

## **BIOGRAPHY**

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## Senior Master Sergeant Mark B. Palang

United States Air Force Senior Enlisted Advisor

Senior Master Sergeant Mark B. Palang is the senior enlisted advisor of the Atlanta Military Entrance Processing Station.

He enlisted in the Air Force at the Jacksonville MEPS in July 2004 and completed Basic Military Training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

Senior Master Sergeant Palang served as entry controller, 78th Security Forces Squadron, Robins Air Force Base, Georgia; entry controller, 51st Security Forces Squadron, Osan Air Base, Republic of Korea; custody flight sergeant, 704th Munitions Support Squadron, Ghedi Air Base, Italy; noncommissioned officer in charge, Combat Arms, 45th Security Forces Squadron, Patrick Air Force Base, Florida; operations manager, 375th Civil Engineering Squadron, Scott Air Force Base, Illinois; noncommissioned officer in charge, Base Honor Guard, 375th



Force Support Squadron, Scott Air Force Base; and superintendent, Inspector General, 502 Air Base Wing, Joint Base San Antonio, Texas.

He completed the Airman Leadership School, Noncommissioned Officer Academy, Senior Noncommissioned Officer Academy, and Senior Enlisted Joint Professional Military Education I and II. He earned an Associate of Applied Science in Criminal Justice, an Associate of Applied Science Maintenance Production Management, an Associate of Applied Science in Professional Manager Certification, from the Community College of the Air Force and a Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration and Management from American Military University.

Senior Master Sergeant Palang's awards and decorations include three Meritorious Service Medals, four Air Force Commendation Medals, the Air Force Achievement Medal, and various unit and service medals and ribbons.