant Professor of Aerospace Studies, AFROTC Detachment 005, Auburn University, Auburn, AL. In this capacity, he instructs sophomore-level courses on professional officership, leadership, and communication to prepare cadets for careers as United States Air Force officers. Previously, Captain Roberts served as a USCYBERCOM Combat Mission Team Mission Commander, Future Operations Officer, and Intelligence Flight Commander, where he led all-source and SIGINT intelligence analysts and cyber warfare operators during the tactical planning, oversight, and execution of offensive cyber operations supporting United States Cyber Command, United States Strategic Command, and United States European Command. In his first assignment, he served as an Intelligence Officer at the 56th Special Operations Intelligence Squadron, Cannon AFB, NM, at which he provided intelligence support to multiple AFSOC airframes and flying squadrons.

Captain Roberts received his commission in May 2014 through the two-year Reserve Officer Training Corps program at Troy University, Alabama with a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice – Homeland Security, and graduated as a Distinguished Graduate from the Intelligence Officer Course, Goodfellow Air Force Base, TX in July 2015. In his seven years of service, Captain Roberts has served as a section Officer in Charge (OIC), Deputy Flight Commander, Mission Commander, Future Operations Officer, Flight Commander, and Assistant Professor of Aerospace Studies, and has provided intelligence support to multiple airframes, to include the MQ-1B Predator, MQ-9 Reaper, U-28A Draco, and AC-130W Stinger II. Captain Roberts has deployed to Niger and Iraq in support of special operations contingency operations and OPERATION INHERENT RESOLVE, respectively.



EDUCATION

2014 Bachelor of Science degree in Criminal Justice - Homeland Security, Troy University, Troy, Alabama
2015 Distinguished Graduate, Intelligence Officer Course, Goodfellow AFB, TX
2020 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, AL

ASSIGNMENTS

1. November 2014 – July 2015: Student, Intelligence Officer Course, Goodfellow AFB, TX
2. August 2015 – March 2017: RPA Mission Intelligence Coordinator/Deputy Flight Commander, 56th Special Operations Intelligence Squadron, Cannon AFB, NM
3. March – August 2017: U-28A Intelligence Analyst, 56th Special Operations Intelligence Squadron, Cannon AFB, NM (May – August 2017: U-28A Intelligence Analyst, Joint Special Operations Air Detachment – Niger, Niamey, Niger)
4. September 2017 – September 2018: OIC, AC-130W Intelligence, 56th Special Operations Intelligence Squadron, Cannon AFB, NM (March – August 2018: Intelligence Analyst, 16th Expeditionary Special Operations Squadron, Al Asad Airbase, Iraq)
5. September 2018 – March 2020: Mission Commander, 75th Intelligence Squadron, JBSA-Lackland, TX
6. March – September 2020: Flight Commander, 75th Intelligence Squadron, JBSA-Lackland, TX
7. September 2020 – June 2021: Flight Commander, 375th Cyberspace Operations Squadron, JBSA-Lackland, TX
8. July 2021 – Present: Assistant Professor of Aerospace Studies, AFROTC Detachment 005, Auburn University, Auburn, AL

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Meritorious Service Medal

Air Force Commendation Medal with two oak leaf clusters

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant May 09, 2014

First Lieutenant August 18, 2016

Captain August 18, 2018

(Current as of September 2021)