



BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

CAPTAIN LINDSAY K. DEDRICKSON

Captain Lindsay K. Dedrickson is currently serving as an Assistant Professor of Aerospace Studies at Detachment 088, California State University Sacramento.

Captain Dedrickson earned her commission through the ROTC program, graduating from the University of Colorado Boulder in 2020. She is a Weather Officer with operational experience supporting air and space power across the Indo-Pacific, European, and Central Command areas of responsibility. Following completion of a Master of Science degree at the Air Force Institute of Technology, she served at Kunsan Air Base, Republic of Korea, where she dual-hatted as the Wing Weather Officer and Operations Group Executive Officer, advising commanders on environmental impacts to operations and contingency planning. She subsequently served as the Weather Flight Commander at Spangdahlem Air Base, Germany, leading a 20-member team and integrating weather intelligence into mission execution at USAFE's largest airlift hub. Prior to her current position, Captain Dedrickson deployed to the Middle East as the Joint Meteorology and Oceanography Officer for Operation INHERENT RESOLVE and in support of Operation EPIC FURY, providing weather expertise to coalition forces while operating in a combat environment.



She is married to Air Force Captain George R. Beckwith.

EDUCATION

2020 Bachelor of Arts, Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences, University of Colorado Boulder

2023 Master of Science, Atmospheric Sciences, Air Force Institute of Technology

ASSIGNMENTS OR CAREER CHRONOLOGY

1. July 2021 – June 2023, Master's Student, Air Force Institute of Technology, Wright Patterson AFB, OH.
2. June 2023 – July 2024, Wing Weather Officer, 8th Operations Support Squadron, Executive Officer, 8th Operations Group, Kunsan AB, Korea.
3. July 2024 – July 2026, Weather Flight Commander, 52d Operations Support Squadron, Spangdahlem AB, Germany.
4. July 2026 – Present, Assistant Professor of Aerospace Studies/Recruiting Officer, California State University Sacramento, Detachment 088.

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Joint Service Commendation Medal

Air and Space Commendation Medal with 1 Oak Leaf Cluster

Joint Service Achievement Medal with "C" Device

Combat Action Medal

Joint Meritorious Unit Award

Inherent Resolve Campaign Medal

Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal

Korean Defense Service Medal

Small Arms Expert Marksmanship Ribbon

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant - December 19, 2020

First Lieutenant - April 6, 2023

Captain - April 6, 2025

(Current as of October 2026)

