



BIOGRAPHY

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Lieutenant Commander Lance M. Noel is the commander of the Buffalo Military Entrance Processing Station.

He enlisted at Louisville MEPS in July 2010 and earned his commission from Navy Officer Candidate School, Naval Education and Training Command, Newport, Rhode Island, in April 2011.

His assignments include surface warfare officer and division officer, Deck Department and Combat Systems, aboard the dock landing ship USS Rushmore, homeported in San Diego, California; surface warfare officer and training officer aboard the guided-missile destroyer USS Sampson, homeported in San Diego; human resources officer and officer-in-charge, Talent Acquisition and Onboarding Center, Navy Talent Acquisition Group, Ohio River Valley, Columbus, Ohio; and human resources officer and student control director, Recruit Training Command, Naval Station Great Lakes, Illinois.

Lieutenant Commander Noel's professional military education includes the Human Resources Introductory Course, Intermediate Leadership Course, Senior Leadership Legal Course, and Command Leadership Course. He earned a Bachelor of Science in Business from Franklin College, Franklin, Indiana, and a Master of Science in Human Resource Development from Villanova University, Villanova, Pennsylvania.

His awards include three Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medals, four Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medals, and various unit and service awards.

